

# THE REGENCY BENEFIT BALL

**August 31**

Dust off your War of 1812 dancing shoes and join the Dance Thru History performers for an evening straight out of the 19th century. Evening will include a period dress contest with prizes for the most authentic couple. Light hors d'oeuvres provided by the Perry Group and cash bar. Tickets are \$25 per person or \$45 per couple. Get advance tickets at [www.visitputinbay.com](http://www.visitputinbay.com). All proceeds benefit the education programs at Perry's Victory.

Don't know how to look the part? A group of Regency fashion-savvy women will come to Put-in-Bay earlier in the summer to help you select the perfect outfit. For information please visit [www.nps/pevi](http://www.nps/pevi).



## Help Support Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial

Join the Perry Group, the official friends group of Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial. Annual dues are \$25.

For more information  
[www.theperrygroup.org](http://www.theperrygroup.org)



## FEATURED EXHIBIT

**June 3 through September 13  
Columbus, Ohio**

### Peace Among Nations: The Lasting Legacy of the War of 1812 Art Exhibition

Artists of all ages from Canada and Ohio will be displaying art interpreting the War of 1812 and the long lasting peace between the two countries at the James Rhodes State Office Tower in Columbus, Ohio. Opening reception is June 6 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

\*Times are subject to change, please visit  
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**Perry's Victory and  
International Peace Memorial**

# The Battle of Lake Erie



# 2013 Bicentennial Events

## Saturday, May 25

**11:30 a.m. Memorial Day Ceremony**  
Honoring War of 1812 Casualties  
Held on the back lawn of the Visitor Center

## Thursday, July 4

### 11 a.m. Naturalization and Delayed Enlistment Ceremony

Swearing in of our country's new citizens and hundreds of individuals enlist in the U.S. military. Special guest appearance by Francis Scott Key.

### 2:15 p.m. Centennial Celebration of Perry's Memorial Cornerstone Laying

Parade and cornerstone laying reenactment featuring the United States Army Band. Immediately after the parade, re-enactment of cornerstone laying with Masonic Lodges from Canada and the United States.

**7:30 p.m. United States Army Band Concert**

## July 6

**6:30 p.m. Freedom Concert**  
Free concert by Central Ohio Symphony at the Visitor Center

## August 29 – September 2

### Tall Ships Challenge@

Tall Ships will dock in Catawba Island, Port Clinton, Kelleys Island, Middle Bass, Put-in-Bay and Canadian ports of Leamington, Kingsville, Amherstburg, and Windsor. Tall Ship Parade of Sail on September 1 and the Battle of Lake Erie Re-enactment featuring at least nine of the Tall Ships on September 2.

## August 31

### 2 p.m. The War of 1812 in Music and Dance

Dance Thru History-History Thru Dance performers will examine the War of 1812 through dance and music.

## September 3-6

### War of 1812 Lecture Series:

- **Tuesday, September 3** "The Battle of Lake Erie From All Perspectives"
- **Wednesday, September 4** "The Untold Stories & Myths About the War of 1812"
- **Thursday, September 5** "Tecumseh and the Native Americans in the War of 1812"
- **Friday, September 6** "Patriots in Petticoats and Civilians in the War of 1812"

## Saturday, September 7

### 11 a.m. War of 1812 Fashion Show

A Regency Era fashion show featuring men, women and children's fashions from the period

### 2:15 p.m. War of 1812 Grand Parade

### 4 p.m. War of 1812 Military Tattoo



Parks Canada re-enactors will join forces with period dress interpreters from the National Park

Service to exhibit different military precision drills in the first ever tattoo held on park grounds. The program will include music, dance and plenty of carronade firings.

### Harbor Illumination: Lights of Peace

At dusk flares will be lit around South Bass Island. Purchase fares for \$10 each to honor friends and loved ones. Sponsored by the Perry Group. For more information (419) 285-2491.

## Sunday, September 8

### 9 a.m. War of 1812 Ecumenical Service

Interdenominational church service sponsored by St. Paul's Episcopal Church featuring period music and hymns and performance by The Black Swamp Intertribal Foundation

### 3 p.m. Afternoon of Patriotic Music

Featuring Put-in-Bay entertainers and musicians.

## Monday, September 9

### Intergenerational War of 1812 History Day

Area schools and senior citizen centers are invited to visit and learn about the War of 1812.

# 200<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF LAKE ERIE

## Tuesday, September 10

### Wreath Laying Ceremony

The official ceremony commemorating the 200th anniversary of the Battle of Lake Erie kicks off with a wreath laying at the battle site.

### The Battle of Lake Erie Commemoration Parade

Featuring the United States Navy, the United States Sea Cadet Corps, Parks Canada reenactors, and Native American and First Nation representatives.

### Commemorative Program

With military fly-over and the rendering of honors by the United States Navy.

