

## GUIDED NATURE WALK

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Step away from the conflict of war into the peace and quiet of the forest. Visit reflecting pools designed by William Drew Washburn.

1/2 mile round-trip, slight incline, wear sturdy footwear. Plan for a minimum of 30 minutes.

**Saturday at 11:30am and at 2:30pm**  
**Sunday at 12:30pm.** Meet your guides, visiting Maine Master Naturalists Anthony Underwood and Lynda Fournier, in front of the school house.

## UNDER THE DRESS: VICTORIAN SECRETS

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*See how clothing construction and wired undergarments create the distinctive Victorian silhouette. Rated "G".*

**In the Church**

**Saturday at 1:00pm**  
**Sunday at 12:30pm**

## CONFEDERATE FLAGS

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A talk about the types of Confederate flags used during the Civil War.

Presented by Tom Bassford of the 15<sup>th</sup> Alabama  
**Saturday at 12:30pm**  
**at the Surgeon's Tent / Church**

## THE CIVIL WAR: JUNE 1864

In early May 1864 the Federal Army of the Potomac, General Ulysses S. Grant commanding, crosses the Rapidan River on its drive to capture Richmond, and enters an area known as the Wilderness. Within this tangled scrub oak thicket waits General Robert E. Lee's Army of Northern Virginia; Lee knows the difficult terrain will slow Grant's progress, neutralize his artillery, and offset the 2-1 Federal numerical advantage. At a high cost in casualties, the Confederates halt the Federal advance.

Next, Grant orders a series of movements to outflank Lee and get between Lee's army and Richmond, but each time, at Spotsylvania, the North Anna River, and Cold Harbor, Lee's veterans are able to beat Grant's troops to the next strategic point, entrench, and fight them to a standstill. Finally, unable to break Lee's lines by frontal assault, Grant moves his entire army across the James River to besiege Petersburg and its railroads, threatening Richmond from the South. By mid-June, Lee's soldiers are moving the extensive Petersburg works, reinforcing the home guard. Grant begins testing Lee's defenses, seeking a weak point to break through, and there is fighting all along the line.

You are Hereby Invited to

## A CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE

Taylor Stevenson & Megan Dood

**SATURDAY, JUNE 22 AT 5:00PM**

in the Church

A Civil-War themed wedding

followed by a **PIG ROAST\*** at 5pm

and **GALA COUNTRY DANCE**

at 7pm with live music by

**The Racket Factory**

\*Ticket required for pig roast.

Check at the information booth for tickets.

**Dance is free with Rally Admission**

## THE WASHBURNS & THEIR NEIGHBORS IN THE CIVIL WAR

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A presentation by Willi Irish, Norlands' Director of Interpretation and Training. Israel Washburn, Jr. was known as "Maine's Little Giant of the Civil War." He and his brothers held positions that influenced the War, and several of their Livermore neighbors served and lost their lives. Willi will share original letters, diary entries and military records that reflect how the War affected life on the homefront. **Saturday at 1:00pm in the Library**

## MAINE AT WAR

### BLADENSBURG TO SHARPSBURG

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An illustrated talk by author Brian F. Swartz on Maine's early connections to the War-from a fateful duel at Bladensburg in 1838 to the battle between the Rebels and the Yankees at Sharpsburg, Maryland in 1862.

**Saturday at 11:30am in the Church**

## FIREARMS OF THE CIVIL WAR

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A presentation by Sergeant Bob Pierce  
Third Maine Regiment

**Sunday at 12:30pm in the Union Camp**

## THANK YOU TO OUR EXHIBITORS

**Infantry and Civilian Encampments:** 3rd Maine Company A, 15th Alabama Company G, 6th Maine Battery, 1st VT Cavalry Co. K, 2nd VT Infantry, 35th Virginia Co. B., Liberty Greys HQ  
**Historical Crafters & Exhibitors:** Agno3 Lab Tintype Portraits with Cole Caswell, BaahHummmBuzz Farms with Karen Shumac, Caning by Pam Lanyon, Creative Basketry with Diane Wheeler, Jay Historical Society, Jay-Livermore Falls Lions Club, Malbons Mills Blacksmith Shop with Dick Tessier, Mary Dillingham-Burnt Meadow DAR, Minot Historical Society, Shaky Barn Farm Gardens with Bonnie Brown, Spinning with Marjorie Cormier and Friends, and Tophat's Sutlery  
**and a very special thank you to our**

## VOLUNTEERS

Tom Bassford, Matt Bray, Claudia Bell, Jacqueline Bernier, Denise Boothby, Bonnie Brown, Jennifer Colby-Morse, Holly Cooney, Tizz Crowley, Kathy Cutter, Robyn Faulkner, Anne Feith, Ray Fleury, Kim Fleury, Colleen Fournier, Lynda Fournier, Jane Frost, Paul Gies, Celia Holmes, Brittany Rea Hyde, Willi Irish, Ron Kley, Carolyn Lawson, Sheri Leahan, Rosemarie Leonard, Samantha Lieber, Jonnie Maloney, Nicol Miller, Margaret Morse, Chris Nulle, Sonny Richards, Jennifer Riggs, Peter Robichaud, Garnett Rutherford, Laura Seames, Karen Shumac, Harry Simon, Madeline Soucie, Sandy Swatsky, Stephanie Thorne, Anthony Underwood, Rachel Valdes, Larry Whittington, and Carole Works

SCHEDULE AS OF JUNE 7, 2019

*\*Subject to slight changes. Pick up final program at the admissions booth the day of the event.*

## 7<sup>TH</sup> RALLY FOR NORLANDS

**JUNE 22 & 23, 2019**

Organized By

3<sup>rd</sup> ME Regiment Co. A.

and 15<sup>th</sup> Alabama Co. G.

## Rally for Norlands Civil War Living History Weekend

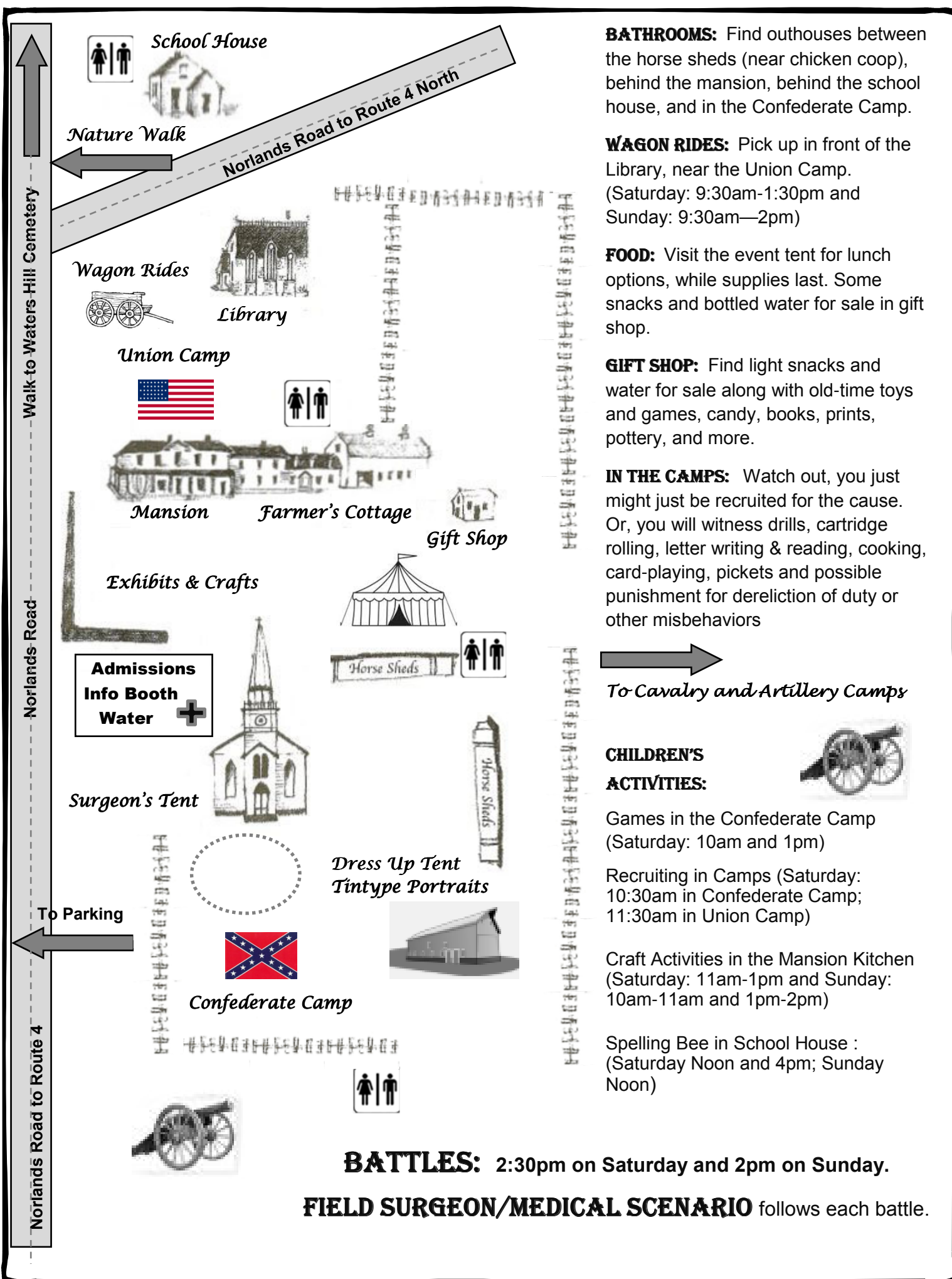


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The Washburn-Norlands Living History Center

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**BATHROOMS:** Find outhouses between the horse sheds (near chicken coop), behind the mansion, behind the school house, and in the Confederate Camp.

**WAGON RIDES:** Pick up in front of the Library, near the Union Camp. (Saturday: 9:30am-1:30pm and Sunday: 9:30am—2pm)

**FOOD:** Visit the event tent for lunch options, while supplies last. Some snacks and bottled water for sale in gift shop.

**GIFT SHOP:** Find light snacks and water for sale along with old-time toys and games, candy, books, prints, pottery, and more.

**IN THE CAMPS:** Watch out, you just might just be recruited for the cause. Or, you will witness drills, cartridge rolling, letter writing & reading, cooking, card-playing, pickets and possible punishment for dereliction of duty or other misbehaviors

**To Cavalry and Artillery Camps**

**CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES:**

Games in the Confederate Camp (Saturday: 10am and 1pm)

Recruiting in Camps (Saturday: 10:30am in Confederate Camp; 11:30am in Union Camp)

Craft Activities in the Mansion Kitchen (Saturday: 11am-1pm and Sunday: 10am-11am and 1pm-2pm)

Spelling Bee in School House : (Saturday Noon and 4pm; Sunday Noon)

**BATTLES:** 2:30pm on Saturday and 2pm on Sunday.  
**FIELD SURGEON/MEDICAL SCENARIO** follows each battle.

**SATURDAY ACTIVITIES** **JUNE 22**

- 9am-10am Company Drill (Confederate Camp)
- 10am Infantry Drill & Firing Demonstration (Union Camp)
- \*Watch for a tobacco-coffee trade between Union and Confederate Soldiers in front of the church, sometime between 10am-11am*
- 10am Children's Games (Confederate Camp)
- 10:30am Children's Recruiting & Drilling (Confederate Camp)
- 11am-1pm Children's Craft Activities (Mansion Kitchen)
- 11:30am Guided Nature Walk (School House)
- 11:30am Maine at War: Book Talk by Brian Swartz (Church)
- 11:30am Children's Recruiting (Union Camp)
- Noon-1pm Cooking Demonstrations (Confederate Camp)
- Noon Spelling Bee (School House)
- 12:30pm Talk on Confederate Flags (Surgeon's Tent/Church)
- 1pm Cooking Demonstration (Union Camp)
- 1pm-2pm Children's Games-Spy Recruitment (Confed. Camp)
- 1:00pm "Under the Dress: Victorian Secrets" (Church)
- 1:00pm The Washburns & Their Neighbors During the Civil War—Presentation by Willi Irish (Library)
- 1:30pm *Watch for Confederate foragers trying to barter in the Farmer's Cottage kitchen. Will they get the supplies they need?*
- 1:30pm Bayonet Drill (Union Camp)
- 2:30pm Guided Nature Walk (School House)
- 2:30pm Battle, followed by field hospital

- 3pm-4pm Payroll Scenario (Union Camp)
- 4pm: Spelling Bee (School House)
- 5pm Wedding in the Church (all invited)
- 7pm Gala Country Dance

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**ONGOING ACTIVITIES ON SATURDAY**

- ◆ Union & Confederate Camps: 9am-2pm; 3pm-4:30pm
- ◆ Demonstrations in Surgeon's Tents (Church Lawn and Union Camp)
- ◆ Exhibitors and Crafters on Front Lawn: 9am-4pm
- ◆ Post Office: 1pm-4pm (Union Camp)
- Write a Letter to a Soldier!*
- ◆ Historic Dress Up Tent: 9am-2pm (Workshop/Corral Area)
- ◆ Washburn Mansion Tours: 11am-4:30pm
- ◆ Washburn Library: 2pm-4pm or when open sign is out
- ◆ Farmer's Cottage: 11am-3pm
- ◆ One-Room Schoolhouse: 10am-4:30pm
- ◆ Wagon Rides: 9:30am-1:30pm, except for when horses are resting

**SUNDAY ACTIVITIES** **JUNE 23**

- 9am-10am Company Drill (Confederate Camp)
- 9am-10am *Keep an eye out for a tobacco-coffee trade between Union and Confederate Soldiers in front of the church*
- 10am-11am Children's Craft Activities (Mansion Kitchen)
- 10am Infantry Drill / Firing Demonstration (Union Camp)
- 11am *Watch for a prisoner exchange near the church, sometime close to 11am*
- 11am Historic Church Service (Church)
- 11am-noon Children's Games (Confederate Camp)
- 11:30am Payroll Scenario (Union Camp)
- Noon Spelling Bee (School House)
- Noon-1pm Cooking Demonstration (Confederate Camp)
- 12:30pm Guided Nature Walk (School House)
- 12:30pm "Under the Dress: Victorian Secrets" (Church)
- 12:30pm Talk on Civil War Firearms (Union Camp)
- 1pm - 2pm Children's Craft Activities (Mansion Kitchen)

- 2pm: Battle, followed by field hospital
- 3pm Site Closes

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**ONGOING ACTIVITIES ON SUNDAY**

- ◆ Union & Confederate Camps: 9am-1:30pm
- ◆ Demonstrations in Surgeon's Tent (Church Lawn and Union Camp)
- ◆ Exhibitors and Crafters on Front Lawn: 9am-2pm
- ◆ Post Office: 9am-1:30pm (Union Camp)
- Write a Letter to a Soldier!*
- ◆ Historic Dress Up Tent: 9am-2pm (Workshop/Corral Area)
- ◆ Washburn Mansion Tours: 11am-2pm
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