

# 28<sup>th</sup> Mass. Co B.



## Event Action Plan

<b>Event:</b> Manassas NBP Drill	<b>Date:</b> March 24-26, 2023
<b>Location:</b> Henry Hill, Manassas National Battlefield Park -- Henry Hill	
<b>Description:</b> (Type: Reenactment, Living History, Demonstrations, Historical Significance, Unit Depiction, etc ) Living history/drill – Two day event with onsite camping. Primary focus will be company drill to include school of the soldier/company, skirmish drill, and a firing demonstration. We'll portray 1863 -- post Bristoe Station impression.	
<b>Company POC:</b> Rolf Madole -- 703-864-2879	<b>Event Coordinator:</b> Greg Wolf, Park Ranger -- 703-361-1339
<b>Threats/Safety:</b> NPS 19th Century Musket Guidelines will be followed. Each member will be familiar with the misfire procedures (morning briefing). March temperatures are usually chilly in the evening so bring appropriate overnight gear. Though ticks and mosquitos may not be an issue this early in the season, bug spray with DEET is recommended. Sun screen is also recommended for protection from sunburn.	
<b>Facilities &amp; Amenities</b>	
<b>Latrines:</b> Restrooms available.	<b>Water:</b> Possible spickets, jerry cans.
<b>Campfires:</b> Yes, carefully managed	<b>Firewood:</b> Site Provided
<b>Food:</b> Company Mess provided Saturday lunch & Dinner, Sunday Breakfast & Lunch. Bring other provisions as necessary.	<b>Other:</b> NPS black powder firearms procedures and safety measures are in effect.
<b>Personnel</b>	
<b>UOD:</b> 1863 Impression - Blue sack coat, sky blue trousers, kepi/forage caps, black leather accoutrements, and full canteens. For those who need loaner gear, contact Hal Lapham, Quatermanster.	<b>Arms:</b> Three-band Enfield or Springfield, ammunition (15-20 cartridges). We will be onducting firing demonstrations in accordance with NP guidelines.
<b>Shelter:</b> A-frame preferred, dog tents are acceptable	<b>Other:</b> Bring any kits, displays, games etc for living history or public interaction.
<b>Assignments</b>	
<b>Commander :</b> Joe Pankey 703-300-4132	<b>Colors:</b> Hal Lapham
<b>Providsions/Food/Cookware:</b> Bill Voelkner will drop off the equipment on Friday. Mike McClung is in charge of food provisioning.	<b>Tentage/Fly:</b> Hal Lapham

### Special Instructions

Though this event is conducted on the Manassas NBP, this is not a NPS considered sponsored event. The 28th is responsible for conducting the living history and itinerary. We will be conducting a public firing demonstration which will include firing in nine times, and company firing revolutions. Interactions with the the public via discussions, games, demonstrations and discussions are highly encouraged. Request members be in place by on Saturday and ready to go with the option of camping on Friday night for those of us eager to get started. For those that will be camping on Friday, please don't show up to set up camp before 1500. We will be able to drive gear on to the site. The park asks that we minimize driving on the field by carrying members'gear in as few vehicles as possible. All NPS rules and regulations will be abided by at all times.