



LEHIGH VALLEY CIVIL WAR DAYS

June 12-14th 2009

Friends of Camp Geiger
3219 MacArthur Road
Whitehall, PA 18052

Dear Sir or Madam,

Last June, the Whitehall Parkway came alive with the thunderous sound of cannon, the clashing of rifles and bayonets, the passing of horses, the sweep of ladies' dresses, and the laughter of young and old. Camp Geiger brought the Civil War to life. ***Did you answer the bugle call?***

Friends of Camp Geiger will once again bring the Civil War to life at the Whitehall Parkway in 2009. Through the combined efforts of many re-enacting groups, a dedicated planning committee, and the wonderful support of donors, visitors, history buffs, and sponsors like you, our event this year promises to be bigger and even better than 2008. We intend to return with more battles, an improved battlefield and scenario, more quality period music, an even larger host of soldiers and civilians, and a continued emphasis on education of the Public about our Civil War history. Last year we also collected \$ 500 for battlefield preservation, and made donations of that money to Shiloh National Battlefield and the Virginia Battlefield Preservation Association. We need your help to continue this event and mission. ***Can you see the flags unfurled?***

Please consider being a 2009 sponsor or donor for Friends of Camp Geiger. We are a non-profit, 501C recognized organization, and your donations to us are tax-deductible. Your donations will be recognized in our event brochure or published in our patron list. For a \$ 50.00 donation, we will advertise your business card in our program. A \$ 250.00 will receive a half page ad, and a \$ 500.00 or larger donation will receive a full-page ad in our program and recognition on a sponsor banner at our front gate. We will of course be happy to discuss any help that you or your business may wish to give to this worthy cause, and no donation is too small. ***Will you join our ranks?***

Our goal is to make Lehigh Valley Civil War Days at Camp Geiger the best Civil War event in the area. If you would like to participate financially, please make your check out to "***Friends of Camp Geiger***" and enclose a copy of your card or other information as you would like it reproduced. We also invite you to view our event website, www.campgeiger.org. You may also contact Chris Holub, our organization president, at 610-837-1665, or Robert Martin, Secretary-Treasurer, at 610-419-9641. Above all, please come out to ***Camp Geiger on June 13-14, 2009***. Talk to the troops, listen to the music, and experience the history. ***The field is yours to explore.***

Sincerely,

Christopher R. Holub
Robert Martin
Friends of Camp Geiger