



S U M M E R E V E N T S A T - A - G L A N C E

NATIONAL PICNIC IN THE PARK

Monday, July 4 11am – 3 pm Visitor Center Main Entrance & Lawn Free to the public

Celebrate our nation's independence! Bring your picnic blanket and enjoy patriotic music, activities, and an All-American cook-out. Kids can Join the Continental Army and sign the Declaration of Independence with one of our Founding Fathers. Experience camp life at the Muhlenberg Brigade cabins and watch artillery demonstrations throughout the day.

MUHLENBERG DAYS

Saturdays: June 18, July 16 & August 20 10 am – 3 pm

Join us at Muhlenberg Brigade to experience camp life through interactive activities and special demonstrations such as bread baking and cooking. Held the 3rd Saturday during summer months.

LUNCH AND LEARN SERIES

Wednesdays Noon – 1 pm Education Center Free to the Public

The Lunch and Learn series highlights some of the park's most interesting and significant stories over the lunch hour. All ages are welcome. Bring your own brown bag lunch and we'll provide the lemonade.

JUNE 15 *Flags of the Revolution*
Speaker: Tom McNichol, VFNHP volunteer

JUNE 22 *Thomas Leiper, Revolutionary War Soldier and Letter-Writer*
Speaker: Angela Hewett, volunteer, Thomas Leiper House

JUNE 29 *The Liberty Bell and its Many Travels*
Speaker: Bruce Hustis, VFNHP volunteer

JULY 6 **Bird Monitoring**
Speaker: Kris Heister, Valley Forge Natural Resources Program Manager

FOLLOW UP → **Bird Walk at Pawling Farm** with Rick Wolfe, July 9, 7:30 – 10:00 am

JULY 13 *Pets, Mascots and Other Animals of the Military*
Hear how a variety of animals played a part in the lives of military families.
Speaker: Bruce Hustis, VFNHP volunteer

JULY 20 **Astronomy**
Speaker: The Delaware Valley Amateur Astronomers with Temple University's Dr. Albert Lamperti

FOLLOW UP → **Star Party*** August 6, 8:30 – 11 pm
Look through many different types and sizes of telescopes and see astronomical wonders including far away galaxies, star clusters, and nebulae, as well as things closer to home such as the moon and planets. For more information, please visit www.dvaa.org

*weather permitting – party will be cancelled if the weather is cloudy or rainy.