



GLOUCESTER PARKS, RECREATION, & TOURISM

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For Immediate Release

The 7th Virginia Regiment of the Continental Line commemorates the 239th anniversary of their forming at the historic Gloucester Court House.

They were here in 1776 and they are BACK!

Colonial Encampment in the Court Circle

Saturday, May 23rd - 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Activities will include encampment, troop formations and roll call by authentically costumed re-enactors; drilling of the volunteers; and musket firing demonstrations. Cannon firing will take place across from the Courthouse Green. The public is encouraged to participate and all those recruited for service will receive a certificate.

At 3:30 a wreath laying ceremony will be held at the monument in the Court Circle in honor of the members of the 7th Virginia Regiment and all veterans who have served their country.

At 7:00 pm the public is invited to observe a celebration featuring a fiddler and traditional dance taking place upstairs at the Gloucester Museum of History across from the Courthouse Circle. As space is minimal and access is only by stairs, only a limited amount of occupancy is available.

The event is sponsored by Parks, Recreation & Tourism

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Thank you,

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