

15th Annual Cook Forest French & Indian War Encampment 2017



G. Wiant Photography



H. Bumper Bauer



H. Bumper Bauer

Cook Forest State Park will host a series of living history events depicting life during the French & Indian War. Highlights of this full two-day encampment sponsored by the Sawmill Center for the Arts include woodland natives, cannon and musket firing, cooking, primitive skills, 18th century surgical techniques, blacksmithing, tinsmithing, pottery, children's games, sutler camp, renown living historians, French & Indian War Era artisans, and live tactical engagements. Every battle is different! Take a walk back in time along the Black Bear Trail by the Sawmill Center for the Arts during open camp hours to view British, Colonial, French, and Native American re-enactors as they portray lifestyles of the 18th century.

Saturday, June 10

- 1000am-600pm *Event Open*
- 1000am-1100am *Blacksmithing Demonstration* - by Dennis Murray story-teller (Clarion County's #1 liar) and blacksmith, across from Sawmill Craft Market
- 1000am-1130am *Quill Pen Fabrication* - by Paul Stillman, living historian from *Historically Speaking* in the old Sawmill Classroom (\$12 for materials)
- 1000am-400pm *Cooking Demonstration* - by Geoffrey Domowicz, Compagnie LeBoeuf chef, along Black Bear Trail at the main encampment site
- 1030pm-500pm *French & Indian War Era Art & Demonstrators* - meet with distinguished artists, authors, artisans, and demonstrators in the Old Sawmill Classroom
- 1100am-1130am *Cannon & Musket Firing Demonstration* - by the camp Corps of Artillery, located in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 1130am-1200pm *Peril in the Forest* - tactical engagement in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 1200pm-300pm *18th Century Surgical Techniques* - by Jack Mathay Compagnie LeBeouf surgeon, at the NEW Sawmill Classroom
- 100pm-200pm *Nasty Ned the Frontiersmen: 18th Century Teller of Tales & Historical Fact'* - by Paul Stillman, living historian from *Historically Speaking*, at the Sawmill Theater
- 200pm-300pm *18th Century Children's Games* - by Jen Domowicz, Compagnie LeBeouf, along Black Bear Trail at the main encampment site
- 300pm-400pm *18th Century Clothing Creation: The Easy Way* - by Bonnie Stillman, living historian from *Historically Speaking* in the old Sawmill Classroom
- 300pm-500pm *Blacksmithing Demonstration* - by Dennis Murray story-teller (Clarion County's #1 liar) and blacksmith, across from the Sawmill Craft Market
- 300-600pm - *Powderhorn & Turkey Wingbone Call Fabrication* - by Paul Stillman, living historian from *Historically Speaking* in the Old Sawmill Classroom (\$15 for materials)
- 330pm-400pm *Cannon & Musket Firing Demonstration* — by the camp Corps of Artillery, located in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 400pm-430pm *Peril in the Forest* - tactical engagement in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 800pm-1000pm *'American's 1st World War: Causes of the French & Indian War as Told Through the Eyes of Benjamin Franklin and Friends'* by Paul Stillman, living historian from *Historically Speaking*

Sunday, June 11

- 900am-400pm *Event Open*
- 900am-915am *18th Century Sunday Service* - by the 42nd Highland Regiment, located in the main encampment site along Black Bear Trail
- 930am-1100am *Blacksmithing Demonstration* - by Dennis Murray, story-teller (Clarion County's #1 liar) and blacksmith, across from the Sawmill Craft Market
- 1015am-1045am *Children's Musket Drill* - by camp Corps of Re-enactors, at the water tower along Black Bear Trail
- 1100am-200pm *Powderhorn & Turkey Wingbone Call Fabrication* - by Paul Stillman, living historian from *Historically Speaking*, in the old Sawmill Classroom (\$12 for materials)
- 1100pm-200pm *French & Indian War Era Art & Demonstrators* - meet with distinguished artists, authors, artisans, and demonstrators in the old Sawmill Classroom
- 1100am-1130am *Cannon & Musket Firing Demonstration* - by the camp Corps of Artillery, in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 1130am-1200pm *Peril in the Forest* - tactical engagement in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 1230pm-200pm *18th Century Surgical Techniques*—by Jack Mathay, Company LeBeouf surgeon, at the NEW Sawmill Classroom
- 1230pm-200pm *Blacksmithing Demonstration* - by Dennis Murray, story-teller (Clarion County's #1 liar) and blacksmith, across from the Sawmill Craft Market
- 200pm-230pm *Cannon & Musket Firing Demonstration* - by the camp Corps of Artillery, in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom
- 230pm-300pm *Peril in the Forest* - tactical engagement in the woods along Black Bear Trail across from the old Sawmill Classroom



Mazzarella



G. Wiant Photography

For more information contact: Cook Forest State Park at (814)744-8407 or www.COOKFOREST.COM

Please support our event donors

COOKFOREST.COM

Cook Riverside Cabins

Farmer's Inn

Kalyumet Campground

Gateway Lodge

Shiloh Resort/Mama Doe's Restaurant

White's Haven Campground & Cabins

Mega Rock 105.5 FM

MacBeth's Cabins

Cook Forest Country Inn

Iron Mountain Grille

Deer Meadow Campground

Cook Forest Vacation Bureau

Hominy Ridge Cabins

Tuck'd Inn Farm

FL Crooks & Co downtown Clarion

Evergreen Cabins

Landers General Store

Shipperville Ambulance

Double Diamond Deer Ranch

Sawmill Restaurant

Cherry Run Cabins

Cook Forest Canoe Rental

Kellywood Cabins

AmeriCorps

Cooksburg Dry Goods

Pale Whale Canoe Fleet

Fair Winds in the Forest Cabins