

## **FORT POINT OVERNIGHTER**

### **August 22-23, 2009**

Our second overnighter at Fort Point is scheduled for August 22-23rd. If interested, please email me at [mikemusante@hotmail.com](mailto:mikemusante@hotmail.com) by **JULY 31st** with the following info for each person spending the night:

- 1) name
- 2) unit and club
- 3) phone (home and cell)
- 4) email

### **Changes From the Last Event**

Unfortunately, the Bispo family will not be able to attend in August. We are looking for volunteers to help out with the **commissary** for Saturday dinner and Sunday breakfast. Please let me know ASAP!

As a result of the fire alarm that went off last time, we can no longer burn wood fires. Our meals will need to be cooked on propane. In addition, we can not use oil lamps OR candles (even if they are in a lantern). I suggest buying some flameless candles that use batteries. Although farby, we do not have a choice.

At this time, you do not need to send me your vehicle info as we plan to pass out parking passes to put on your cars after 5pm.

### **General Activities and Rules**

- If interested in helping to organize living history scenarios, please contact Mary Hess ([mhess1863@innercite.com](mailto:mhess1863@innercite.com)).
- Depending on interest, we are tentatively planning a dance at 8pm
- Musician demos, artillery drill and school of the company (infantry) will be held throughout the day
- No caps, no powder
- Union or civilian impressions required (confederates can galvanize)
- Please arrive between 8am-9am to set up. The Fort opens to the public by 10am.
- Please try to carpool. Parking is very limited.
- More details can be found at [www.20thmaine.net](http://www.20thmaine.net).

### **Overnight Accommodations**

Due to the large amount of interest, we may need to impose a limit on those that can spend the night. But there is no limit on those that can attend during the day. Due to the anticipated popularity, we will only be holding overnight spots for reenactors at this time. We will do our best to accommodate special requests, but reenactors will most likely sleep in large rooms with their companies. Reenacting families will most likely NOT be able to get a room by themselves. It will be cold, dirty, and dusty and most people will be sleeping on the floor. There will be locked rooms for changing and storing

of gear during the day. If reenactors are interested in privacy, they may want to go to a hotel in the evening.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mike Musante at 650-312-8422 or [mikemusante@hotmail.com](mailto:mikemusante@hotmail.com).

thank you,

The Fort Point Coordinating Team  
Mike Musante, Ed Byberg, Rob Orr, Mary Hess, Tom Bispo