



THE LEGACY

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE 140TH NEW YORK VOLUNTEER INFANTRY



Mission statement: This Corporation has been formed for the purpose of promoting charitable and educational aspects of the American Civil War; to teach the historical significance through activities, programs, and living history demonstrations; to authentically portray both Union soldiers from the 140th NYVI and Northern civilians - their life, clothing, equipment, actions, and battles; and to encourage family participation and the friendship of all who hold the same interest.

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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

A vote was held regarding Maximum Effort events
First: all members possible should come out July 19-21 to support Ft. Ontario Civil War Garrison as this is our replacement for Mumford and we are running the event ourselves.

Other events that have the most support in the order of number of votes received: Please come out to support as many of these events as possible.

- Ft. Niagara Civil War Garrison hosted by the 49th, June 8-9; 13 votes
- West Sparta Old Fashioned Days Saturday July 27th; paid event, 13 votes
- Angelica, late September--Civilian supported event, 11 votes
- 160th Cedar Creek, October 18-20, 8 votes
- Waterloo Memorial Day parade held Saturday May 25th, paid event, 7 votes
- Newfane Apple Blossom Sunday May 19, military supported event, 5 votes

Your servant,
Susan Berardi

COMMANDER'S CORNER

Our **first event** of the year is the **Apple Blossom Festival. Military Drill--Saturday April 20th**, however some men stay overnight from Friday and some even into Sunday. Contact Mike O'Connor at IrishZouave140@gmail.com to register.

CIVILIAN COORDINATOR

Civilian Seminar: Saturday April 6th, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. We will be meeting in the Victorian house next to Hull House, address, 5976 Genesee St., Lancaster, NY 14086. Coffee/tea and pastries will be provided for breakfast, bring your own lunch, enjoy presentations on developing and improving our impressions and a tour of Hull House. Contact Cathy Curley at ccurley12@verizon.net to register.

Cathy Curley

SECRETARY'S REPORT

An election was held at the March meeting to resolve our not being in compliance with our By-laws regarding officers for the 140th.

Officers now are:

- Michael O'Connor -- President and Military Commander
- RuthAnn Williams --Vice President/Membership
- Susan Berardi -- Secretary-Treasurer
- Karen Lech - Member at Large
- Cathy Curley - Civilian Coordinator

Susan Berardi,
Secretary

Our sympathies go out to Daniella Insalaco and her family on the recent passing of her Grandmother.

Next Meeting
To be held June 8 or 9,
at Ft. Niagara
Civil War Garrison,
more details as the
event gets closer

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The meeting minutes and financial information are being posted on the unit's website. This information is not included in the legacy.

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