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#### Massachusetts

#### **Adams**

National Historic Site Quincy Home of Presidents John Adams and John Quincy Adams; of Charles Francis Adams, U.S. Minister of Great Britain during the American Civil War; and of the writers of historians, Henry Adams and Brooks Adams.

Guided visits to the country home of four generations of the Adams family including two Presidents, John and John Quincy Adams.

Daily, Apr. 19-Nov. 10

Informal Bicentennial lectures.

Daily, June 23-27

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# Cape Cod

National Seashore South Wellfleet Ocean beaches, dunes, woodlands, fresh-water ponds, and marshes on outer Cape Cod, for centuries a landmark and haven for mariners.

Radio broadcast, Cape Cod Bicentennial Daybook, station WVLC.

Daily, July 1-Sept. 1

Bicentennial historical campfire at Salt Pond and Provincelands Visitor Centers Daily, July 1-Sept. 1

# Minute Man

National Historical Park Concord Scene of fighting, Apr. 19, 1775, opening the American Revolution. Includes North Bridge, Minute Man statue, 4 miles of Battle Road between Lexington and Concord, and "The Wayside," Nathaniel Hawthorne's home.

Patriots Day Parade in Concord; Bicentennial commemorative ceremonies at North Bridge.

April 19

Special Bicentennial talks on colonial themes at North Bridge Visitor Center.

Summer, Monday-Friday

Minute Man Companies' demonstrations of colonial life and customs.

Weekends, in summer

Concord Band concerts.

Evenings, June 26, July 1, 10, 17, & 24

Reenactment of 18th-century town meeting with visitor participation.

One Sunday per month, June-October

Seminars: "Independence or Dependence - 400 years of Revolu-

Evenings of Feb. 26, Mar. 19, Apr. 2, Sept. 17, Oct. 15, & Nov. 19

# Salem Maritime

National Historic Site



Only major port never occupied by the British during the Revolution. Its Derby Wharf was a major center of privateering throughout the war. Other structures of maritime and architectural significance include the Custom House where Nathaniel Hawthorne worked as Surveyor of the Port..

Tours of historic Derby Wharf.

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Daily, beginning

July 1

Tours of historic Bonded Warehouse.

Daily

Slide program on "Privateering and the Revolution."

Daily

Drama - "The Salem Chronicles."

Daily, Aug. 7-10

#### Morristown

National Historical Park Morristown Sites of important military encampments during the Revolution; Washington's headquarters, 1777 and 1779-80.

Bicentennial historical presentations at Washington's headquarters and Jockey Hollow.

Daily

Reenactment of Continental Army encampment at Jockey Hollow.

Feb. 22-23

Candlelight tour of Washington's headquarters in Ford Mansion.

Third Friday each month, June-Dec

Historical drama on Morristown win-

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ter encampment.

Daily

Military arts demonstrations at Jockey Hollow.

Daily

**New York** 

# **Castle Clinton**

National Monument New York City A structure, built 1808-11, which served successively as a defense for New York Harbor, as Castle Garden, an entertainment center, and later an immigration depot through which more than 8 million people entered the United States from 1855 to 1890.

Opening of New York City Bicentennial celebration ceremonies at Castle Clinton.

May 22

Castle Clinton.

American Landmark Festivals concert.

May 24

# Federal Hall

National Monument New York City Graceful 1842 building on site of original Federal Hall where the John Peter Zenger trial for freedom of the press was held, 1735; the Stamp Act Congress convened, 1765; the Second Continental Congress met, 1785; Washington took the oath as first U.S. President, and the Bill of Rights was adopted, 1789.

Washington's Inaugural celebration.

April 30

Lower Manhattan independence celebration.

June 27-July 4

Celebration "July 4th in Old New York."

July 4

Film: "In Freedom Born."

Daily

John Peter Zenger Festival.

August 4-5

### Fort Stanwix

National Monument Rome The American stand here in August, 1777, was a major factor in repulsing British invasion from Canada. Also site of the Treaty of Fort Stanwix, Nov. 5, 1768, with the Iroquois.

Fife and drum music performances.

Sundays

# **Hamilton Grange**

National Monument New York City "The Grange," home of Alexander Hamilton, American statesman and first Secretary of U.S. Treasury.

Independence Day celebration.

July 4

# Saratoga

National Historical Park Stillwater

Scene of American victory over the British in 1777; turning point of the Revolution and one of the decisive battles in world history; Maj. Gen. Phillip Schuyler's country home.

Annual Surrender Day celebration -198th anniversary of Burgoyne's surrender at Saratoga; dedication of new Visitor Center museum.

October 17

**Authentic demonstrations of Indian** life in colonial era.

Daily

**Brigade of the American Revolution** encampment; demonstrations of Revolutionary War military arts.

Daily, Sept. 20-21

Martial concert by Nathan Hale Ancient Fifes and Drums.

July 27

18th-century Magic Show and Annual Art Exhibition at Schuyler House.

August 10

# **Statue of Liberty**

**National Monument New York City** 

Famous 152-foot copper Statue of Liberty bearing the torch of freedom, a gift of the French people in 1886 to commemorate alliance of the two nations in American Revolution. Area includes Ellis Island, immigration port, 1892-1954.

Festival of films on Statue of Liberty and immigration.

Statue of Liberty



### Mid-Atlantic

#### Maryland

# Fort McHenry

National Monument & Historic Shrine **Baltimore** 

Successful defense of this fort in War of 1812, September 13-14, 1814, inspired Francis Scott Key to write "The Star Spangled Banner."

Flag Day celebration.

June 15

"Our Country" Bicentennial program; exhibits, fireworks, naturalization ceremony, open house, dancing.

July 4

Marine Corps precision tattoo cere-

Mondays, 7:00 p.m. in summer

Defenders Day celebration; mock

bombardment of fort.

September 15

# Assateague Island

National Seashore Ocean City

A 37-mile barrier island, with sandy beach, migratory waterfowl, and wild

Talk: "Assateague As It Was In 1776."

Weekly

#### Pennsylvania

# **Delaware Water Gap**

National Recreation Area Stroudsburg

Outstanding scenic area along Delaware River stretching 38 miles.

**Outdoor concerts at Watergate band** shell.

Friday and Saturday in July; August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Tours of Millbrook Village, 100-yearold rural community.

Daily. **July and August** 

Millbrook Days; demonstrations of

October 4 and 5

rural skills by local citizens. Old fashioned Independence

July 5

Day Celebration.

Daily,

Historical demonstrations of life and work at old Slateford farm.

**July and August** 

Peters Valley Craft Fair.

July 26 and 27

# Hopewell Village

National Historic Site Elverson

One of the finest examples of a rural American 19th-century ironmaking village; includes the blast furnace and its auxiliary structures.

Historical recreation of early ironmaking community.

Daily, in summer

Cannon-making demonstration.

Daily, in summer

Independence Day celebration.

July 4

Candlelight Program.

July 25

# Johnstown Flood

National Monument Johnstown

Memorializes the tragic Johnstown Flood of 1889 caused by a break in the South Fork Dam on a tributary of the Little Conemaugh River.

Historical exhibits.

Daily, in summer

# **Fort Necessity**

National Battlefield Uniontown

Scene of opening battle of the French and Indian War, July 3, 1754, when Colonials under Lt. Col. George Washington, 22, met French troops and Indi-

Living history -George Washington

Daily, in summer

tavern.

Independence Day celebration.

July 4

# Allegheny Portage Railroad

Cresson

Traces and structures of the Allegheny Portage Railroad built 1831-34, to lift passengers and cargo of Pennsylvania canalboats over the Allegheny Moun-

Crafh demonstrations at historic Lemon House.

Daily, in summer

# Independence

National Historic Park Philadelphia

Structures and properties in old Philadelphia associated with the American Revolution and the founding and growth of the United States; Independence Hall, the Liberty Bell, Congress Hall, and old City Hall.

Symposium on "18th-Century Arts and Life."

March-June

**May 18** 

**Convening of Second Continental** 

May 10

Congress commemorated.

Israeli Day celebration.

June 28-Sept. 6

June 1-Sept. 6

**Guided tour of historic Walnut Street** houses.

Sound and light show: "A Nation is Born."

Evenings, June 28-Sept. 6

Concerts series featuring 18th century music.

Flag Day commemoration. June 14

George Washington's appointment as Commander-in-Chief commemoJune 15

Freedom Week celebrations.

June 27-July 4

**Dedication of Visitor Center.** 

June

Special lecture series on American history and culture.

June 1-Sept. 6

July 4

Independence Day celebration. General Von Stueben Day celebra-

September 9

tion.

Puerto Rico Day celebration.

September 24

Columbus Day celebration.

October 6

General Pulaski Day celebration.

October 7

Commodore Barry Day celebration.

October 10

Hungarian Independence Day cele-

October 21

bration.

Gulded tour of Bishop White House.

Daily

#### Colonial

National Historical Park Yorktown

Most of Jamestown Island, site of first permanent English settlement in America; Yorktown, scene of culminating battle of American Revolution, 1781; 23mile parkway connecting these and other colonial sites with Williamsburg; Cape Henry Memorial, marking approximate site of first landing of Jamestown colonists, 1607.

Jamestown Day celebration.

May 11

Portraval at Moore House of Yorktown surrender negotiations.

Daily, in summer

First Assembly Day celebration. (356th anniversary) at Jamestown July 30

Island.

Militiaman-farmer historical demonstration at Jamestown.

Daily, in summer

Yorktown Day celebration—patriotic observance and wreathlaying at

October 19

Yorktown Battlefield.

# George Washington **Birthplace**

National Monument Washington Birthplace Birthplace of the first U.S. President, memorial mansion, and gardens; site of tombs of his father, grandfather, and great-grandfather.

Historical recreation of 18th century plantation life.

Washington's Birthday celebration.

Daily, in summer

February 22

Candlelight open house.

July 4

# Petersburg

National Battlefield Petersburg

Scene of the "Battle of the Crater" and 10-month Union campaign, 1864-65, to seize Petersburg, center of railroads supplying Richmond and Gen. Robert E. Lee's army.

Living history demonstrations of camp life during Civil War; cannon firing.

Daily, in summer

# Richmond

National Battlefield Park Richmond

Scene of several battles to capture Richmond, the Confederate capital, during the Civil War.

Battlefield tour.

Daily, in summer

"Road to History" talks - Fort Harrison Visitor Center.

Daily, in summer

Band concerts, featuring turn-of-the century music.

Sunday afternoons. May-September

# Shenandoah

National Park Luray

Outstanding portion of Blue Ridge Mountain with Skyline Drive along the crest; vistas of historic Shenandoah Valley and the Piedmont; hardwood forests; wealth of wildflowers.

Talks: "American Revolution in Virginia"

Weekly

# **Booker T. Washington**

National Monument Rocky Mount

Site of the birthplace and childhood home of the famous black leader and educator.

Living History Day; slave life and work on farm of 1800's.

June 15

# **National Capital Parks**

# **Washington Monument**

District of Columbia

A 555-foot high monument honoring George Washington; a dominating feature of the Nation's Capital.

Independence Day celebration with fireworks at dusk.

July 4

# Mall / Reflecting Pool District of Columbia

Large tree-lined expanse between Washington Monument and Lincoln Memorial.

Festival of American Folklife, featuring folkways of Japan, Lebanon, Germany, Italy, Ghana, the Iroquois Confederacy, plus folklore of working Americans and such U.S. regions as the Northern Plains and Coastal California.

June 25-July 6

Washington Monument



### Southeast

#### Florida

### Castillo De San Marcos

National Monument St. Augustine Oldest masonry fort in continental United States; construction started in 1672 by the Spanish to protect St. Augustine, first permanent settlement by Europeans in continental United States, 1565.

A living history program emphasizing the loyalist views of 1763-1784.

Dally

International conference in St. Augustine on American loyalism.

February 6-8

# De Soto

National Memorial Gradenton Commemorates landing of Spanish explorer Hernando de Soto in Florida in 1539 and the first extensive organized exploration of what is now the southern United States by Europeans.

Living history demonstration - comparing life, arms and duties of 16th century Spanish soldiers with 18th century American Continental soldiers. December 1-31

# Fort Caroline

National Memorial Jacksonville Overlooks the site of French Huguenot colony of 1564-65, second French attempt at settlement within the present United States. Here, the French and Spanish began two centuries of European colonial rivalry in North America. Fort is replica of original on St. Johns River.

Bicentennial art show and contest.

July

# Fort Jefferson

National Monument Miami Largest all-masonry fortification in Western World, built in 1846 for control of Florida Straits; Federal military prison during and after the Civil War.

Special program on historic role of Dry Tortugus - a plrate's haven in 18th century. Evenings, May 15-December 31

# **Gulf Islands**

National Seashore Pensacola Historic forts, sparkling white sand beaches near Pensacola, Florida; Fort Massachusetts and primitive offshore islands in Mississippi.

Historic photo contest.

May-December

Art contest.

October-December

Special programs on influence of Germans, Spanish and French during colonial period in Gulf area.

Daily, in summer

#### Georgia

# **Andersonville**

National Historic Site Americus

Civil War prisoner-of-war camp which commemorates the sacrifices borne by American prisoners, not only in the 1861-65 conflict but in all wars.

Interpretive talks on American Revolution and its relevance today.

Daily

# Chickamauga and Chattanooga

National Military Park Ft. Oglethorpe Civil War battlefields of Chickamauga, Orchard Knob, Lookout Mountain, and Missionary Ridge.

Three colonial music concerts by Chattanooga Symphony.

July, August & September

Historical lectures.

Summer

### **Fort Frederica**

National Monument Brunswick Built (1736-48) by Gen. James E. Oglethorpe during the Anglo-Spanish struggle for control of what is now southeastern United States.

Tours and talks on history of Georgia

June-August

# **Ocmulgee**

National Monument Macon Remains of mounds and villages representing the cultural evolution of the Indian mound-builder civilization in the southern United States.

Ceremonies - Opening of Creek Indian village.

June 6

Creek village living history demonstrations of Indian lifeways—skin tanning, games, dances, basketry, cooking.

**Duily, in summer** 

#### Kentucky

# **Cumberland Gap**

National Historical Park Middlesboro Mountain pass of the Wilderness Road, explored by Daniel Boone. Main artery of great trans-Allegheny migration for settlement of "the Old West"; important military objective in Revolutionary and Civil Wars.

Ceremonies and programs—importance of wilderness road In colonial days.

Daily, in summer

### **Mammoth Cave**

National Park Cave City Series of underground passages; beautiful limestone, gypsum, and cave onyx formation; deep pits and high domes; river 360 feet below surface.

Founder's Day program.

August 1

"Ken-Ta-Ke": a process of livingrole of Mammoth Cave in regional history. June - September 6

Folkways of Mammoth Cave - living history demonstrations.

June - September 6

Demonstrations of nitrate mining in

June - September 6

Mammoth Cave.

Mississippi

# **Natchez Trace Parkway**

Tupelo

Historic route following general location of the old Indian trail between Nashville, Tennessee, and Natchez, Mississippi, known as the "Natchez Trace," important in early travel.

Living history - arts and crafts of historic Trace.

Weekends, April-October

# Blue Ridge Parkway

Asheville

Scenic parkway which averages 3,000 feet above sea level, following Blue Ridge Mountains, embracing several large recreational areas, and preserving mountain folk culture.

"The Road to Kings Mountain" - seminar on involvement of southern Appalachain area in the Revolution.

November

Historic recreation of folk culture in southern Appalachain area.

Weekends, September-October

"The Revolutionary Century III" - art contest.

October-December

# Cape Hatteras

National Seashore Manteo Notable for its beaches, migratory waterfowl, fishing, and points of historical interest, including the Cape Hatteras Lighthouse overlooking the "graveyard of the Atlantic." First national seashore.

Campfire programs and guided walks on the many facets of outer banks

May 30-Sept. 6

history.

Historical vignettes of North Carolina

May 30-Sept. 6

outer banks life.

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Historic walks and talks in and around Ocracoke Village.

June 1-Sept. 6

# Carl Sandburg Home

National Historic Site

"Connermara," farm home of the noted poet-author for 22 years.

American folk, music.

Daily, in summer

Programs on Carl Sandburg's famous works.

Evenings, in summer

works.

pants.

Slide show on Carl Sandburg's life.

Daily

# **Guildford Courthouse**

National Military Park Greensboro Commemorates battle on March 15, 1781, opening the campaign which led to Yorktown and the end of the Revolution.

Commemoration of historic Revolutionary battle of Guilford Courthouse.

March 15

"Ecoscene" - A unique children's program.

March - May

Campout and awards ceremonies for Boy Scout "historic trails" partici-

Saturdays, April-October

Living History demonstrations of American Revolution military June - September

camplife.

Unusual living history demonstration

June-December

of American Dragoon (cavalry) life.

Daily.

Film: "Battle of Guilford Courthouse."

June-December

"Ecoscene" - special children's pro-

Sept. 6-December

Living history - Revolutionary War military demonstrations.

Sundays, June 1-September 6

**Moores Creek** 

National Military Park Currie Scene of a battle on February 27, 1776, between North Carolina Patriots and Loyalists.

Commemoration of historic battle at Moores Creek.

18th century highland bagpipe music

in military camp setting.

Sundays, April 15-October 15

February 23

#### South Carolina

# Fort Sumter

National Monument Charleston Scene of first engagement of the Civil War, April 12, 1861; also embraces Fort Moultrie where a decisive encounter occurred on eve of the Revolution, June 28, 1776

Revolutionary War soldiers life - a living history demonstration.

Weekends, April-May Daily, June-August

# **Kings Mountain**

National Military Park Kings Mountain Site of an important victory for American frontiersmen at a critical point during the Revolution, October 7, 1780.

Annual celebration of pivotal Kings Mountain victory.

October 7

Living history program of Tory camp setting.

Weekly, June-August 1

#### **Tennessee**

# **Andrew Johnson**

National Historic Site Greeneville Home, tailor shop, and grave of the President of the United States, 1865-69.

Victorian dinner served at Brumley Hotel and candlelight tour conducted of Greeneville's and Johnson historic November 29-December 1

"Walk with the President" - tour of Greeneville's historic district and President Johnson home. March 15-December 31

How to grow a Victorian vegetable garden - Johnson Home.

June 1-October 1

# Fort Donelson

National Military Park Dover Scene of the first major victory for the Union Army in the Civil War.

Old fashioned American picnic with local crafts and music.

July 4

Exhibit of unique antique photos.

May

Campfire program - history of U.S. Flag.

May

Living history - depicting Confeder-

May - October

ate garrison's life.

# **Great Smoky Mountains**

National Park Gatlinburg

Loftiest range east of the Black Hills and one of the oldest uplands on earth.

"Sensory awareness" activities special nature discovery walks.

Daily, in summer

Folk culture of Southern Appalachains program.

Evenings, in summer

Mountain culture programs, featuring demonstrations of arts and crafts important to mountain man's life.

Daily

### **Stones River**

National Battlefield Murfreesboro

Scene of a fierce midwinter battle, December 31, 1862-January 2, 1863, which began the Federal offensive to trisect the Confederacy.

Stones River Days celebration.

December 30-January 1

Wild foods today - a visitor participation program illustrating native use of June-September 6

#### Virgin Islands

# Virgin Islands

National Park St. Thomas

Park of lush green hills, quiet coves, and white sandy beaches covering three-fourths of St. John Island.

Demonstration of historic horse operated sugar mill and rum still operations.

Daily, June-December

Virgin Islands natural environment yesterday and tomorrow - slide film program.

**Daily** 

Vital role of West Indies in the American Revolution - Slide film program.

Daily



#### **Midwest**

#### Illinois

### **Lincoln Home**

National Historic Site Springfield

As a law partner of John Todd Stuart, Lincoln bought this house in 1844 after living above a store with his wife and oldest son.

The reactivated 114th Illinois Infantry Regiment depicts a Civil War retreat ceremony in front of the home each week. June-August

#### Indiana

# George Rogers Clark

National Historical Park Vincennes Domed memorial near the site of old Fort Sackville, which was seized from the British by Lt. Col. George Rogers Clark, February 25, 1779.

Ceremonies commemorating George Rogers Clark's victory at Fort Sackville includes a nine-mile trek recreating the famous expedition by Boy Scout troops and trackmen. February 22

### **Indiana Dunes**

National Lakeshore Chesterton Several sections of clean, sandy beaches backed by huge sand dunes covered by trees and shrubs and continually being reshaped by the wind. Historically, it was important as part of a trail system.

Bicentennial-themed dedication activities upon completion of restoration project at Bailly historic site.

December

# **Lincoln Boyhood**

National Monument Lincoln City The southern Indiana farm where Abraham Lincoln grew from youth into manhood.

Demonstrations trace farming developments from colonial times to the 1800s, high-lighting changes that have occurred and the influence of rural America on the nation's culture.

April 15-October 31

#### Iowa

# **Effigy Mounds**

National Monument McGregor Along the high bluffs and lowlands in the Upper Mississippi River Valley are numerous prehistoric Indian burial mounds of a type unique in North America as they were built in the shapes of birds and other animals.

An environmental education program built around the emphasis on ethnoecology as discovered and developed by native Americans and carried forward to American pioneer cultures. May-September



FEDERAL HALL



SALEM MARITIME



WASHINGTON BIRTHPLACE



HOPEWELL VILLAGE



STATUE OF LIBERTY



COWPENS







MORRISTOWN





# **Pictured Rocks**

National Landmark Munishing Superlative scenic area on Lake Superior with multicolored sandstone cliffs, broad beaches, bars, dunes, waterfalls, inland lakes, ponds, marshes, hardwood and coniferous forests, and numerous birds and animals. First national lakeshore.

A "settler" demonstrates the building of an authentic log cabin typical of the Voyageur period in America's history, including typical crafts and daily chores.

Daily, in summer

# **Sleeping Bear Dunes**

National Landmark Frankfort Notable for its beaches, massive sand dunes, forests, and lakes; two offshore islands and Lake Michigan shore.

Evening Bicentennial campfire programs.

Daily, in summer

#### Missouri

# Jefferson National Expansion Memorial

National Historic Site St. Louis

Park in St. Louis along the Mississippi River and prize-winning 630- foot-high stainless steel arch, designed by Finnish-born American architect Eero Saarinen, commemorating the spirit of the pioneers and Western expansion of the Nation.

Martin Luther King, Jr. birthday celebration.

January 15

Ceremonies opening restored doctor's office in the Old Courthouse - an addition to the living history program.

January

Annual observance of Thomas Jefferson's birthday.

April 13

Young people's concerts, with performers from local musical groups, schools. Weekends, April-May

Law Day observance, including reenactment of historic Frank James trial in the Old Courthouse. May 1

Memorial Day celebration featuring military bands and exhibits.

May 30

Concert series by St. Louis Symphony.

Weekends, June-July

"Summer Fun at JEFF" - environmental education programs, a crafts festival, young people's concerts, kite flying contests, military bands, and puppet shows.

Daily, June-August

Premier showing of 35 mm, 30-minute color film, "The Role of St. Louis in Westward Expansion."

March-December

Cultural historical performances include Chahokia Indian Dancers.

March-December

# Wilson's Creek

National Battlefield Republic Named for the creek that crosses the area, the battle was a bitter struggle between Union and Confederate forces fighting for control of Missouri.

Authentically dressed Civil War soldiers present a living history program depicting the units in the Civil War. March-December

# **Pipestone**

National Monument Pipestone Long before the white man reached the northern plains, Indians of many tribes travelled by foot to reach the sacred pipestone quarries of southwestern Minnesota.

By using materials such as a buffalo hide, an authentic Indian tipi is being constructed.

March-December

#### Nebraska

#### **Homestead**

National Monument of America Beatrice Site of one of the first claims under the Homestead Act of 1862.

Bicentennial film festival featuring NPS areas involved directly with the Revolution.

November-December

# Scott's Bluff

National Monument Gering Scott's Bluff, an ancient landmark and later an important location on the Oregon Trail, is a massive promontory rising 800 feet above the valley floor. It was named for Hiram Scott, a fur trapper who died in the vicinity about 1828.

A living history program depicts life on the Oregon Trail, correlating the east-to-west movement to the pastto-future theme. June-August

#### Ohio

# **Mound City Group**

National Monument Chillicothe Large group of mounds built 300 B.C. to A.D. 600 by the Indians primarily as a burial place.

Evening programs featuring NPS Bicentennial areas involved directly with the Revolution; includes films, slide shows, and concerts of folk and classical music of the 1700s. Once weekly, in summer

# William Howard Taft

National Historic Site Cincinnati

Birthplace and early home of the 27th President of the United States, 1909-13; U.S. Chief Justice, 1921-30.

Commemoration of the 118th year of William Howard Taft's birth.

September 15

#### Wisconsin

# **Apostle Islands**

National Lakeshore Bayfield Twenty picturesque islands and an 11-mile strip of adjacent Bayfield Peninsula along south shore of Lake Superior.

Professional photographic exhibit of well-known national parks.

Daily, in summer

# **Rocky Mountain**

#### **Arizona**

# Glen Canyon

National Recreation Area Page Lake Powell formed by the Colorado River behind one of the highest dams in the world.

Living history demonstrations, including construction and use of Navajo hogan; cooking, weaving, basket-making and pottery.

Daily, in summer

# **Pipe Spring**

National Monument Moccasin Historic fort and other structures built by Mormon pioneers. Memorializes the struggle for exploration and settlement of the Southwest.

Living history interpretation of historical farm, including quilting, candle making, spinning, carpet weaving, and gardening.

Daily, in summer

#### Colorado

### **Bent's Old Fort**

National Historic Site LaJunta Principal outpost of civilization on the Southern Plains and a rendezvous for Indians; one of the most significant fur-trading posts of the West.

Living history demonstrations of life and customs in the very old west at this famous fur-trading post.

Daily, in summer

# Florissant Fossil Beds

Național Monument Florissant Wealth of fossil insects, seeds, and leaves of Oligocene Period preserved in perfect detail; also remarkable display of standing petrified sequoia stumps.

Living history interpretation of 1870 and 1890 homestead dwellings.

Daily, in summer

# **Rocky Mountain**

National Park Estes Park Rich in scenery; Trail Ridge Road sightseeing on the Continental Divide; 107 named peaks over 11,000 feet; wildlife; wildflowers; 410 miles of the Rockies Front Range.

Living history interpretations at William A. White Cabin and at Holzwarth Ranch of life in the Rocky Mountains in the early 20th century.

Daily, in summer

#### Montana

# **Bighorn Canyon**

National Recreation Area Fort Smith

A 71-mile-long reservoir created by Yellowtail Dam on the Bighorn River; extends 47 miles through spectacular Bighorn Canyon. The Crow Indian Reservation borders a large part of the area.

Living history demonstrations of the many contributions to the nation of the American Indian culture.

Daily, in summer

# **Custer Battlefield**

National Monument Crow Agency Site of the famous Battle of the Little Bighorn, on June 25-26, 1876, between five companies of the 7th U.S. Cavalry and the Sioux and Northern Cheyenne Indians, in which Lt. Col. George A. Custer and about 268 of his force were killed.

Historic photos contest.

Daily, in summer

Documentary film.

Daily

# **Glacier**

National Park West Glacier Great tidewater glaciers and examples of early stages of postglacial forests; rare species of wildlife.

Indian cultural demonstrations at St. Mary's Visitor Center.

Daily, in summer

#### **North Dakota**

# **Fort Union Trading Post**

National Historic Site Medora Ruins of the principal fur-trading depot in the Upper Missouri River region from 1828 to 1867.

Indian crafts demonstrations, featuring bead and quill work, painting, and leathercraft.

Daily, in summer

### Theodore Roosevelt

National Memorial Park Medora Scenic badlands along Little Missouri River and part Theodore Roosevelt's Elkhorn Ranch; contains bison and original prairie.

Living history interpretation and Indian crafts demonstrations at the Elkhorn Ranch and Roosevelt's cabin.

Daily, in summer

#### Utah

# **Bryce Canyon**

National Park Bryce Canyon Contains perhaps the most colorful and unusual erosional forms in the world. In horeshoe-shaped amphitheaters along the edge of the Paunsaugunt Plateau of southern Utah stand innumerable highly colored and grotesque pinnacles, walls, and spires.

Living history program.

Daily, in summer

# Capitol Reef

National Park Torrey Sixty-mile uplift of sandstone cliffs with highly colored sedimentary formations dissected by narrow highwalled gorges. Dome-shaped whitecap rock along the Fremont River accounts for the name.

Special children's programs.

Weekends

# Golden Spike

National Historic Site Corinne

Commemorates completion, in 1869 of the first trancontinental railroad in the United States.

Living history programs.

Daily, in summer

### **Devils Tower**

National Monument Devils Tower

An 865-foot tower of columnar rock, the remains of a volcanic intrusion. First national monument.

Climbing demonstrations.

**Twice Daily** 

### Fort Laramie

National Historic Site Fort Laramie

Site of fur-trade post and surviving buildings of a major military post guarding covered-wagon trails to the West, 1834-90.

Old fashioned Fourth of July celebrations.

July 4

Military band day concert.

**August** 

Arrival of Bicentennial wagon train

over historic Oregon Trail.

October 1

Arrival of Bicentennial wagon train from the Dakotas.

**November 3** 

# **Grand Teton**

National Park

Series of peaks comprising the most impressive part of the Teton Range; once a noted landmark of Indians and "Mountain Men." Includes part of Jackson Hole, winter feeding ground of largest American elk herd.

Living history demonstrations at five locations representing key stages in the areas history.

Daily, in summer

**Grand Teton** 



#### **Southwest**

#### **Texas**

### Chamizal

National Memorial El Paso Memorializes the peaceful settlement by the Chamizal Treaty (signed 1963) of a 99-year boundary dispute betweenthe United States and Mexico. On Cordova Island in the Rio Grande.

Varied musical and folk festival programs, with special evening amphitheater performances.

July 4-5

Third Annual Border Folk Festival, featuring Bicentennial themes.

October 3-5

"Arts Across the Border" conference involving leaders in the arts from U.S. and Mexico.

November 5-7

# **Fort Davis**

National Historic Site near Alpine

Key post in the West Texas defensive system; from 1854 to 1891 guarded emigrants on the San Antonio-El Paso road.

Recreating historic Military Field Patrol march from Fort Davis to Van Horn Wells via original Overland Trail.

March 25-27

Special old fashioned Independence Day celebration in cooperation with Fort Davis Historical Society. July 4

Fort Davis



### **Pacific Northwest**

#### California

#### Lava Beds

National Monument Tulelake Unusual exhibits of volcanic activity; principal theater of Modoc Indian War, 1872-73.

Evening campfire programs comparing historic Modoc Indian War for self determination to Americans' fight for independence.

June 15-September 1

#### Idaho

### **Nez Perce**

National Historical Park Spalding Preserves, commemorates, and interprets the history and culture of the Nez Perce Indian Country.

Living history programs: Nez Perce Indian, mountain man, and pioneer spinning/weaving demonstrations.

Daily, in summer

#### Oregon

# **Crater Lake**

National Park Crater Lake Lake of unique blue in heart of once-active volcano; encircled by multicolored lava walls 500 to 2,000 feet high.

Living history presentation featuring a "prospector" telling of his discovery of the Lake and his quest for gold.

Presented several times on Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday; July-Aug.

# **Oregon Caves**

National Monument

Cave passages in limestone with intricate flowstone formations.

Bicentennial campfire program, emphasizing the American pioneering spirit which led to the discovery of Oregon Caves. Tuesdays, July-August

# Fort Clatsop

National Memorial Astoria Here in 1805-6 Lewis and Clark wintered after their epoch-making journey from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean. In December construction of winter quarters began, by Christmas Eve the party was under shelter. Fort was named for the friendly local Indian Tribe, the Clatsops.

Living history demonstrations of frontier lifestyle of Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Duily, June 15-September 1

Historical talks on interrelationships betwen Thomas Jefferson, Lewis and Clark, and the American Revolution.

By arrangement, on and offsite anytime: Sept. 1-December

Exhibit: 200 years of American philosophy and ideals - American Revolution, Lewis and Clark and the present

By arrangement, Sept.-December

### **North Cascades**

National Park Sedro Woolley Wild alpine region of jagged peaks, mountain lakes, glaciers, plant and animal communities.

Off-site film/lecture series coupled with summer campfire programs, featuring the exploration, development, and use.

Daily, in summer

### San Juan Island

National Historical Park Friday Harbor Commemorates the peaceful relations maintained by the United States, Great Britain, and Canada since 1872 boundary dispute here. Includes English and American campsites.

Old Fashioned Fourth of July celebration.

July 4

### **Mount Rainier**

National Park Longmire Greatest single-peak glacial system in the conterminous United States radiating from the summit and slopes of an ancient volcano; dense forests; subalpine flowered meadows.

Special Bicentennial audiovisual programs.

July 1-September 5

Bicentennial exhibits and displays at

Bicentennial skits and playlets.

June-December

park visitor centers.

Weekends, July-August

# Fort Vancouver

National Historic Site Vancouver

Western headquarters of the Hudson's Bay Company, 1825-49; the hub of trading activities and seat of political and military reservation, 1849-1949.

Bicentennial Wagon Train Pilgramage westward to east coast—two day layover.

June 28-29-75

Historic dramatic presentations, similar to those enjoyed by Fort Vancou-

Weekends, July 12-

ver residents in 1845.

September 14

Large Independence Day fireworks demonstration and craft fair.

July 4

# **Whitman Mission**

National Historic Site Walla Walla

Site where Dr. and Mrs. Marcus Whitman ministered to spiritual and physical needs of Indians until slain by a few of them in 1847; landmark on Oregon Trail.

Living history demonstrations of wool spinning and other pioneer crafts.

Weekends, in May and September; Daily, June-August

Crater Lake



#### Western

#### **Arizona**

# Casa Grande Ruins

National Monument Coolidge Ruins of a massive four-story building constructed of desert soil by Indians who farmed the Gila Valley 600 years ago.

Reenactment of the de Anza Expedition of 1775 from Mexico to Monterey, Calif.

October 31

### Coronado

National Memorial Hereford Commemorates first European exploration of the Southwest, by Francisco Vasquez de Coronado in 1540-42, and provides a view of a part of the route by which Coronado's expedition entered what is now the United States.

International Historic Pageant - program of Hispanic - Indian folk music, dance, pageantry, and historical soliloquy, plus crafts and cultural demonstrations.

April 13

# Grand Canyon, North Rim

National Park Grand Canyon Most spectacular part of the Colorado River's greatest canyon, 217 miles long and 4 to 18 miles wide.

Living history demonstration of Paiute Indian beadwork and crafts.

July 1-Sept. 1

### **Petrified Forest**

National Park Painted Desert Extensive natural exhibit of petrified woods; Indian ruins and petroglyphs; portion of colorful Painted Desert.

Bicentennial Travel Center will provide travelers with information on Bicentennial activities and events scheduled in California, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, and Colorado. Travel Center also includes cultural display room and exhibits.

March-December

### **Tumacacori**

National Monument Tumacacori Historic Spanish Catholic mission building near the site first visited by Jesuit Father Kino in 1691.

Reenactment of the de Anza Expedition, which travelled from Tubac to California.

October 21

December Fiesta, featuring domestic arts and crafts, plus folk and ethnic activities.

December 7

# Tuzigoot / Montezuma Castle

National Monuments
Clarkdale & Camp Verde

Prehistoric ruins and burial grounds, as well as Pueblo cliff dwelling recall ancient Indian lifestyles in colorful Verde Valley.

Cultural demonstrations showing the native Indian arts of 200 years ago.

Weekends, June 1-Sept1

#### Cabrillo

National Monument San Diego Memorial to Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo, Portuguese explorer, who discovered the west coast of the United States for Spain in 1542.

Cabrillo Festival, featuring reenactment of Cabrillo's landing at Point Loma, plus flagraising ceremonies, and art contests.

September 21-28

"Voyage of Discovery" - unique audiovisual program on the Spanish contribution to the discovery of the New World. Daily, Jan. - Dec.

Special multimedia Bicentennial program.

Daily, June 15-Sept. 1

"A Second Century" - a multi-media program exploring the world of our national parks and the beginning of their second century. Daily

"A Tale of Eight Lights" - unusual multimedia program on the old Point Loma Lighthouse.

Daily, June 15 September 1

Living history demonstrations of early art and crafts at old Point Loma Lighthouse.

Tuesday, through Friday, and every other Sunday March-December

**Death Valley** 

National Monument Furnace Creek Large desert almost surrounded by high mountains; contains lowest point in Western Hemisphere; famous in history of the West.

Historical talks on the U.S. Government's pioneering scientific and military expeditions in Death Valley, 1860-1891.

Daily, November -December

Talks and tales on miners and mining

in old Death Valley.

Daily, November -December

**Golden Gate** 

National Recreation Area San Francisco

Superb scenic entrance to San Francisco Bay and cities of Oakland and San Francisco with many beaches, forested ridges, and historic forts.

Concerts in the park - series of unique ethnic performing arts presentations.

April-October

Folk Festival - folk dance and music of major Western ethnic groups.

September

John Muir

National Historic Site Martinez

John Muir House and adjacent Martinez Adobe commemorating Muir's contribution to conservation and literature.

Tours through Muir's home highlight his unique contribution to America's conservation heritage.

Daily

**Cultural demonstrations at the Martinez Adobe:** 

Mexican heritage exhibits and dance demonstrations.

Weekends, March-April

State and regional parks exhibits.

Weekends, May-June

Demonstrations of 19th century home

**July-August** 

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September-October

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### Joshua Tree

National Monument Twentynine Palms Representative stand of Joshua-trees; great variety of desert plants and animals, including the desert bighorn.

Guided tours of Desert Queen Ranch and living history demonstration of mining and ranching life. Weekends, October 18-December

### Lassen Volcanic

National Park Mineral Lassen Peak, only recently active volcano in conterminous United States, erupted between 1914 and 1921; impressive volcanic phenomena.

Living history pioneer encampment activities as they might have occurred on a wagon train crossing historic Nobles' Emigrant Trail in the 1850's.

July - September

Local residents share with park visitors their first-hand recollections of early pioneers and settlement of the region

region.

June-September

Park commemoration and open house.

August 9

# Sequoia-Kings Canyon

National Park Three Rivers Great groves of giant sequoias, world's largest and among the oldest living things; magnificent High Sierra scenery, including Mount Whitney (14,494 feet), highest mountain in conterminous United States.

"Those That Made America" - series of old-fashioned campfire programs concerning such personalities as Fremont, Muir, and Twain at Campground No. Four, Cedar Grove, Kings Canyon.

July 1-September 1

#### **Yosemite**

National Park Yosemite Valley Mountainous region of unusual beauty seen from Tioga Road; Yosemite Valley and other inspiring gorges; Nation's highest waterfall; three groves of giant sequoias.

Indian living history and visitor involvement program, highlighting native Miwok arts and crafts. Daily, July-September 1

#### Hawaii

# City of Refuge

National Historical Park Honaunau, Kona Until 1819, vanquished Hawaiian warriors, noncombatants, and taboo breakers escaped death if they reached this sacred ground. Prehistoric house sites; royal fishponds; coconut groves; spectacular shore scenery.

Living history program on ancient Hawalian culture.

Daily

Hawaiian cultural festival.

One week in July

### Haleakala

National Park Hana, Maui World-famous 10,023-foot Haleakala volcano (dormant), with large and colorful crater in which grows a species of the rare silverword; Kipahulu Valley; Seven Pools; native and migratory birdlife.

Kipahulu living farm program at Seven Pools, showing the lifestyle of old Hawaii.

Daily

#### Hawaii Volcanoes

National Park Kalapana, Kilauea Scene of impressive active volcanism on the island of Hawaii; luxuriant vegetation at lower elevations; rare plants and animals.

Living history program on the ancient people of Kalapana - includes demonstrations on lauhala weaving, making of grapefruit poi, ancient hulas, and instruction in ancient hulas and the Hawaiian language. Daily, July - December

Park artist at the Volcano Art Center demonstrates crafts and leads artists' walks.

July-December

#### Puukohola Heiau

National Historic Site Kawaihae Stone-constructed Hill of the Whale Temple, built in 1791 by King Kamehameha the Great during his rise to power; also two other heiaus and ruins of John Young's house.

Living history and interpretive talk on King Kamehameha's rise to power.

5 days a week, June-September

#### Nevada

### **Lehman Caves**

National Monument Baker Caverns of light-gray and white limestone, honeycombed by tunnels and galleries decorated with stalactites and stalagmites.

Campfire programs on the Bicentennial.

Weekends, May 30-September 1

Snake Valley Reunion - dance (Fri. night), picnic (Sat.), and old-timers barbeque (Sun.).

August 29-31

#### City of Refuge



