

## ~ Final 2009 Schedule ~

### **FIELD MUSIC 1st PENNSYLVANIA RESERVE VOLUNTEER CORPS** **and MAYTOWN 1860 CENTENNIAL BAND**

*Proudly portrayed by B.S.A. Troop 53 Fife & Drum Corps and Venture Crew 53*

- January 18      **US Volunteers Rehearsal and Recording Session** Lambertville NJ (near New Hope PA)  
*CD now available!*
- January 31      **Cub Pack 150 Pinewood Derby**, performance Waldorf School Gym, Marietta 8:45-9:45 am
- March 7        **Troop 53/Crew53 Ski Roundtop trip**
- March 26-29    **Troop/Crew All Night Bowling** *Friday night*  
**PRVC School of the Battalion** *left early Saturday AM for Old Bedford Village, Bedford PA*
- May 16        **USV Rehearsal for Arlington and Lincoln Memorial performances** - Lambertville N.J.
- May 23        **Mt Joy Memorial “Day” Parade** mid-afternoon
- May 25        **Kennett Square Memorial Day Parade followed by Cemetery Service** 10 am - noon  
**Maytown American Legion Parade, Maytown PA** 5:00 p.m.
- May 29-30     **Lincoln Memorial Rededication on the National Mall and 145<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemoration of Arlington at Tomb of the Civil War Unknowns** -Major USV event in our Nation’s Capitol as guest performers of the US Park Service
- June 13-14    **Camp Geiger** LH Whitehall PA (Allentown) -53 PVI Nat’l Reg’t & 88<sup>th</sup> PVI  
*Small group of Fife & Drum and the Civil War strings attended Saturday only. See <http://www.campgeiger.org>*
- June 20        **Lebanon County Fireman’s Parade** Lebanon PA – *We were a hit!*
- June 21-27    **Troop 53 at BSA CAMP RODNEY** (Troop fifers to play at retreat and campfire)
- July 13        **FDC and Venture Crew Family Picnic** hosted by the Fry’s in Manheim—food and music til later in the evening. Music was a hit with the neighbors including visiting Amish from nearby farms.
- July 17-19    **Deep River Ancient Muster** Deep River CT-- While a group activity was not possible a few members attended and performed with other FDC units
- July 29        **Lancaster Chamber Dinner -Maytown 1860 Centennial Band** (Civil War strings)  
played at the after-dinner reception
- Aug 22        **Gettysburg Music “Muster”** Civil War music performances sponsored by the Nat’l Park Service. We were spectators at this optional event –several FDC families attended
- Sept 13        **Gettysburg NMP** LH -53 PVI National Regiment weekend at the PA Monument. Performed for Park visitors and at the Historic Dobbin House in town. (FDC attended on Sunday only due to severe weather)
- Sept 27        **Pig Iron Festival, Marietta Restoration Associates-** River Park, Marietta PA (afternoon performance)
- Oct 9-11      **US Army 3<sup>rd</sup> Inf. “Old Guard” Fife and Drum Corps JR Workshop**, Arlington VA  
*Great annual event at Fort Myer. We are regular attendees. <http://www.army.mil/fifeanddrum>*
- Nov.20-22    **Remembrance Day on Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> in Gettysburg PA** with weekend festivities.  
Friday Dobbin House Jam Session; Sat. morning Memorial March around Little Roundtop w/ PRVC; afternoon Grand Parade in Gettysburg w/ USV; Sat. evening Civil War Ball; Sunday Jam Session at Devil’s Den with the musicians of the N.J. 7<sup>th</sup>
- December 5    **Troop 53/Venture 53 Crew Reading Rocks Trip** indoor climbing walls
- December 8    **Maytown Historical Society Holiday Dinner -Maytown 1860 Centennial Band**  
evening performance at the Gathering Place, Mount Joy
- December 20   **Venture Crew 53 Ski Roundtop trip-** *best ski conditions ever!*

## NOTES:

This list of 24 events for 2009 include both FDC and Centennial Band performances as well as special activities like skiing and rock climbing; but the list does not include Venture Crew meetings or FDC practices.

The PRVC voted to make us their official Field Music in 2008. 53<sup>rd</sup> PVI and other National Regiment units have been very good to us at their events and great fun. USV has a great group of musicians and is our new "parent" reenactor organization on a probationary basis. LH = Living History; SP = State Park; NMP = National Military Park; PRVC = Penna Reserve Volunteer Corps or PA Reserve Battalion (org. of PRVC units including us); USV = United States Volunteers (Reenactor org); PVI = PA Volunteer Infantry; Nat'l Reg't = National Regiment (Reenactor org)

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