

## **Dear History Heroes and Parents/Guardians,**

Our History Heroes Summer Program is finally here! We are excited that you are going to join us this summer. We have been hard at work planning this year's program and the last thing we need is **YOU!** The helpers are ready, the plans are being finalized and now we are ready for five days filled with fun.

This letter will fill our campers and their parents/guardians in on everything you need to know about our I Survived the Civil War... program.

During the program, our History Heroes will be learning an array of historical information, all while having some fun too. Topics include everything from Civil War soldiers' lives to those of women and children at home, and even President Abraham Lincoln.

We also invite parents and guardians to get in on the fun during our End of Program celebration on Saturday, July 29th. Please let us know if you plan on joining us showing off our Civil War knowledge. Our staff is just as excited as you are to be here this summer and we're pretty sure you'll even make some new friends along the way! Parents/Guardians, included with this letter is a list of drop off and pick up times, a packing list, and our Camp Dress Code. We would like you and your History Heroes to look over this together and please come to any of our staff if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Dunn, Program Coordinator  
Ryan Duffy, Executive Director

## **Drop Off/Pick Up Times**

**DROP OFF** will be at **10:00AM**.

**\*\*Please do not arrive any earlier than 9:30AM unless pre-arranged with staff\*\***

**PICK UP** will be at **3:00PM**.

## **Emergencies**

In case of an emergency, please contact the museum at **585-343-4727**. **You can also call the Director on his cell phone at 716-432-9172**. In any case that there is an emergency with your student, we will contact you using the information provided on registration forms as soon as possible.

## **Important Reminders**

- Bring refillable disposable water bottles.
- Have your History Heroes “sun-screened” and ready to go.
- DO wear close-toed, comfortable shoes.
- Please pack a sack lunch.
- Do wear your History Heroes Camp shirt each day. That will be distributed.
- Parents and Grandparents are invited to join us on the last day for an end of the week celebration of the Civil War.

# **A History Hero's Daily Schedule**

Itinerary subject to weather conditions.

## **TUESDAY, JULY 25TH**

HLOM tour: Intro to the Museum, Scavenger Hunt

Introduction to the Civil War

Giving out of T-Shirts

Civil War Soldiers

## **WEDNESDAY, JULY 26TH**

Women During the Civil War

Clothing

The Home Front of the Civil War

## **THURSDAY, JULY 27TH**

Children During the Civil War

Games & Toys of the 1860s

## **FRIDAY, JULY 28TH**

President Abraham Lincoln

Life of the President & Family

## **SATURDAY, JULY 29TH**

End of Program Celebration

Sharing the week of the Civil War

Parents and Grandparents Invited