



Top Ten Reasons

To Register **NOW** for the 2020/21 Annual Meeting

Reason Number One: Limited Slots Available

- The Governor's COVID restrictions limit us to 35% of meeting room capacity, or max of 150 registrants.
- The Crowne Plaza is limiting us to 25%, or 100 registrants in our 400-person-capacity meeting room.
- We have 60+ people still registered from 2020.



"Only 40 slots remain before we reach 100 registrants.

Reason Number Two: "Ten Crucial Days" Theme

 Honoring the actions of George Washington and his men, who risked life and limb to help found this republic

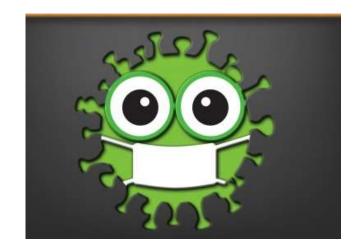
It's time to face down our challenges and come together to honor Washington's efforts

• Field Trip to Washington's Crossing (PA & NJ), Trenton, Assunpink Creek, Princeton



Reason Number Three: Safety Precautions

- Special nametag stickers for those with proof of vaccination or negative COVID test.
- Masks and PPE for all attendees to be worn in all public areas.
- Daily temperature checks as you enter conference area
- Social distancing in all meeting rooms and modified nocontact food service
- Benefits of International Hotel Groups' "Clean Promise" procedures https://www.ihg.com/content/ihg/hotels/en_US/brand/custome r-care/clean-promise.html



We're doing everything we can to promote a safe meeting.

Reason Number Four: Exceptional Lectures

- "The Mud Rounds: The British Invasion and the Great Retreat Across the Jerseys" by Todd Braisted
- "The Great War, What the Doughboys Told Me" by Karen L. MacNutt, LTC Ret.
- "Pennsylvania's Defenses, 1775- 1781" by Joseph Seymour
- "Colonial Medicine 1775" by Robert Jaffee, MD
- "Guadalcanal: A 75th Anniversary Visit to the Battlefields" by Mike Gill
- "Ten Days of the Revolution: A 'Southron' View" by Lawrence E. Babits
- "Depictions of the Common Soldier in the Parlor Music of Civil War America" by Emily Lapisardi
- "Uniquely American: The Practice of Engraving Captured Cannon" by Leslie D. Jensen
- "Regimental Flags of the German 'Mercenaries' in the War of the American Revolution" by Steven W. Hill

"This meeting is a military material culture must"

Reason Number Five: Optional Field Trips

Thursday

- Shopping & Shooting
- Spouse-Scursion to Mercer Museum & Fonthill Castle

Sunday

- NJ National Guard Militia Museum
- Museum of the American Revolution









Reason Number Six: Remote Registration Option

If you cannot travel, you can still participate: we will broadcast live videoconference (live):

- Annual meeting
- 11 lectures
- Tour of Exhibits
- Program portions of Welcome Reception and Banquet

The above items will be videotaped and (after editing) made available online to remote registrants.

We are **also** planning 15-minute slots in which remote attendees can introduce themselves and 'show & tell' items from their collections



Remote Registration is Only \$100

Reason Number Seven: Focus on Fellows and "Old Guard"

 Recognition of "Old Guard" in program portion of Welcome Reception and Annual Banquet

- Special Fellows Event on Wednesday includes:
 - Workshop "Balancing Energy and Enthusiasm: Responsible Care, Repair and Conservation" by Hermes Knauer, Conservator Emeritus at MET
 - Dinner on your own or with group
 - Presentation"Drumbeats Through History" by J. Craig Nannos, Military History and Material Culture Specialist



Hermes Knauer



Reason Number Eight: Registration Options

Registration Options	Price	Lectures	Field Trip	Banquet	Other Meals
Full	\$275	٧	٧	٧	٧
Recruit/Recruiter	\$250	٧	٧	٧	٧
No Banquet	\$225	٧	٧		٧
Cadet	\$175	٧	٧		
Remote	\$100	٧			
Banquet Only	\$80			٧	

There's sure to be an option to meet your needs.

Reason Number Nine: Silent Auction, Exhibits, Flea Market

- Flea Market: Flea market with tables of bargains
- **Exhibits:** Educational exhibits including exceptional artifacts from the American Revolution on...
- **Silent Auction:** Everybody makes mistakes! Pack them up. Bring them along. Donate them to the Silent Auction. Think about what you can do with the space you free up!

Turn your burdens into blessings for CMH.



Reason Number Ten: Location, Location, Location

- Crowne Plaza Princeton Conveniently located between NYC/Newark and Philadelphia
- Accessible by
 - AMTRAK.
 - NJTransit and
 - (vi Trenton) **SEPTA**,
- Hotel is less than five miles from **Princeton** Junction transit hub

