JEFFERSON BARRACKS CHAPTER COMPANY OF MILITARY HISTORIANS





NEXT MEETING

MONDAY, APRIL 4, AT 7 P.M.

IN THE PAVILION AT LEMAY

JEFFERSON BARRACKS COUNTY PARK

305 GREGG ROAD, LEMAY, MISSOURI

PRESENTATION:

ZOUAVES,

FOR THE UNION AND OTHERWISE

PRESENTED BY

KEVIN LONERGAN

THE PROGRAM IS FREE TO THE PUBLIC.

Originating as light infantry regiments in the French Army in the 1830s the reputation of the Zouaves lead to the formation of Zouave units in the North and South during the Antebellum period and the outbreak of the American Civil War. The talk will give a brief description of the origins and popularity of the Zouaves and then provide a slide presentation of various examples of the Zouaves in photos and art.

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