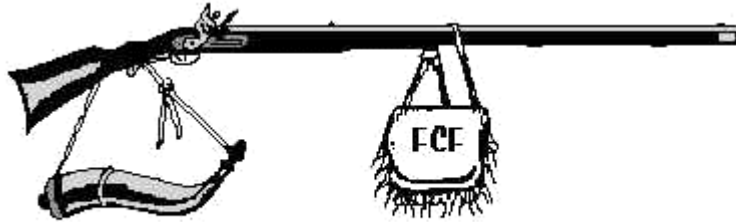
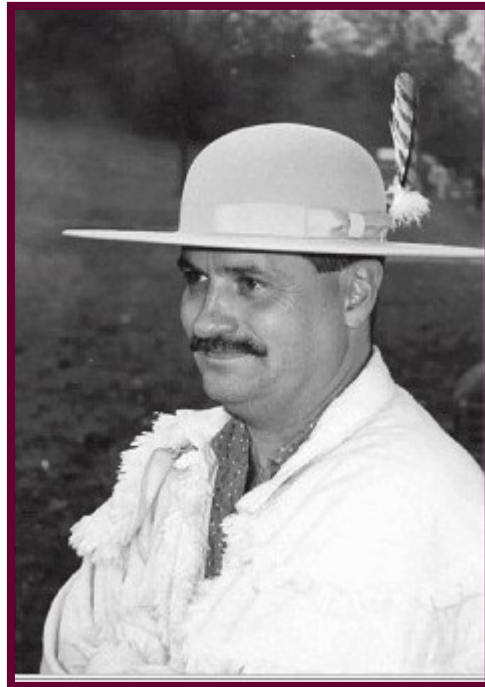


George Washington Chapter



2009 FCF Spring Trace



Guest Speaker:
National FCF President
Paul “Grey Owl” Walters

May 1, 2 & 3, 2009

2009 FCF Trace Schedule

<u>Friday</u>	Registration as soon as possible with Company Clerk	
	5:00pm	Dinner
	8:00 – 8:30pm	Evening devotion in camp
	11:00pm	Quiet time & Fellowship

Please move vehicles out of camp as soon as possible

<u>Saturday</u>	9:00 – 9:30am	Morning Assembly /Devotion
	10:00am	Buckskin testing begins
	10:00 – 12:00pm	Competitions / Swap Time
	12:00 – 1:00pm	Lunch
	1:00 – 3:30pm	Competition / Swap Time
	3:30 – 4:00pm	Business meeting
	4:00 – 5:00pm	Love blanket / Auction
	5:00 – 8:30pm	Dinner / Fellowship Time
	8:30 – 8:45pm	Buckskin Ceremony
	8:45pm - ???	Council Fire / Communion / Devotion (Bring a cup for communion)
	11:00pm	Fellowship & quiet time
<u>Sunday</u>	9:00am	Closing Devotion
	9:30am	Presentations and Prizes
	11:00am	Pack up and head home

Changes to the schedule or special announcements will be made prior to devotions each day

Event Location: Penn-Del Royal Ranger Camp, Honey Grove, PA

Event Registration:

Registration Fee:	Young Bucks (Boys under 18)	\$ 13.00 (on or before April 16 th) \$ 15.00 (after April 16 th)
	Frontiersman/Old Timers	\$ 18.00 (on of before April 16 th) \$ 20.00 (after April 16 th)
Annual FCF Dues	Young Bucks	\$ 7.50
	Old Timers	\$ 15.00

All members and new members that have not yet paid their 2009 dues should do so at this event. The deadline for dues was January 31, 2009. Dues for 2010 can also be paid and are due by January 31, 2010.

A big thanks to everyone for coming to Spring Trace!

Mark 'Broken Lance' Lance

Competitions: Hawk and knife throw, rifle shoot, flint and steel and more.

Frontier Auction: Our frontier auction is not only a lot of fun, but it is a good way to raise funds for our chapter and missionaries. The success or failure of the auction solely depends on you! Please bring good items to donate. We would really like to see donations of some of the items you have been making at your chosen frontier craft, or items you have outgrown or no longer use. These items not only result in some lively bidding, but they also tend to encourage others to develop their own frontier trade.

Permission Slips and Medical Treatment Forms: Please make sure you have signed permission slips and medical release forms for all boys under age 18.

Staff and Men: ALL STAFF AND MEN ATTENDING THE EVENT MUST BE CLEARED BY THEIR LOCAL CHURCH. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CHURCH TO CONDUCT BACKGROUND CHECKS AND HAVE REFERENCES FOR ALL LEADERS AND MEN. LEADERS WHO ARE NOT ON FILE WITH THEIR CHURCH AND HAVE NOT BEEN CLEARED BY THEIR CHURCH WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO STAY IN THE CAMP. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT DISTRICT DIRECTOR GREG SCOTT.

Camp Setup: to help maintain the Frontier theme of this event, please make an effort to keep all modern camping equipment out of sight. This would include all plastics, including rope, aluminum, coolers, gas lanterns & stoves, flashlights, etc.

Parking: Immediately after unloading, please return your vehicle(s) to the designated parking area.

Medical Emergencies: All campers with medical problems should be taken to the First Aid station for immediate attention. Please register all prescription medications with the individual assigned to the First Aid Station. This will aid in emergencies and prevent any questions of controlled substance abuse.

Competition: We will have prizes awarded in three age groups, Young Bucks (12-18), Old Timers (19-101). The practice of borrowing items for outfit judging will no longer be tolerated. Also, PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR FCF SHOOTERS CARD, SHOOTERS PERMISSION SLIP (Young Bucks), AND EYE AND EAR PROTECTION IF YOU PLAN ON SHOOTING!!!

Swap Time: Bring along your patches, craft projects or other trade items you have to swap. You will always find someone to trade with you. Leaders and older boys, please remember that many of the younger boys may not understand the value of some items. It is up to you to make sure all trades are fair. Young Bucks buying or trading knives must have a signed permission slip.

FCF Skills: All members should have or should develop a Frontier Skill or Trade to pursue. There are numbers to choose from. We are encouraging all members to have a trade to demonstrate at this event. And remember, Young Bucks make good apprentices.

Buckskin: Anyone having completed the prerequisites for Buckskin can take the Buckskin exam at the Trace. Check your handbook for the requirements for Buckskin!

Trapper's Brigade: Trappers brigade points will be collected each year at the Trace. Applications can be turned in all day Saturday and pins will be presented Saturday night. You can obtain application on the District FCF website!

Distribute the Wealth (From the Chairman's Quill)

At our FCF 2008 Spring Trace our speaker, Pastor Jack Belin, challenged us to distribute the wealth and to help others who have needs. Many of us have things just lying around that we don't use or have duplicate items of. There are those in our fellowship that do not have what they need to be an active and participating member of the FCF or cannot afford such items. Young bucks just starting out find it discouraging to not to have the things they need to enhance their experience as an FCF member. Let's heed Pastor Jack Belin's challenge and give to others in need those things that we can do without and/or never use. The key word here is GIVE, which is part of the FCF motto. We have the Love blanket and the chapter auction and they are both great things. The Love blanket shows our appreciation for those we care about and gives honor to them. The auction raises funds for the chapter and for missionaries we support. However, let's bring items to give to 20 others in need with no strings attached and not to sell. It doesn't have to be to someone you know or affiliated with your outpost, but someone with a need. Just look around, they're everywhere. If you don't know or can't find them just ask your chapter staff and they'll point you in the right direction.

FCF Members Workday

There are two workdays scheduled for this spring at the Penn-Del Royal Ranger Camp, April 18th and June 6th. Your help to get the camp ready for the Spring Trace and the District Powwow is vitally important and needed. The second part of the FCF motto is "To Serve". At the past workdays we have had little participation from the FCF members. Here is your chance. At the East Division Fall Camporee our Chairman, Greg "North Arrow" Scott, challenged us when he said "this program and our camp will only be as good as we make it." What do you want it to be? See you there.

Black Powder Muzzleloader Class

George Washington Chapter FCF Blackpowder Muzzleloader Class
Only scheduled class thru Chapter this year

Friday May 1, 2009, 8:30 am start

Cost - \$20.00

First 12 pre-registered

Register thru John 'Sassafras' Plante Johnr003@aol.com or (610) 253-9466

Let John know if you have your own gun and equipment or borrowing or sharing them

Contact Doug Tyger for equipment list dtyger@windstream.net or (814) 594-6238

Bring your own lunch.

Thanks,

Doug 'BigCat' Tyger



Permission Slip

Event George Washington Chapter FCF 2009 Spring Trace

Location Penn-Del Royal Ranger Camp, Honey Grove, PA

Date of Event May 1-3, 2009

I hereby authorize _____ (My child or ward) to accompany the Royal Rangers and/or FCF to the event described above on the date listed above. I understand the arrangements and feel adequate precautions and preparations for the safety of my child or ward have been and will continue to be taken. I will not hold the local church or its leaders, the George Washington Chapter of the Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship, nor the Penn-Del District Council of the Assemblies of God responsible for any accidents that may occur. I certify that I have completed and filed an accurate "Emergency Medical Information and Treatment Authorization" form with my local Outpost and give consent, in the event that all reasonable attempts to contact me have been unsuccessful, for the administration of any treatment deemed necessary by the appropriate licensed dentist, physician, or emergency medical personnel. I understand insurance will be provided for the event and that there will be an emergency First Aid station on location.

Signature of parent/guardian: _____ Date: _____

Home Phone No.: _____ Cell Phone No.: _____

Emergency Medical Information and Treatment Authorization

CONSENT FOR CHILD'S NECESSARY OR UNEXPECTED OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL AND DENTAL HEALTH OR HOSPITAL SERVICES

I, _____, parent and legal guardian of _____
 (name of parent or guardian) (name of child)
 born, _____, hereby authorize _____ or any person or agency
 (name of agency)

acting as the agent of _____ and give my consent for necessary or unexpected or emergency medical or dental health and/or hospital services for the care of my child.

This consent and authorization is valid for the above named minor during the period from _____ to _____.

This document shall be presented to a physician, dentist or appropriate hospital representative at such time as necessary, unexpected or emergency medical or dental health or hospital services may be required.

CHILD'S FULL NAME	DATE OF BIRTH

SIGNATURE	RELATIONSHIP	PHONE NO.
WITNESS	DATE	

The following are necessary medical or dental health or hospital services (For example: medication, allergy shots - this does not exclude emergency medical treatment as authorized above), which _____ is authorized to perform or obtain:

- _____ (name of agency)
1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____

It is understood that _____ will contact the parent/guardian
 (name of agency)

immediately to inform them of the child's condition and of all emergency or unexpected medical, dental, health or hospital services. If it is possible and will not cause any deterioration or worsening of undue risk or pain to my child, all surgical proceedings shall be at notice to me.

The following is the hospitalization coverage for my child _____
 (name of insurance company)

_____ and my child's family physician _____
 Physicians phone _____

The following information will also help to expedite the care:

PAST HEALTH PROBLEMS:

ALLERGIES: (also include allergies to drugs)

CURRENT MEDICINES:

DATE OF LAST TETANUS IMMUNIZATION: _____

Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship

Knife and Black Powder Permission Form



I am the parent or guardian of _____ who is a member of the Royal Rangers Program. I give, him permission to sell, trade, give, receive, or barter and have in his possession during any FCF event, any knife or black powder firearm as is appropriate for this type of historical reenactment activity.

Please consider this document as written consent for my son _____ to participate in any of the Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship activities which include black powder loading and shooting, knife and hawk throwing, flint and steel - fire starting, frontiersmen crafts and workshop classes, and any other activities conducted.

Signature of parent or guardian

date

If you do not want your son, _____ participating in any of the above activities please list: _____

Signature of parent or guardian

date

If you are under the age of 18, you must have this form signed by your parent or guardian in order to participate in the above mentioned activities at the Trace and/or Rendezvous.

Parent please complete:

Name of minor _____

Name of Parent completing form: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone and work phone: Home _____ Work _____

Age _____ Birth date of minor _____

Any Information we should know about: _____

2009 Spring Trace Registration

No matter which way you register, registration and payment must be received by April 24th. Please allow sufficient mailing time so that the payment is received by April 24th. Kelvin Pier will be out of town after April 24th so payments received after April 24th will not be opened and posted until after the Trace, therefore, there is a good chance you'll be asked to pay at the Trace and your check returned after the Trace. If you pre-register, but do not send your money in so that it is received by April 24th and you pay at the Trace, you will be required to pay the late fee.

Registration Fee On or Before April 16th: Young Bucks \$13; Old Timers \$18

Registration Fee After April 16th: Young Bucks \$15; Old Timers \$20

No.	Name (First and Last)	Outpost #	Section	Fee	
				OT (\$18 or \$20) YB (\$13 or \$15)	Family Discount (\$1)
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Preregistration Discount - \$2.00

- \$2.00 per person discount applies for registrations received on or before April 16th.

Family Discount - \$1.00

- Discount applies to members of the same family. Discount starts with the third family member registered.

Return Completed Form To:

Postal mail Kelvin Pier
 PO Box 418
 North Versailles, PA 15137-0418

Fax Kelvin Pier - 412-291-3287

E-mail Kelvin Pier - levi@kpier.com

Make Checks Payable to: *George Washington FCF*