

## Friend, Allie, Patron and Defender of Fort Loudoun!

**W**ith the blessing of Lieutenant Gray plans are underway for the **Fort Loudoun Trade Faire**, which will be held **October 20 & 21, 2018**. It is our goal to host the finest trade faire in the colonies.

We intend to accomplish this by inviting only the finest merchants, craftsmen, entertainers, military units and reenactors in the land.

We will also enforce stringent safety and authenticity standards to achieve our goal.

There is a full slate of activities planned for this year's faire. We are working on the upgrade of battle scenarios and skirmishes and will plan to add a "few surprises" for good measure.

As with past faires, we will provide straw, firewood, potable water, porta-johns and a 15,000 acre bath tub. Ice delivered to faire grounds twice daily.

The time frame is 1740-1790 so we do ask that your appearance and living space reflect that era.

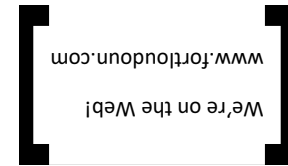
Please read over the enclosed safety and authenticity standards.

If you feel you can live up to these requirements and you want to be a part of a great faire—Fort Loudoun is the place for you!

With Kindest Regards,

Eric Hughey, Park Manager (AKA, Lieutenant Gray)

Fort Loudoun State Historic Area



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FORT LOUDOUN ASSOCIATION



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**General Trade Faire Guidelines**

As with all Fort Loudoun living history events, one of the most important aspects of the trade faire is authenticity. Attendance at this event is by invitation only and all applicants are subject to a jury process. Approval is based upon photographs of each participant in proper 18<sup>th</sup> century attire or prior knowledge of the applicant. Our activities at Fort Loudoun are intended to benefit both the visitor and the reenactors. This means that each participant is expected to reflect the time period in dress, manners and behavior. Fort Loudoun living history events are considered 24-hour events and our trade faire is no exception. Participants are expected to and shall maintain an 18<sup>th</sup> century appearance at all times.

Participants are expected to unload, remove your vehicle to the designated parking area and set up camp in a timely manner. We ask that you change into 18<sup>th</sup> century attire and remain in such during the duration of the event including the evening hours.

Non-period items must be concealed and kept out of sight at all times.

All dress must meet the requirements of a 1740- 1790 time frame.

No modern footwear.

No modern eyewear.

No modern cigarettes or pipes at anytime during the event.

No cell phones, blackberries, PDA devices, iPods or any other electronic devices are allowed in the faire grounds or fort area. Please limit the use of these devices to parking areas.

**General Camp Rules**

**Check-In at Visitor Center when you arrive**

The public hours for the faire are 9 AM until 5 PM on Saturday and Sunday but we ask that you maintain an 18<sup>th</sup> century appearance at all times while at Fort Loudoun.

Vehicles must be moved to designated reenactor parking area as soon as unloaded and no later than 8:30 AM on Saturday. Once the faire commences, vehicles will not be allowed in the faire grounds until after 5 PM on Sunday.

Keep all anachronisms out of sight at all times.

Fires must be located at least 6 feet from any canvas or structure; all camps must have a modern fire extinguisher within easy reach or any easily identifiable fire bucket. Fires are to be attended at all times and will be extinguished if left unattended.

All food items must be kept and consumed in 18<sup>th</sup> century style containers even during non-public hours. If you patronize the tavern please provide your own period bowls, tankards, cutlery, etc.

Cookware shall be appropriate to the 18<sup>th</sup> century. No speckled enamelware or modern cooking utensils.

Camp furniture must be appropriate to the period. No slatted "buck skinning" chairs.

Any questions regarding authenticity standards can be directed to the Fort Loudoun State Historic Area staff at 423.884.6217 or at [fortloudoun@tds.net](mailto:fortloudoun@tds.net)

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18<sup>th</sup> Century Trade Faire

**Interpreter Application Form**

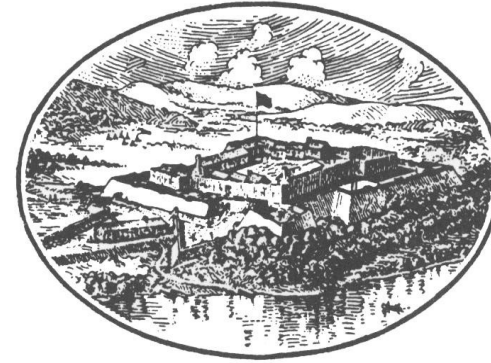
**Civilian or Military**

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FLSHA

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Names of Members Participating

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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Emergency Contact

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relation to You \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any medical conditions you would like the FLSHA staff to be aware of?

If so, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

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**FIRST TIME PARTICIPANT MUST ATTACH PHOTOS FOR JURY**

Re-enactor Group Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Participants in Group \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Participants in Battle Scenario \_\_\_\_\_

Space Needed (Shelter Dimension) \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to participate in the Fort Loudoun Trade Faire. I understand the Faire Committee, the Park Manager or his designee reserves the right to inspect camp gear and attire and to ask that items not meeting specifications be removed or changed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**First Time Participants Must Include Photos For Jury**