



His Majesty's

Tenth Regiment of Foot

In America, Inc

Special Order

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15 July 2019

GARRISON WEEKEND at FORT at No. 4

20 - 21 JULY 2019

The participants in the events of the “*Garrison Weekend at Fort at No. 4*”, in Charleston, NH the weekend of July 20 - 21. This is a British garrison event only. We will spend the weekend drilling and honing our skills and impressions.

Uniform shall be No 2 Dress, gaiter type at the discretion of the Co'Y CO. Uniformed soldiers should bring company caps, hats, and forage caps. There will be firing thus muskets need be equipped with flints and hammerstalls.

Directions: GPS address is Fort at No. 4, 267 Springfield Rd, Charlestown, NH.

SCHEDULE

Friday

- 15:00 hrs: Camp open for arrivals Check in starts at 1500 time.
- 19:30 hrs: Officers' meeting
- 22:00 hrs: Quiet hours

Saturday

- 08:00 hrs Morning cannon
- 08:30 hrs: Officers' meeting (**Chris Kone**)
*Firewood and water parties begin
- 09:00hrs: Sergeants' meeting (**Barry Brown**)
- 09:30 hrs: Morning parade, orders of the day.
- 09:45 hrs: Go through proper changing of the guard and picket (**Eli Huebner**)
- 10:00 hrs: Museum opens to the public
*First picket positioned (changes out every 30 minutes) - **Eli Huebner** running. Captain of the Guards = TBD
*Scouting parties go out (must stay on the property)
*Hospital begins **Paul Supley**

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- *Sewing class begins - **Adam HL & Gabe Kurens**
 - 10:45 hrs: Formation for tactical classes
 - Section 1: Artillery Class with Royal Artillery (**Don Walker**)
 - Section 2: Tactical Training (**Chris Kone**)
 - Firing and advancing by units
 - Leveraging flank companies
 - Firing and advancing by ranks
 - Advancing by cover
 - Two volleys and charging
 - 12:00 hrs: Nooning (Those on picket will eat before or after their meal)
 - 13:00 hrs: Formation for tactical classes
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 - Two volleys and charging
 - 14:00-ish: Unannounced call to arms
 - 14:30 hrs: Sewing/mending kits; laundry; soldiers depicting down-time
Dueling demonstration
 - 15:30 hrs: Formation - large tactical formation to show off day's work **Chris Kone**
 - Co'y A Commander: TBD
 - Co'y B Commander: TBD
 - 16:15-ish: Afternoon parade (pickets continue)
 - 16:30 hrs: Museum closes to the public
 - 17:00 hrs: Dinner prep begins
 - 18:00 hrs: Dinner
 - 19:30 hrs: Tavern night (pickets end)
 - 22:00 hrs: Quiet hours
- Sunday
- 08:00 hrs: Morning cannon
 - 08:45 hrs: Officers' meeting (**Chris Kone**)
 - 09:00 hrs: Sergeants' meeting (**Barry Brown**)
 - 10:00 hrs: Museum opens
 - *Morning assembly
 - *Hospital begins **Paul Supley**
 - *Sewing class begins - **Adam HL & Gabe Kurens**

- 10:15 hrs: Full army formation
*Moving artillery, rangers & flanks
*Cavalry defenses (both real and how we act)
*Practicing retreats, laying on arms, charging between volleys
*Mock battle road tactics--fighting while moving as a column
- 11:00 hrs: Break
*Church services (TBD)
- 11:45-ish Unannounced call to arms (Around this time, we can send scouting parties if those units wish.)
- 12:00 hrs: Nooning
- 13:00 hrs Large tactical demonstration/war game **Chris Kone**
Co'y A Commander: TBD
Co'y B Commander: TBD
- 14:00 hrs: Break camp (in kit, per fort request)
- 15:00 hrs: Cars in camp
- 15:30 hrs: Museum closes to the public

Should you not be able to attend, or if you have questions about this order, contact your Company Serjeant.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER,

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Changing of the Guards, Picket - Boston, 1774

Head Quarters at Boston 12th July 1774

As the Regiments in Camp differ in the manner of going their rounds, and receiving them [and] giving out the Countersign etc., in order they may be uniform in these respects, they will pursue the following directions 1st The Centinels to have the Countersign given them after Picquet mounting, and to demand it from all rounds, and other parties with arms.

The [sic, (they)] are to challenge distinctly, and with spirit, but not too loud, and being answered what the party is, they will call out Stand, Grand or Visiting Rounds, or Patroles (as the Party shall happen to be) advance Serjeant with the Countersign; on the Serjeant's advancing within six yards of them, the Centinels will charge their bayonets till the Countersign is given, and then call out, Pass Grand, or visiting Rounds, or Patroles at the same time resting his arms as the party passes his post.

2nd The Centinels posted at the several Guards, are only to order the Rounds to stand, and then call out to the guard to turn out.

3rd The Field Officer of the Picquet will go The Grand Rounds through the whole Camp: the Captains and Subalterns will go the visiting Rounds, through their respective Regiments; but the Captains only; (and not the Subalterns) are to visit their Quarter Guards. The field Officer will settle the hours that he would have the Captains and Subalterns go the visiting Rounds, and go the Grand rounds at the hour he thinks best; but fix so, that the rounds may not go at the hours of relief; he will take his party from what Picquet he chuses; the Captains and Subalterns from their own Picquets.

4th upon the approach of the Grand rounds the Centinel at the Quarter Guard challenges, who comes there ? The Serjeant of the rounds answers, Grand rounds, the Sentry replies, Stand Grand rounds, Serjeant turn out the Guard which being done, the Officer of the Guard detaches his Serjeant and four men, who again challenges, who comes there ?, the rounds answer him, Grand rounds, the Serjeant then replies Stand Grand rounds, advance Serjeant with the Countersign: upon which the Serjeant of the rounds, with the right hand file of the Escort advances and gives the word to the other, who returns with it to the Officer (leaving his four men behind Him) and giving him the Countersign, immediately returns to his 4 men, orders them to open outwards to the right and left; on which the Officer of the Guard calls advance Grand rounds, and orders his men to rest their firelocks; passing thro the Serjeants Escort which likewise rest to them as they pass the Officer of the Grand rounds, receives the Parole from the Officer of the Guard, and asks him such other questions as he thinks proper. The same rules to be observed by the Serjeants Guards, with the difference, that the Corporal is detached with two men to receive the Countersign, and that the Officer of the rounds receives the Countersign from the Serjeant instead of the Parole.

5th: The Corporals on Guard are carefully to explain all orders to the sentries when they post them, particularly to young Soldiers.

6th: Sentries are on no account to enter into conversation with the inhabitants that come near their posts: such only in the night [sic,(,)] the challenge and on being answered order them to pass.

7th Officers Commanding companies, will see that their men be properly instructed in the above duties.

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Head Quarters Boston 13th July 1774

General orders, for forming and returning the Picquets of the line. The preparative being made for beating the Tattoo, the men take their arms and draw up in their streets, the orderly Serjeants and Corporals (having their arms) examine the men and form them three deep if the ground in

front admits, otherwise two deep; When the Tattoo begins they will march the men forward till the front Rank is even with the bell tents; the Orderly Serjeants and Corporals advancing three paces before the men, the Officers, Serjeants, and Drummers, for Picquet go to the head of the Colours, take their arms and wait, when the Tattoo has beat the Adjutant orders as follows.

1st advance to form the Picquet, the whole then march forward to the line of parade, the Officers, Serjeants, and Drums, and orderly Serjeants and Corporals, advance twelve paces before the front rank, when they come to the line.

2nd: Halt, on which the Officers, Serjeants and drums go to the right about.

3rd: Form the Picquet, on which the orderly Serjeants and Corporals and men for Picquet, face to the right and left.

4th March, They march to the center and form; the orderly Serjeants and Corporals marching opposite to their own men, the Officers of the Picquet take their posts.

5th: Halt, on which they stand fast.

6th: Front, The Picquet faces to the front, the orderly Serjeants and Corporals to the Picquet. The Adjutants examine the men, and finding all Compleat, order the orderly Serjeants and Corporals to call the Rolls of their respective companies, who are to be faced to the right and left, and to march with their Halberts and firelocks Recover'd; and then the Picquet is delivered over to the Captain, who with the Subalterns examine the mens arms and accoutrements, which done, he orders.

7th: Prime and load: though they should not load, they are to go through the motions regularly.

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When the Field Officer acquaints the Captain he may return the Picquet he orders.

1st: Picquet, to the right and left to your Companies, the Officers, Serjeants and Drummers move three paces to the front and the men face to the right and left outwards.

2nd: March, they march opposite their respective bells of arms, and stand fast.

3rd: Halt, they face their bells of arms and the Officers, Serjeants, and Drummers face to the Colours.

4th: Lodge your Arms, the whole Picquet, Officers, as well as men, march together, lodge their arms carefully, and return to their tents.

Orders given in Boston in 1774 by General Gage (General Orders, America, WO 36/1, Public Record Office)