

Take Notice

**239th Anniversary of the Battle of Kettle Creek
Revolutionary Days
A National Society SAR Historic Site Event Sponsored
by the
Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution
February 9, 10 & 11, 2018
Washington, Wilkes County, Georgia**

Friday—February 9th, 2018

Take a walking tour of the Kettle Creek Battlefield site and enjoy the marked trails and interpretive signs. U. S. Army Military Historian will be scheduled – details to come. Enjoy a day touring downtown Washington, GA and consider visiting the Washington Historical Museum and the Robert Toombs House to enjoy 18th century history and Battlefield Relics. More information is available – www.washingtonwilkes.org

6:00 P.M.: The Kettle Creek Battlefield Association, Georgia Society SAR and Kettle Creek NSDAR will host a dinner and Revolutionary War program in honor of the Kettle Creek Patriots.

Saturday Morning-February 10th, 2018

9:00 A.M. The Georgia Society SAR Elijah Clarke Militia Honor Guard with Musket Salutes will raise the 1776 Colors of the Revolutionary War on the Wilkes County Courthouse Flag pole.

9:00 A.M.—12-Noon: Historical performers in the City Square, Georgia Society SAR Living History building with demonstrations, Mary Willis Library period display, Robert Toombs House Historic site with Period performers, Washington City Museum with the Kettle Creek Artifact Room.

10:00 A.M. The Georgia Society SAR combined Color Guard & Militia will gather at the Revolutionary War monument on the Washington City square to Salute and Honor the *Wilkes County Militia - (the Heroes of the Hornets' Nest)* and all Revolutionary War Patriots.

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Georgia Society
Sons of the American Revolution
Celebrating the History of the Battle of Kettle Creek
&
Our Heroes of the American Revolution

Saturday-February 10th, 2018

10:30 A.M. Gather behind the Courthouse for the assembly of the Revolutionary War Parade— ALL the public (Children & Grownups) are welcome to participate in the event as our National Colors and re-enactors lead us around the City square. **Parade STARTS at 10:45 A.M.**

11:00 A.M. Georgia Society SAR Elijah Clarke Militia and other re-enactors with black-powder muskets will present a dramatic portrayal of the Battle of Kettle Creek in Fort Washington Park behind the Wilkes County Courthouse.

11:45 A.M. The Georgia Society SAR Color Guard--*Elijah Clarke Militia* and others, will present arms and fire a thunderous musket salute as the Revolutionary War Colors are lowered and our Present-day National Colors are raised on the Square.

2:30 P.M. Pageantry at the Kettle Creek Battlefield includes, Continental Army, Georgia Militia, Musket volley salutes, Wreath Presentations, SAR/DAR/CAR, Hereditary Organizations, Local, State & National officials, High School JROTC, students and public, place Wreaths to honor the Heroes of the Hornets' Nest--the Wilkes County Militia for their 1779 Victory at Kettle Creek.

9:00 --- 5:00 P.M. The Robert Toombs Historic Site and the City Museum will remain open for Visitors. Children & Uniform personnel are welcome Free of Charge.

Sunday-February 11th, 2018

9:00 A.M. Join the Georgia Society SAR and the Local NSDAR Chapter in a Memorial Service Honoring the Wilkes County Militia (Heroes of the Hornets' Nest) and the SC Upper 96 Militia who together defeated the Loyalists at the Battle of Kettle Creek. As in the past this Memorial Service is open to the public and everyone is encouraged to participate.

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