

The Cannon's Mouth

NEWSLETTER OF THE CALIFORNIA HISTORICAL ARTILLERY SOCIETY
AUGUST 2008

Commander's Call

Alan Ginos

My last article ended with the following prophetic statements that seemed to have been so true:

"Come out, enjoy each other's company and the activities at hand. This will be a great month!" Come out you did for parades, work parties and another ringing success hosting the Civil War Days at DM event for appreciative public and fellow reenactors.



4th of July seems so long ago with all that was packed in to the month. But 1st Sgt Foster and his crew of N. Roger, Karen and Matt foster pulled off another big booming send off to start the Redwood City parade. And 16 or more of you helped us to shine and win our division in the Danville parade. Seen by 40,000 or more people packed in

to a mile parade route, this was quite a parade for us and the public loved us. Getting there and getting home again left something to be desired, but will say the scramble to get two 6-up teams, two limbers, a gun and caisson, the ambulance and Burgie ready to go justified having at least every last person there pitching in to get ready. We made it as the next to last entry in to the parade. Sort of cutting it close, but many spectators commented we were saving the best show for last.

Glad to have spent my time on the sidelines at CWD. Gives me a new perspective on how hard many of you work behind the scenes to make this event happen. And Bvt Major Faubel, Bvt. Lt Foster and Bvt 1st Sgt. Duncan smartly handled the military side. We are blessed with capable people in all ranks and capacities that make us stand out. Thanks for a job well done. And also for all of you who worked on getting new recruits in to flow—believe it was between 7 and 9 new recruits.

The battlefield of DM is now returned to pasture and it all looks great per Paul Casini. If you are like

Dispatches from the Dog Tent

Ted Milgovich

Yes, we can close the door on this year's Civil War Days event at Duncan Mills. It was our best event to date as far as running soooooo smooth, minimal problems and/or issues of any kind. All I kept hearing from everybody was what a good time they had. For all of you who took part in the event, from the hardest working souls to the littlest details, can all pat yourselves on the back. I can truly say a job well done. This is the time to sit back, relax and just take it all in and reflect on the event itself and all that we, as a great organization, have just done for the public and the reenacting community. I can only speak for myself as coordinator, and also as passing on the many thanks from all who attended the event. You, as a membership, did a great job and many people are letting you know that.

"Commander's Call" - cont.

me you are glad it is behind us now, but sorry we have to wait a whole year to do this all again. So in the meantime—

Gold Rush Days in Old Sac over Labor Day weekend needs to be manned for 4 days by as many different people as can come out. This is intended as a day of duty, or day of duty and night of horse watch spread over the unit. See Lt. Faubel's report on the weekend and respond to his call to action for it.

1/143rd After Action

Alan and Barbara Ginos attended a reunion of members of the Korean War era 1/143rd FA that was Walter Titus' unit. We had the good fortune to sit next to LTC Ian Falk, commander of the current 1/143rd that we sent off last June and supported during their stay in Iraq. Despite having convoy support duty for the duration of the tour, they were blessed to have returned with only two injured and no deaths.

Other CA Nat Guard battalions are gearing up for deployment and we could well be asked to support their send off ceremonies like we did last year for the 1/143rd.

Member News

When he's not swinging a hammer for the Artificers unit, apprentice Justin Ruther is swinging a baseball bat for the Vacaville Pony Baseball League All-Star team. In the recent East Bay Sectional Tournament, Justin assisted his team by hitting an out of the park home run, scoring 2 RBI's. He will be advancing with his team to the Northern California Regional Tournament in San Jose. You may have noticed his absence from Duncans Mills, as he needed to be with his team for intensive practice sessions for this tournament.

We will pass along information on Justin and his team as it comes in. Good Luck, Justin!



Civilian Corner

Judith Boling

Under cloudless, blue skies and cooler than usual temperatures at Duncans Mills, the CHAS Civilians variously manned Reenactor Check-in, the Time Tunnel, Information Fly, and the Casini's Weenies Shack, participated in the Saturday afternoon fashion show, and spoke with the public about the important work the U.S. Sanitary Commission performed during the war.

And we ate. Friday evening we shared hot sandwiches and various side dishes provided by our members. Saturday evening found us surrounding tables in the middle of our street, sharing a wonderful repast and lively conversation. The Sunday morning air was heavy with the scent of fried green tomatoes sizzling over an open fire and apple pies baking in Dutch ovens. Sunday night dinner conversation at a nearby eatery was filled with stories of disasters narrowly missed, frightened dogs, and amusing experiences.

All too soon it was time to leave this enchanted site, return to our 21st century lives, and dream the dreams of civilian reenactors everywhere when we will once again meet on the fringes of the field of battle.

After Action Report - Danville 4th of July

The day started with the usual – horses not wanting to be caught and truck tire issues. About 30 minutes out of Danville, Alan noticed that his truck was shaking more than usual. With parade time looming he could not stop.



Transport arrival was met with parade miscommunications, etc, but with the help of parade officials we all got across the parade route to where we were supposed to be parked. After unloading Alan inspected the truck and realized another one of the tires on the infamous "Hell on Tires" truck had blown out the same as the two on the trip to Gibson. But there was a parade to do, so repairs had to wait.

The parade was one of the most fun we've ever done. Thousands of people lined the main street of Danville, all cheering and waving and shouting their appreciation. After a somewhat "circuitous" route back to the transports, we un-tacked the teams and got ready to leave. But first, the blown tire had to be dealt with. Now, remember that this is the 4th of July – a holiday. A lot of businesses are closed on holidays, especially this one.

A few people started calling around from the Yellow Pages to every mobile service and tire shop in the area. Nothing was open and no one responding. A trip to the nearest CHP station yielded one phone number that saved the day. A truck repair guy from Lathrop came within the hour and swapped our loose tire spare on to the rim with the truck.

After a couple of other truck repair issues and location of lost keys, the transports returned to Warhorse. Despite the issues, the 3rd's unit was very well-received. We even won our division in the parade! Dennis is convinced it was because Burgie – sporting an "Antique Horse – Vintage 1970" sign – led the group.



Gold Rush Days at Old Sac!

Attention 3rd US Artillery, Signal Corp, and the Gentle Ladies of the Sanitary Commission!

Now is the time! Sign up early! Sign up often! Old Sacramento Gold Rush Days are upon us!

Once again it is time to strut our stuff and wow the civilian population of one of the leading towns of the Old West with our impression of quality living history (and help fill CHAS coffers too). Come and mix with mountain men, settlers, gun-fighters, and Indians! Stroll with your lady (or gentleman) on wooden board walks while enjoying the admiring gaze of the populace. Enjoy a variety of fine food and quality entertainment. Yes, Gold Rush Days at Old Sacramento is on the horizon and approaching at a breakneck pace!

This year's bivouac will be in the same area as last year but with more shade. It is also approximately two blocks short walk from the military museum and in close proximity to the various refreshment spots so beloved of artillerymen and Anita's Bodacious Belles (should they make an appearance).



This event is a money maker for us and is four full days, Friday August 29th through Monday Sept 1 (Labor Day) so sign up early and often. Please telegraph Lt Casualty at faubel@syix.com as soon as possible to reserve your spot in what promises to be the biggest four day shingdig west of the Mississippi. Indicate whether you are willing to come Friday, Saturday, Sunday, or Monday. If possible please plan on spending a day and night. The more participation we have reduces the chance that any member will have to spend all four days and maximizes the fun for everyone.

Site Maps and parking instructions will be provided by telegraph at a later date. If you have any questions about the event please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully,
Lt Wes Faubel (aka Casualty)



*Members of the American Anti-Slavery Society;
(l to r) Sherri Ortman, Mary Schuelke and Janet Whaley*

On behalf of my fellow members of the American Anti-Slavery Society, I wanted to express our heartfelt thanks for the wonderful weekend we enjoyed at the Duncans Mills event.

From the point I first contacted you to get some basic information, we were welcomed with open arms. As our plans progressed, Alan researched and provided me with invaluable information on local hospitals. When we met up with you at Long Beach, you provided many pointers that helped us in our planning.

We were totally thrilled to be allowed to present our Abolition Rally as part of the program for the crowds in the bleachers, and were so honored to have been listed in your printed program (on the first page, too!). And Mike gave us a fantastic promo in your CHAS newsletter, allowing us a full page for our story and photos.

I know we made this comment to many of you, but your event was the most organized reenactment we've ever experienced. From the first welcome at registration, to having someone assigned to show us where to set up our camp, we witnessed the results of the many months of planning you put into this event. We've never been woken by a cannon shot, but it was sure a treat! And the myriad of events, sutlers and absolutely beautiful site combined to make this a wonderful experience for all of us.

Thank you, Alan and Mike, for taking the time out of your busy schedules to even come over to the Civilian Camp to check on us.

We were so pleased to have been a part of this event, and wish that you would please extend our appreciation to the many members and volunteers who helped make it happen. We're very much looking forward to coming back for next year's event, so please keep us on your contact list.

Again, thank you for a delightful memory.

Most sincerely,

Janet Whaley, Sherri Ortman and Mary Schuelke
American Anti-Slavery Society

Safety First!

Mike Johnson

Hot Topic

California's July Heat Wave Turns Into a Heat Tsunami: How Much Do You Know About Heat-Related Illnesses?

This summer's triple digit temperatures have made working outside something best done in the cool of the morning. Even then, you need to work smart and safely. The bottom line? Heat can kill — last year in July alone there were more than 130 heat-related deaths in California.

Heat illness occurs when your body holds in more heat than it loses and as a result, your temperature rises. You're at greater risk when you:

- are dehydrated (dehydration is your worst enemy)
- aren't used to working in the heat
- are in poor health or elderly
- have had a heat-related illness before
- are on a low-salt diet
- take medications or over-the-counter drugs

And temperatures don't even have to be in the 100s to be potentially dangerous. According to the National Weather Service Heat Index, a temperature of 90 degrees in the shade with 30 percent humidity calls for a warning of "extreme caution" for heat illnesses including heat exhaustion, heat cramps and heat stroke. When it's above 100 degrees in the shade, the Heat Index registers "extreme danger." In either case, the prudent choice is to limit work or to stop working outside altogether.

To help prevent heat-related illnesses, health experts recommend wearing lightweight clothing, drinking plenty of cool water BEFORE heading out to work as well as while working (at least one 8 oz. cup every 20 minutes) and taking frequent rest breaks in the shade or a cool area when working in the sun. Also try to schedule outdoor work for early mornings, when possible.

To stay hydrated, choose water or sports beverages over sodas and other drinks containing caffeine or sugar. Avoid alcohol altogether as the more you drink the more dehydrated you'll become.

Symptoms that could indicate trouble ahead include profuse sweating or no sweating, a pale or flushed complexion and flu-like symptoms such as sudden weakness, nausea, fever, chills and headaches. Other red-flag symptoms include dizziness, loss of coordination, blurry vision, confusion, fainting, vomiting and seizures.

If you or a co-worker experience any of these symptoms or if you simply begin feeling ill, stop working, tell someone; and take a break in a shady, cool area. Workers suffering from painful muscle spasms or tired muscles should also take a break in the shade and drink cool water or a sports beverage. Do not give or take salt tablets or fever medications.

If a co-worker loses consciousness, move him or her to a shaded area and immediately seek medical help. When help arrives, cool the worker with fanning, by soaking his or her clothing with cool water and by applying cool compresses. Don't attempt to give him or her anything to drink.

If you have any questions about how to prevent or treat a heat-related illness, the Cal-OSHA/DOSH Web site at www.dir.ca.gov/dosh/HeatIllnessInfo.html also has valuable information.



Wes Faubel on the Pioneer Trail near Nevada City

The Recruiting Desk

Wes Faubel

Well here we are on the down slope of the season. Recruiting has proceeded apace with current unit strength of 93 members up from 80 members reported in the June CM. Nine applications from new and returning members will be presented at the August Board of Directors meeting.

Our recent Duncans Mills campaign proved to be a goldmine of applications as you can see from the above. Many of these new applicants were safety tested and on the field for at least one day. I hope to report positively on their acceptance in next month's report.

Respectfully Submitted

Lt Casualty

HELP SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

Thanks again to all of you who brought items for the Troops! Many of them have expressed thanks for all we've done. We have now "adopted" another California Guard unit – the 1st Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mechanized) - <http://www.calguard.ca.gov/160inf/Pages/default.aspx> - currently serving in Afghanistan.

We will be shipping to them soon, so if you have any donations please bring them with you to the next event. We will collect your donations and get them out to the troops as soon as possible. Also, shipping is pretty expensive so if you can't contribute items, monetary donations are accepted!

We received a message from LT Bob Moore, USN, recently returned from a deployment in Afghanistan. He has some suggestions on what to send.

"I always enjoyed receiving gift boxes from people all over the country. I can tell you that receiving mail/packages is a HUGE deal to the troops because it lets us know someone cares about us being where we are deployed. The packages and letters I received helped make the days pass and always gave me something to look forward to. I was in Iraq in 04 and I returned from Afghanistan last month. Here is a list of things I always enjoyed:

Iraq

- Gatorade powder and the single packages of those drink powders that you put into a bottle of water
- Gift cards for AAFES - <http://www.aafes.com/>
- Beef jerky
- Good sun block (45spf or higher)

Afghanistan

- Warm socks/gloves and undergarments - it gets extremely cold in Afghanistan
- Mosquito repellant (the lotion kind)
- Good coffee for those cold mornings - coffee mugs and travel cups also.

General items for any soldier in both countries

- Candies, spicy foods (rice crackers, spicy peanuts, etc. - foods with flavor) The Dining Facilities (DFACs) serve rather bland foods.
- Word puzzle games - there's dozens of little pocket book game books.
- Name brand shampoos and soaps - the BX/PX, if there's one near you, only sells a few generic brand toiletries.
- Fingernail clippers, Q-tips, chap stick, etc are good things to send as well.

Www.treatsfortroops.com is also a very good site to purchase from. They always have good stuff to send to the troops. From this site, you can foster a soldier deployed. I got packages from quite a few people that I didn't know and you have no idea how good it makes you feel to hear from people that support you. It's an uplifting experience and keeps the troops moral as high as can be expected.

Thanks again and support those deployed! Take it from me, in that environment, they deserve it!"

Send your items and donations to:

Mike & Roz Johnson
334 Kevin Ct.
Auburn, CA 95603

DUNCANS MILLS

Work Parties



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You can see more of his great Duncans Mills photos at
http://www.pbase.com/bodegaeli/civil_war_days_duncan_mills.



AMERICAN CIVIL WAR ASSOCIATION
PRESENTS

CIVIL WAR



Nevada City

At Pioneer Park

13 & 14 September

The CSS Hunley, replicated to scale model, will be on display
Friday and Saturday 9-5; Sunday 9-12

The Public is Invited to Meet the Soldiers in the Field and Experience Camp Life First Hand! There will be on Going Living History Demonstrations Depicting the Daily Life of the Soldiers, Women, and Children of the American Civil War and Victorian Era.

~ BATTLE TIMES ~

SATURDAY: 1:00 pm & 4:00 pm

SUNDAY: 11:00 am

Battlefield presentation begins 30 minutes before each battle

Downtown Parade: Sunday 2 pm

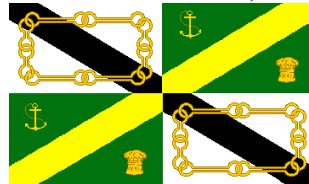
Camps are open during non-battle times between 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
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dedicated to preserving our American Heritage and sharing with the general public.

www.acwa.org



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RE-ENACTORS'S PROMO

CIVIL WAR ENCAMPMENT AT FORT MERVINE, ON THE
* PRESIDIO OF MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA *



OCTOBER 3RD, 4TH, AND 5TH, 2008

ALL 19TH CENTURY REENACTMENT GROUPS /
ASSOCIATIONS-WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE.

Hosted by the: **"Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War"** **** This will be a MEDIUM contingent , maximum number of participants is set for 75 – 85.
For participant reservation please email Sec.& Treas.: **Tim P. Reese, PCC** of Camp Lincoln 10 at < Lincoln_10tpr@email.com > or send letter requesting participant reservation to : **Camp Abraham Lincoln #10, SUVCW. P.O.Box 1641, Monterey, Calif. 93942-1641.** (Camping at the encampment is for reenactment personnel only, military & Civillian of the 19th century era.)
Drum and Fife band needed, no symphony this year. **LIVING HISTORY ONLY, NO BATTLE REENACTMENTS , Organization Promo/display tents OK! (must be close to 19th century as possible).** Friday is check in & Tent set up only, arrival & tent set up after **2 pm**, please.
There will be Fire Demo's twice on Saturday, and on Sunday at designated times. In JUNE a program will go out on the rules and regulations set by our sponsors, the **PRESIDIO MUSEUM.** Must sign insurance waiver. For more info regarding the Presidio & the Monterey Peninsula and the regions history. Cannery Row, DT Monterey, Wharf all in Walking distance. please check out < www.historicmonterey.com >info on the SUVCW go to www.suvcw.org just go to web index and "*Surf the UNION BLUE !*".

4th Annual *Blue and Gray Summer Cotillion and Military Ball*

New this Year!

**Raffle of
Reenactor
Items!**



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2nd U.S. Cavalry, Co. I

Saturday - August 2, 2008

**NEW LOCATION! — YORBA LINDA COUNTRY CLUB
19400 MOUNTAIN VIEW, YORBA LINDA, CA 92886**

MUSIC PROVIDED BY “OCCASIONAL STRINGS”

YOUR DANCE MASTER—CAPT. TOM ATKINS, 8th LOUISIANA



- 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. — SOCIAL HOUR
 - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — DINNER
 - 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. — DANCE & LYCEUM
- (Don't miss the continuing adventures of our 3 robbers)*



Complete Chicken Dinner Will Be Served
(Includes Dessert, Coffee, Tea—No-Host Beer/Wine Cash Bar)

TICKET COST: \$45 ~ Children under 12—\$22.50
(After July 1st - \$50 ~ Children under 12 - \$25)

Raffle Contributors:

**G&M Mercantile ~ Valentine's ~ Valley Forge Blacksmithing
Mark Jackson ~ JoAnne Powell ~ Lisa Karg**

For more information and directions go to: www.2ndCavalryreenactors.org

CUT HERE AND RETURN WITH CHECK

NAME(S): _____ Single-\$45/\$50 # _____ Children-\$22.50/\$25 # _____
NAME(S): _____ UNIT Name: _____
ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
PHONE: (____) _____ EMAIL: _____

Make Check Payable to/Mail to: Frontier Army of the West, c/o JoAnne Powell, 7558 Hawks Peak Way, San Diego, CA 92126

I am interested in participating in the Lyceum: ☐ Yes ☐ No

J&S Surplus & Outdoor Store's

KIA Ride In & Flag Raising Ceremony * Military Vehicle Show & Swap Meet



A USA KIA/DOW Family Foundation Charity Event "OPEN TO THE PUBLIC"

Saturday, September 6th 2008 from 9AM to 6PM

On The Site Of
J&S SURPLUS & OUTDOOR STORE
A division of Eagle Emblems Inc.
North Monterey Bay
Highway 1 & N. Struve Road, Moss Landing, CA. 95039

"Just Look For The Flags Outside"

Live Music & Entertainment, BBQ-Food, Drinks & More!

***** Swap Meet and Ride In All Day, KIA Ceremony @ 12:00P *****

***** Raising of the USA, POW*MIA, KIA and Armed Forces Flags @ 1:00 PM *****

USA KIA/DOW Family Foundation, America Remembers KIA, Eagle Emblems Inc. and J&S Surplus & Outdoor Store are sponsoring the event. American Legion Riders and Rolling Thunder are major contributors & participants.

Eagle Emblems Inc. will hold the memorial event for all U.S. Armed Forces Service Members killed in action (KIA) or died of wounds (DOW). This year we will also honor our U.S. Citizens and Professional Service Members to include Fire, Police, EMT & EMS who died in service, conflict, or acts of terror.

J&S Surplus & Outdoor Store will donate the valuable use of the land in one of California's most beautiful regions, North Monterey Bay. The event will be held annually on the 1st Saturday of September and open to the public free of charge.

**To Register or for More Information go to the J&S Surplus website www.SurplusInc.com
Or Call (831) 724-0588**





The *Russian River Rodeo* invites
you to ride on the 4th Annual,



Black Bart Trail Ride

Saturday, Sept. 6th, 2008

The Black Bart ride will be riding to the Top of Pole Mountain Ridge,
while over looking the Western Sonoma County Coast!

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The cost for this ride is \$50 per rider or \$100 per family which
includes an all day trail ride starting at 9:00am up the trail and breaks
at the top of the hill for beer, wine and hors d'oeuvres. From here we
will continue the ride back to the Duncans Mills Rodeo grounds for a
full BBQ meal!

Don't wait! This ride is limited to 70 riders
on a first come first serve bases!

Any entries postmarked later than Aug. 15th, will be refused!

*Truck & Trailers are to park at the Duncans Mills Rodeo Grounds and start
the ride from the grounds. Located at 23450 Moscow Rd, Duncans Mills

*Please no **SMOKING** or DOGS on the ride please, Thank You!

RSVP by August 1st, 2007

All riders must be
pre-registered and
pre paid by August 1st

to: RRRA
Attn: Christine Canelis
P.O. Box 103
Duncans Mills, CA 95403



For an **Application** for the Black Bart Trail Ride please contact:

www.russianriverrodeo.org

Christine (707) 632-5600 / e-mail: Christinecanelis@yahoo.com

3rd US Roster Assignments 2008

Role	Name	Report To	Role	Name	Report To
Commanding Officer	Ginos, Alan		Stable Sgt.	Winfrey, Dennis	XO
Executive Officer	Faubel, Wes	Captain	Teamster	Faubel, Melinda	XO
1st Sergeant	Foster, Scott	Captain	Teamster	Burgin, Chris	XO
Company Clerk	Faubel, Bethany	1st. Sgt.	Teamster	Casini, Paul	XO
Quartermaster Sgt.	Foley, Mike	1st Sgt.	Commissary Sgt.	Moretti, Scott	1st. Sgt.
Bugler	Thompson, Doug	1st. Sgt.	Provisioner	Foley, Shirley	CommSgt.

Gun/Team 1

Chief of Piece	Hawkins, Bill	1st. Sgt.
Gun Cpl	Hall, David	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Alto, Scott	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Lemasters, Michael	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Lincoln, Rafferty	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Maurier, Bruce	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Sablan, Scott	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Thompson, Courtland	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Thompson, Karla	Gun Sgt.
Team Corporal	Johnson, Mike	Gun Sgt.
Driver	Berry, Mike	Team Cpl.
Driver	Burtz, Dan	Team Cpl.
Driver	Faubel, Loreleigh	Team Cpl.
Driver	Miljevich, Ted	Team Cpl.

Artificers

Chief Artificer	Boling, Roger	1st. Sgt.
Artificer	Blair, Michael	Chief Art.
Artificer	Faubel, Tristan	Chief Art.
Artificer	Griffith, Loren	Chief Art.
Artificer	Landefield, Steve	Chief Art.
Artificer	Lee, Robert	Chief Art.

Signal Corps

Sergeant	Silas J. Meriwether	1st. Sgt.
Private	Roger, Norm	Signal Sgt.



How to discourage tailgaters
Courtesy of ACWA's Tom Gardner

Gun/Team 2

Chief of Piece	Duncan, George	1st. Sgt.
Gun Cpl	Boyd, John	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Dunne, Cary	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Ebert, Bob	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Lewis, Thom	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Lincoln, Barbara	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Long, Richard	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Sablan, Mike	Gun Sgt.
Cannoneer	Thompson, Terry	Gun Sgt.
Team Corporal	Moretti, Teri	Gun Sgt.
Driver	Dutson, Devin	Team Cpl.
Driver	Gilliland, John	Team Cpl.
Driver	Horton, Jim	Team Cpl.
Driver	Sullivan, Lisa	Team Cpl.
Driver	Whitehead, Dave	Team Cpl.

Unassigned

Unassigned	Amari, Gary	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Bailey, Wendy	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Bradford, Bryan	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Bradford, Lisa	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Byrne, Jeanne	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Ensign, Sue	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Jones, Neal	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Justiniano, Joe	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Maciver, Al	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Martinez, Thomas	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Meacham, Ann	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Rogers, Keith	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Rogers, Laurie	1st. Sgt.
Unassigned	Sims, Ed	1st. Sgt.

"A horse is dangerous at both ends and uncomfortable in the middle."

~ Ian Fleming

2008 Schedule of Events

August

- Aug 16 - 17 CHAS Weekend Work Party.
Camp Warhorse, Salinas.
Contact Alan Ginos.
- Aug 16 ACWA living history & gun demos.
Ft. Point , San Francisco. Contact
Mike Musante-mikemusante@hotmail.com
- Aug. 28 -
Sept. 1 Seventh Annual Gold Rush Days. Old
Town Sacramento. CHAS living history &
encampment. 1 team/gun, support unit.
\$\$\$. Rotating attendance needed.
Contact Wes Faubel.

September

- Sept 13 - 14 CHAS Weekend Work Party.
Camp Warhorse, Salinas.
Contact Alan Ginos.
- Sept 19 - 21 Tres Pinos.
NCWA Battles & Encampment. 1 gun,
no horses. Contact Scott Foster.

October

- Oct 4 Alcatraz Living History Day. Hosted by
the Friends of Civil War Alcatraz and the
National Park Service. San Francisco.
Contact Alan Ginos.
- Oct 4 - 5 CHAS Weekend Work Party.
Camp Warhorse, Salinas.
Contact Alan Ginos.
- Oct. 17 - 19 Kearny Park, Fresno. NCWA Invitational.
Battles & encampment . 2 teams & guns,
support units. School Day Friday.
Contact Alan Ginos.
*One of the largest annual events west of
the Mississippi.*

November

- Nov 7 - 9 Moorpark Farm, Moorpark. Richmond
Howitzers. 2 teams & guns. Battles
& encampment. School Day Friday. \$.
Contact Alan Ginos.
*One of the largest annual events west of
the Mississippi.*
- Nov 11 Veterans Day Parade, Fairfield.
- Nov 15 - 16 CHAS Weekend "Put-Away" Work Party.
Camp Warhorse, Salinas.
Contact Alan Ginos.

December *Happy Holidays!*

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those of the authors and do not necessarily reflect
the views of the Editors, CHAS, its governing Board,
membership, or anybody else.*

Note: "\$" & "\$\$" denotes revenue producing events for CHAS

2009

January

- Jan 17 NCWA Grand Ball. Lafayette, CA
- Jan 18 CHAS Annual Meeting. Location TBD.
General membership meeting, elections,
food & fun!!! Contact Ted Miljevich
- Jan 24 ACWA living history & gun demos.
Ft. Point National Mnmt, San Francisco.

February

- Feb 14 RACW Winter Ball. Red Bluff.
- Feb 27-
March 1 NCWA Winter Conference. Benicia.

March

- March 7 - 8 Mooney Grove Park, Visalia. CWRS
Battles & Encampment. 1 gun,
no horses. Contact Ted Miljevich.
- March 28 - 29 Knights Ferry, gold country. ACWA.

April

- April 24 - 26 Las Mariposas Civil War Days. Mariposa.
NCWA Battles & Encampment. 1 team &
1 gun, Support units. School day Friday.
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