



Hill's Fort Rendezvous and Blanket Shoot
Located on grounds of the American Farm Heritage Museum
Rt. 127 just south of I-70, Greenville, IL
September 14-16, 2018

Group Name (if applicable) _____
Contact Person _____
Contact Phone _____
Email Address _____
Address _____
City/State _____ Zip _____

Number of Campers: _____
Type of camp _____

In consideration for accepting this registration, I, the undersigned, being of legal age, and intending to be legally bound, hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, hereby waive and release any claim and rights I may have for any injuries or damage I may sustain as a result of my participating in the Hill's Fort Rendezvous and Blanket Shoot to be held September 14-16, 2018. This release is specifically meant to release all said claims as they relate to the sponsors of the event, their representatives or agents, including, but not by way of limitation, the Hill's Fort Society and the American Farm Heritage Museum. I further state that in the event it becomes necessary to incur any expenses or become obligated to pay any attorney fees or costs to enforce this agreement, that the undersigned shall reimburse the sponsors heretofore named for all expenses, including, but not by way of limitation, attorney fees and costs incurred.

Further, I understand that I grant full permission for the free use of my name and/or any photographs, videotapes, or any other record of this event for legitimate purposes.

I have carefully read this release and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liability and a legal and binding contract, and I am signing this agreement free of my own will.

Sign

Date

Please sign and mail application and certificate of insurance to Hill's Fort Society to:

Ken Gaffney
5311 Old Litchfield Trail, Litchfield IL 62056
217-324-6720; email: ken&cathy22@hotmail.com
Fortsofillinois.org

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Hill's Fort Rendezvous and Blanket Shoot is a recreation of the traditional military/militia and frontier life of the 18th century. Join with the military/militia, artisans, authors, and entertainers as they celebrate this time in history at the 1800's replicated Hill's Fort near Greenville, Illinois.

Registration and Set-up: Registration and set-up will be from 9 a.m to 8 p.m. Thursday, September 13th and site should remain intact until 3:30 on Sunday, September 16 2018 (breaking down prior to this time is discouraged). Within a reasonable amount of time you should be set up, in period clothing, and move your vehicle to 'Participant Parking'. Vehicles are not to be kept in the camping area overnight even before Friday. This means that whatever day you set up, your vehicle does not return to Primitive Camping until after Evening Colors at 3:30 pm on Sunday, September 16, 2018. Once your camp is set up and your vehicle moved, **participants must be in period dress. No blue jeans, bib overalls and/or tennis shoes.**

Prohibited:

Sale of the following items are prohibited: food or drink without prior registration of a food booth, artsy/crafty painted items, fluorescent feathers, face painting, bird houses, bamboo flutes, Central and South American items, Southwestern items, enamelware, non-period jewelry, plastic items and protective coverings, dream catchers, pop guns, artifacts, fossils, minerals, items with Southwestern designs, black powder, percussion firearms, percussion supplies, "Pow-Wow" items, ALL painted animals skulls/bones/shells, soapstone containers, and harmonicas. No whips, no parasols, no bows and arrows.

Solid wooden rifles and pistols will be allowed.

NOTE: All participants doing demonstrations will be required to complete a Liability Waiver on site.

Essentials: Please do not bring firewood to the Rendezvous. According to the USDA and IDNR reports, the Emerald Ash Borer is potentially disastrous to all ash trees in the state and is being brought to new areas in firewood. We ask that you do not remove firewood from the site as well. Thank you for your cooperation.

Water and firewood will be provided. Flush toilets on site. By City Ordinance, pets must be on a leash at all times. Noise curfew of 11:00 pm will be enforced.

Plastic tarps and aluminum cots should be concealed. Aluminum lawn chairs are prohibited. For safety reasons, no loaded firearms will be permitted in camp. No fireworks.

Modern conveniences, i.e., drink cans and bottles, plastic food packaging, coolers, etc., should be concealed. Bottles and cans should be disposed of each day away from the Fort. Containers and bags will be available. Radios, tape players, non-period music, gas and kerosene lanterns and stoves are prohibited. Before you leave, please help by returning all unused firewood to the woodpile.

The digging of fire pits is permitted. The organizers ask that the pits be filled in at the close of camp on Sunday.

Hotels are available nearby.

Directions: Illinois Route 127 at Interstate 70 in Greenville, Illinois. Access road is 200 yards south of I-70 at Exit 45 on Rt 127 on east side across from motel and before the RV shop. Signs say Farm Heritage Museum and also Hill's Fort.