

Preliminary Itinerary for CWFSG Annual Field Trip

Thursday March 3 The Wilderness

0800 Board bus at motel in Fredericksburg

0830 Arrive Saunders Field. Orientation. 2-mile loop trail of US and CS trenches of May 5-7, 1864.

1030 Old Orange Turnpike, site of Wilderness Tavern, proposed site of Wal-Mart

1100 Ellwood, G.K. Warren's headquarters and Stonewall Jackson's arm

1200 Lunch

1300 Warren's 12-gun Battery and 2-mile hike along Burnside's line to Plank Road.

1430 Brock and Plank Road Intersection. Vermont monument.

1500 Tapp Field trail and CS batteries

1600 Brock Road and Jackson Trail. US II Corps battery. Possible hike to Unfinished Railroad.

1730 Todd's Tavern; drive through of the Spotsylvania Court House

1800 Arrive at motel

Friday March 4 Spotsylvania

0800 Board bus at motel

0830 Arrive Spotsylvania battlefield park. 5th Corps Battery. Drive along 2nd Corps line.

0845 Kiosk. Sedgwick monument. Orientation.

2-mile walk along 6th Corps trenches (May 8-12), The Gallery. Left Flank. Big Battery.

1015 Walk Upton's Assault (May 10) to the "Death Angle"

1100 Salient of the Mule Shoe. Chaos to Order. Left flank of 2nd Corps (May 12), Waud drawing, mystery works, Landrum house, Union Battery

1300 Lunch

1400 Lee's Harrison House Line

1530 Ninth Corps works, Crittenden, Potter, Heth's Salient. Willcox, 9th Corps Battery

1730 Mount up for return to motel.

1800 Arrive at motel

Saturday March 5 North Anna to Cold Harbor

0800 Board bus at motel

0815 Massaponnax Church

0900 North Anna Park, Hanover County. Hike to Jericho Ford.

1100 Leave for Totopotomoy Creek, following Union army's flank march. Mount Zion Church, Concord Church, Mangohick Church, Enon Church (Haw's Shop Battlefield)

1230 Arrive Shelton House

1300 Lunch

1345 Cold Harbor Battlefield

1630 18th Corps right flank (June 1)

1700 Mount bus for return to motel

1800 Arrive at motel