



Paoli Battlefield Preservation Fund

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Dear Business Owner,

We need your support to help sponsor TWO events for TWO community non-profits which are all-volunteer organizations dedicated to help us preserve our future? We are asking you to help The Paoli Battlefield Preservation Fund (PBPf), and the Paoli Memorial Association (PMA) as they continue to work in preserving, maintaining, and educating the public about this hallowed ground right in our own backyard. Last year, we started the process to become a National Historic Landmark, one of only around 2,500 sites around the entire United States. We are currently 60% of the way through the process and need your help to continue. We also need your help in maintaining our sites where the 2nd oldest Revolutionary War monument stands, where veterans' remembrance events were held since 1817!! **Please see the last page in this package to see all of our sponsorship levels.**

Starting on Tuesday, June 13th, we will be hosting Stars of 1777 at the Mather Planetarium at West Chester University. We have two shows at 6:30pm and 7:30pm where director, Dr. Karen Schwarz will show you what the sky looked like during the Battle of Paoli, fought on the night of September 20th, 1777. We also will also include many other interesting bits of information about the constellations in the summer sky.

On Saturday, September 23rd from 11:00am to 4:00pm, we have the 5th Annual Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day, which is a community event held at the Paoli Battlefield in Malvern. We will have many re-enactors in our Military Timeline (from French and Indian War all the way to today's conflicts). The PA National Guard and USO will be there. In addition we have authors, craftspeople, local historic sites, kid's games, vendors, music, other entertainment, and of course food and beverages. We also have a Veteran Remembrance from 3:30-4pm in which we pay homage to the 52 dead patriots at the Battle of Paoli, who are buried in a mass grave at the site. You have the opportunity to sponsor one of our encampments; you can have your material handed out at the battlefield, and have your custom vehicle at our battlefield (for our General Sponsorship Level). **We also have a twilight battle reenactment of the Battle of Paoli!!**

A description of each event, and sponsorship levels are outlined below and include BOTH events. Please help us Remember Paoli.

Sincerely,

Frank Ortner, Vice President, Paoli Memorial Association, Grounds Committee

Bruce Knapp, President, Paoli Battlefield Preservation Fund



www.RememberPaoli.org



The Stars of 1777

A Special Fund Raiser for two worthy organizations
Paoli Memorial Association (PMA) and
Paoli Battlefield Preservation Fund (PBPF)



When: Tuesday, June 13th

Where: West Chester University Planetarium 730 S. Church Street West Chester, PA 19383

Time: Doors Open at 5:45 pm, Showings at **6:30 pm** and **7:30 pm**

Tickets: \$75.00/per person



Includes a **Picnic Dinner** catered by New Street Catering of West Chester

** Must be 19 years of age or older to attend **

Join us for an unforgettable evening under the stars at the WCU Planetarium as we view what the Malvern sky would have looked like on the night of September 20, 1777, the night of the Battle of Paoli, and we will see how that compares to the night sky of today.

Dr. Karen Schwarz, Director of Planetarium, will be hosting both presentations, which will also include many other interesting bits of information about the constellations in the summer sky.



Seats are limited to 130 people

Any questions about this event, kindly contact Frank Ortner at 610-647-2577.

Please RSVP by June 8th Seating is limited to first 130 responses

Name: _____ **Address:** _____

Phone: _____ **Number Attending:** _____

Unable to Attend but would like to make a kind donation: _____

Please make check payable to: **PMA/PBPF Event**

Mail to: National Bank of Malvern * PO Box 38 * Malvern, PA 19355

Thank you for your support!!

For more information go to <http://pbpfinc.org/dinner>

Join us for our 5th Annual Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day

& Twilight Battle Reenactment to follow from 6-7:30pm



Join us on Saturday, September 23rd, 2017 as we enjoy our 5th annual Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day. We will have as our centerpiece the American Military Timeline starting at the French and Indian War and going through to present day. With the help of our friends from [Historical Military Impressions](#) see re-enactors from the French and Indian War, the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, The Civil War, World War I, World War II, Vietnam, and the National Guard representing today's troops in camps and displaying the dress and items they carried into battle. Interact with the soldiers, see the weapons they used and learn about the clothing and other gear that these soldiers needed to outfit themselves on the battlefield. Live firing exercises will take place throughout the day, as well as many other programs.

Join the soldiers as they march into camp at 11:00am and then visit each of the camps. Learn about many of our local historical sites, learn crafts with special demonstrations, and buy goods from the craftspeople that will be at the battlefield. Author Bruce Mowday, Michael Harris, and Gene Pisasale will be signing their books for purchase and donating their proceeds to the battlefield. See Ben Franklin demonstrate his great inventions. We'd like to thank our food vendor Cafe Buno which will be selling food and drinks to everyone. Our good friends at the Colonial Plantation and Historic Sugartown will have kid's crafts and games to share with the family. Take a family keepsake photo at the battlefield. Register your kids with our Paoli Passport. This program will have your children tour each of the camps and asked questions to the re-enactors to get the answers needed to win prizes. Everyone entered will win a prize pack, but we will have drawings though out the day and a grand prize drawing near the end of the day. Tour the Paoli Battlefield and learn all about the battle that took place here and why it was coined the "Paoli Massacre" by the patriots. Stop by and see Randy Brown of the Valley Forge Blackpots, as he demonstrates cooking near his replica wagon. Experience a Duel between a loyalist and a patriot and have your kid's participant in our children's musket drills.

To close out Heritage Day we will have a veterans' recognition ceremony. State Representative Duane Milne and others will talk about the history and sacrifice our fighting men and women have faced keeping our country free. Our re-enactors will march out of camp and will then lay wreaths at the mass grave site of the 52 patriots who perished during the Battle of Paoli on September 20-21, 177. A Bagpiper will play Amazing Grace; a bugler will play taps, which will then be followed by a firing salute by our re-enactors. For more information go to <http://pbpfinc.org/hdevent>

After the field is cleared we will set up for our twilight battle reenactment of the 240th anniversary of the Battle of Paoli. Watch as the British Brigade and the Continental Line troops battle it out and reenact the storming of General Anthony Wayne's camp but British General Charles Grey.

Benefits of Sponsorship - All donations are tax deductible and you will be highlighted as a steward of our community by two non-profit organizations and having the unique opportunity to get your message out in front of all of our contacts at TWO different events!!

Depending on your sponsorship you could have multiple posts on our Facebook pages and Twitter feeds (before and after the event). You can also have your logo on our website where if clicked goes to your website. Getting to your name displayed on a sign at the Paoli Battlefield as “sponsoring a camp” for our battlefield event, and also a sponsor board at our Stars of 1777 event!!



Community Stewards spread your message

You'll get more bang for your buck by sponsoring TWO events for the price of one. You will also receive complimentary tickets to each of our events.



Complimentary Tickets to our Events

YES, I want to be a SPONSOR!



Captain – Quarter Page

For **\$250** you get listed in both programs + **1** ticket to Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day and **1** ticket to the Stars of 1777

Major – Half Page

For **\$500** you get the Captain level + all of our Social Media Links + **2** tickets to Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day and **2** tickets to the Stars of 1777

Colonel – Full Page

For **\$750** you get the Major level + your logo on our Website (logos can link directly to your website) + **3** tickets to Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day and **3** tickets to the Stars of 1777

General – Back Cover

For **\$1,000** you get the Colonel level + you get to sponsor one of our Military Timeline Camps by having your name or logo appear on the sign next to the camp. Only 5 available, if already taken, then a full page ad will be provided. + **4** tickets to Paoli Battlefield Heritage Day and **4** tickets to The Stars of 1777

Please call us at 484-320-7173 or email us at info@pbpfinc.org. Instructions will be sent to you about artwork and timeframes. **We need your orders in by June 8th.** For Online Payment via PayPal/Credit Card, please contact us.

Please make check payable to PBPF-PMA Joint Activities & Mail with this completed form to PMA/PBPF, PO Box 38, Malvern PA 19355

All donations are tax deductible for the fullest extent allowed.