

The Delaware Regiment of the American Revolution (of BAR) and the California Consolidated Drum Band (our state's official fife and drum band) have been producing this annual Revolutionary War event for our sponsor, the City of Nevada City, California these past six years. We do it as part of their annual Constitution Day Weekend activities--the longest continuous annual celebration of the Constitution in the USA. 2018 represents their 52nd annual celebration!

Here is a brief description of our participants and program:

Participants: **Delaware Regiment** portrays American Revolutionary soldiers and civilians. The **California Consolidated Drum Band** is our state's official fife and drum band. **Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR)** and **Sons of the American Revolution (SAR)** are involved in historical research, raising funds for local scholarships and educational awards, and preservation of sites and documents related to the American Revolution.

Program: Continental Army and British soldiers demonstrate the manual of arms, marching and musket firing; display and explain regimental uniforms and accoutrements. Small skirmishes between Continental and British soldiers. Fife and drum band plays 18th century music. Civilians demonstrate surgery and medical practices, spinning wool and cotton, clothing and sewing, and chocolate making. Hear myths and stories of the American Revolution. Kids/adults learn marching drill with wooden muskets. Flag raising and lowering to fife and drum music. Members of DAR and SAR explain genealogical research for Revolutionary War ancestors.

This is a small-town educational event which is well attended by residents of this historically significant Gold Rush community. And we have fun, too!

If you need a contact for more information about this event, then you have found him!

I am your obedient servant,

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