

MEDIA ADVISORY

President John Adams and Doctor Benjamin Franklin to attend dedication ceremony of Presidential Culinary Museum and statue honoring Colonel Frederick Hambricht

(Grover, NC) June 12, 1801 – The President of the United States of America will be the Keynote Speaker at the grand opening and ribbon cutting of a statue being dedicated to Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Hambricht (hero of Kings Mountain) and US Marine Corporal Clyde Furman Horton. The dedication will be held in conjunction with a Cleveland County Chamber of Commerce ribbon cutting ceremony for The Inn of the Patriots Bed & Breakfast on Tuesday, July 1, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. The address is 301 Cleveland Avenue, Grover, NC 28073 and lengthy information and photos are available at www.theinnofthepatriots.com (also includes directions).

Media opportunities are available for private and extended photographic shoots/interviews with the President or Doctor Franklin. Security considerations and clearance via protective guard can contact Colonel Benjamin Cleaveland's HQ. **A private MEDIA VIP Suite** is available with Time Warner Business High Speed stations, *White House Style catering of food and drink* and private lounge.

The statue is fitting for the dedication as the, "Angel of the Battlefield." Standing at six foot tall she comes aide those whom have expired and need help in a time of patriotism and duty to country.

The Inn is recently opened by a former Executive Chef to the President and First Family of the United States of America – Martin CJ Mongiello. Marti is a US Navy Retired veteran of 21 years. His wife Stormy and step-son James are trained Chefs also. They are now showcasing the first-ever Presidential Culinary Museum with artifacts and archived materials, plates, menus and memorabilia spanning over 200 years of US history. They cook private dinners around the world, locally and for benefits to charity and corporations. The new Inn is a fully-functioning bed and breakfast built by the great-grandson of Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Hambricht, Assistant Surgeon Alfred Hambricht in 1879. It features silver chandeliers and 20 foot tall ceilings.

The Marine Corps League motto is, "Once a Marine, Always a Marine. The League has over 900 community based detachments and the speaker present will be Commandant Danny F. Harrill of the NC Foothills Detachment – Number 1164. They will speak about the contributions of Mr. Clyde Furman Horton in his US Marine service and preservation of the historic 1879 home.

The Back Country Militia is the official National Park Service authorized presence of militia whom attacked and defeated Major Patrick Ferguson at Kings Mountain Battlefield. This battle smashed Lord General Cornwallis left flank and sent him running from the Carolinas to his quick and eventual defeat - in Yorktown. The war had been stalemated in the North for several years. The battle marks the only time that the usage of new technology rifles, by one side, showed how destructive and cataclysmic they could be. This was combined with Guerilla style fighting from the Patriots side – a novel concept. Noted historic musician, Mr. Zach Lemhouse, will play his fiddle. The Militia fields a number of events at the park and in the Carolinas. As the celebrated heroes of the war that HAD BEEN stalemated for four years, they are more than happy to take a lot of credit - for turning the tide.