

# “More wickedness is coming” to Fort Ontario

JOIN us on the weekend of June 21 & 23, 2024.

For it is the year 1783

*During the [American Revolutionary War](#), a detachment from the [3rd New York Regiment](#) destroyed the fort in July, 1778, after the British abandoned it. The British returned and rebuilt the fort in 1782. There was an aborted attack on the fort by Colonel [Marinus Willet](#) in 1783.*



Saturday:

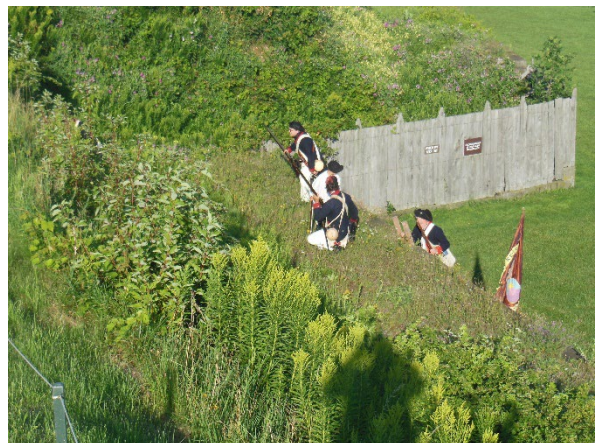
Struggle back to the walls of Fort Ontario, the crown forces will need to fight back to safety through the street of Oswego and once again behind the walls and will resist the continued attacks by the Continental Army and militia, from top of the wall and firing from the casemates.

In the late afternoon a friendly game of cricket between the two armies and then Mr. Lear's retirement party at Mrs. Lunde's Poacher Tavern that evening. *Feel free to bring a bottle or dish to share.*

Sunday:

**“They shall climb the wall like men of war”**, Continental Army and militia bring your siege ladders and see if you can get inside the fort or rush in through the gate. Once again, the Crown can fire from the walls and casemates.

Then at 1 PM it the year 1796 and the recreation of handing over the fort to the Americans to end the event.



*The British held the fort after the war was over until 1796 after the signing of [Jay's Treaty](#).<sup>1</sup>*

***All should be heading home by 2PM***

Camps are located at:

British troops will be encamped inside the fort (anyone wishing to stay in the casemates, please let me know)

Continental Army and militia will be camped outside by caretaker house.



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