



EXHIBITIONS

Remembering August Knigge: From Ela Illinois to Andersonville
Ela Township Historical www.elahistoricalsociety.com

The Lincoln Assassination: 150 Years Ago
Through June 6, 2015
Waukegan History Museum www.waukeganhistorical.org

Life and Limb: The Toll of the American Civil War
Civil War Museum, Kenosha, WI—Thru April 25, 2015
An exhibition developed and produced by the National Library of Medicine and the National Institute of Health.

PROGRAMS

Civil War Field Embalming: Demo of Period Technique
Thursday, April 2 at 6:30 PM, Registration Required 847-968-3321
Lake County Discovery Museum, Lakewood Forest Preserve, Wauconda, IL
As Dr. Benjamin F. Lyford, following the Battle of Gettysburg, Jon Austin will present a first-person presentation in the style of a 19th century medical school lecture, using a re-enactor "corpse" as a visual aid.

Won't You Stay Awhile Longer
Tuesday, April 14 at 8:30 PM, \$5 donation / The Civil War Museum, 5400 First Ave., Kenosha, WI 53140
First person presentation of President Lincoln by George Buss. Lincoln contemplates his full, second term and plans for a reconstructed United States.

Eyewitness to Assassination
Wednesday, April 15 at 12—1 PM / The Civil War Museum, 5400 First Ave., Kenosha, WI 53140
Rich Schimenti presents an eyewitness account of the assassination of President Lincoln at Ford's Theater in Washington, DC, detailing Lincoln's last hours, the efforts made to save his life, and the legacy he left the Nation.

An Evening with Mr. & Mrs. Lincoln
Thursday, April 16 at 7-8 PM, Registration Required 847-968-3321
Lake County Discovery Museum, Lakewood Forest Preserve, Wauconda, IL
Takes place in the White House at the end of the Civil War (April 1865) with the President and Mrs. Lincoln reflecting on their lives ending as the President realizes that it is time to leave for Ford's Theatre. A short epilogue addresses events of April 14, 1865 and the last years of Mary Lincoln's life.

Walking Tour: Waukegan's Civil War Sites
Saturday, April 18 at 10-11 AM
Waukegan Historical Society, Tour Starts at Veterans Memorial Plaza
Learn the history of Waukegan relating to the Civil War while walking the streets of downtown in this guided tour led by Museum Supervisor, Ty Rohrer. The tour starts at Veterans Memorial Plaza located on the southwest corner of Washington and West Streets in Washington Park.

The Assassination of President Lincoln
Saturday, April 18 at 3-4 PM / Jane Addams Center at Bowen Park, Waukegan
The Waukegan Historical Society is hosting a free program by historian Jim Gibbons. Commemorates the 150th anniversary of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln. Lincoln memorabilia from the Waukegan Historical Society and private collectors will be on display.

EVENTS

Lake County History Symposium: Lake County in the Civil War
Lake County Discovery Museum, Lakewood Forest Preserve, Wauconda
Sunday, April 26 at 9:30 AM—4 PM, Students \$5, Adults \$10
Presentations on the theme by area historians.

HISTORICAL PROGRAMS, EXHIBITS, & EVENTS COMMEMORATING THE 150th ANNIVERSARY OF THE END OF THE CIVIL WAR

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THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT ABRAHAM LINCOLN

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