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DETACHED TENT #23www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wimclduv/<https://www.facebook.com/duvcwmarylee>**MARK YOUR
CALENDARS!**

Don't forget the Civil War Expo at the Civil War Museum in Kenosha will be held this Saturday, March 21st from 11am – 4pm. Our Tent will have a table there along with other Civil War military and civilian groups. There will also be two presentations that day.

1pm – Paul Johnson discusses his ancestor, William Robinson's service in the Iron Brigade.

2:30pm – the Old Soldier Fiddlers will give a concert of songs of the Civil War with fiddles, banjos, and sing-alongs.

**SUVCW MEMBER
ORIENTATION COURSE
TO BE HELD IN DELAVAN**

The next SUVCW Member Orientation Course will be held on Sunday, March 29 from 12:30 – 4:30pm at the Delavan Community Centre. Presentations and handouts will be provided by experienced officers of the Order.

There is no cost to attend. The course will give attendees a deeper understanding of the Sons history, purpose, protocol and projects. It will cover topics including:

- The SUVCW mission, purpose and programs
- The SUVCW organization and structure
- How to recognize SUVCW insignia
- Observing correct SUVCW customs and protocol
- SUVCW values and history
- The role of the Auxiliary
- Much more!

Several of our Tent Sisters attended the course last year and reported that it was informative, interesting and well worth attending. If you would like to attend, please pre-register with PDC Kent Peterson by March 25 so that a sufficient number of student materials can be provided. He may be reached at 414-614-3690 or by email at webmaster@suv-cw-wi.org

FRATERNITY, CHARITY, LOYALTY

The next meeting of Tent #23 will held at the
Delavan Community Centre at
6:30pm on Tuesday, March 24, 2015

LINCOLN'S READERS: RECOMMENDED READING FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS

**PRESENTED BY THE ABRAHAM LINCOLN PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM AND
THE BUTLER CHILDREN'S LITERATURE CENTER AT DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY**

Books for Early Elementary School

Honest Abe Lincoln: Easy-to-Read Stories about Abraham Lincoln, by David Adler (Grades K-3)
Abe Lincoln Crosses a Creek: A Tall, Thin Tale (Introducing His Forgotten Frontier Friend), by Deborah Hopkinson (Grades K-4)
Abe Lincoln Loved Animals, by Ellen Jackson (Grades K-3)
Looking at Lincoln, by Maira Kalman (Grades K-4)
Henry's Freedom Box: A True Story from the Underground Railroad, by Ellen Levine (Grades K-3)
Ben and the Emancipation Proclamation, by Pat Sherman (Grades 1-3)
Abe Lincoln's Dream, by Lane Smith (Grades K-4)
The Yankee at Seder, by Elka Weber (Grades 1-3)

Books for Upper Elementary and Middle School

Mr. Lincoln's High-Tech War: How the North Used the Telegraph, Railroads, Surveillance Balloons, Iron-Clads, High-Powered Weapons, and More to Win the Civil War, by Thomas B. Allen and Roger MacBride Allen (Grades 6-10)
Emancipation Proclamation: Lincoln and the Dawn of Liberty, by Tonya Bolden (Grades 6-10)
Gettysburg: The Graphic Novel, by C.M. Butzer (Grades 4-8)
Yankee Blue or Rebel Gray? The Civil War Adventures of Sam Shaw, by Kate Connell (Grades 4-7)
The Civil War for Kids: A History with 21 Activities, by Janis Herbert (Grades 2-6)
Abe Lincoln at Last! (Magic Tree House #47), by Mary Pope Osborne (Grades 3-6)
The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg, by Rodman Philbrick (Grades 4-7)
Pink and Say, by Patricia Polacco (Grades 2-6)
You Wouldn't Want to be a Civil War Soldier! A War You'd Rather Not Fight, by Thomas Ratliff (Grades 3-7)
Lincoln's Grave Robbers, by Steve Sheinkin (Grades 5-9)
Lincoln and His Boys, by Rosemary Wells (Grades 3-6)

Books for Middle and High School

The Lincolns: A Scrapbook Look at Abraham and Mary, by Candace Fleming (Grades 7-12)
Lincoln: How Abraham Lincoln Ended Slavery in America, by Harold Holzer (Grades 7-10)
Bloody Times: The Funeral of Abraham Lincoln and the Manhunt for Jefferson Davis, by James L. Swanson (Grades 6-9)
Chasing Lincoln's Killer, by James L. Swanson (Grades 7-12)
The Hammer and the Anvil: Frederick Douglass, Abraham Lincoln, and the End of Slavery in America, by Dwight Zimmerman (Grades 9-12)

General Douglas MacArthur and his father, Arthur MacArthur, both received Medals of Honor: Douglas for his leadership on the Bataan Peninsula in WWII and Arthur for heroism at Missionary Ridge in the Battle of Gettysburg during the Civil War. They were the only father and son ever to receive the Medal of Honor until Theodore Roosevelt was awarded it posthumously in 2001 for his service in the Spanish-American War. His son, Theodore Jr., received his for his leadership on Utah Beach during the D-Day landings. He also received his posthumously after dying from a heart attack on July 12, 1944. (from *Weird War: Curious Military Trivia*, by Alan Axelrod)

LIVE WEBCAST OF SYMPOSIUM ON MOURNING LINCOLN

Presented by the Center for State Policy and Leadership in cooperation
with the 2015 Lincoln Funeral Coalition.

“The University of Illinois at Springfield is hosting this scholarly symposium on Thursday, April 30, 2015, from 7:00pm – 9:00pm as part of the Lincoln Funeral Coalition’s schedule of special events for the commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the assassination and funeral of Abraham Lincoln. In “Mourning Father Abraham: Lincoln’s Assassination and the Public’s Response,” three noted historians of Lincoln and the Civil War era will explore the way the public viewed Abraham Lincoln in life and death, including the variation in personal responses to Lincoln’s assassination. Lincoln’s call for black suffrage and the challenges of reunion will also be discussed.

“**Dr. Michael Burlingame** holds the Chancellor Naomi Lynn Distinguished Chair in Lincoln Studies at UIS where he has been a member of the History faculty since 2009. A world renowned Lincoln scholar, his comprehensive, two-volume biography, *Abraham Lincoln: A Life* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2008) won the 2010 Lincoln Prize. www.michaelburlingame.com

“**Dr. Louis Masur** is Distinguished Professor of American Studies and History at Rutgers University. A cultural historian, his forthcoming book is *Lincoln’s Last Speech: Wartime Reconstruction and the Challenge of Reunion* (Oxford University Press, 2015). His recent book, *Lincoln’s Hundred Days: The Emancipation Proclamation and the War for the Union* (Harvard University Press, 2012), won the 2013 Best Book Prize by the Abraham Lincoln Institute. <http://www.louismasur.com>

“**Dr. Martha Hodes** is Professor of History at New York University. Her forthcoming book, *Mourning Lincoln* (Yale University Press, 2015) explores personal responses to Lincoln’s assassination, encompassing Union and Confederate, black and white, men and women, soldiers and civilians, rich and poor, the well-known and the unknown. It draws upon evidence from hundreds of letters, diaries, and other personal writings. Her areas of research and teaching include the 19th Century, race, Civil War and Reconstruction, gender, and the craft of historical writing. <http://history.as.nyu.edu/object/marthahodes.html>”

To view this symposium as a live webcast, please go to the following website at 7:00pm on Thursday, April 30 and click on “View the Webcast.”

<http://illinois.edu/calendar/detail/226?eventId=32463855&calMin=201503&cal=20150315&skinId=9818>

(Information from

<http://illinois.edu/calendar/detail/226?eventId=32430324&calMin=201503&cal=20150315&skinId=9818>)

*Did you know...*that Abraham Lincoln had no middle name? ...that Lincoln never introduced his father or stepmother to his wife or any of his children? ...that in 1837 Lincoln worked four jobs at once - as a new attorney, as postmaster of New Salem, as a surveyor, and as a state legislator. (information from *101 Things You Didn’t Know about Lincoln*, by Brian Thornton)

MARCH 4, 1864: Abraham Lincoln’s Second Inaugural Address ended with the following famous words: “With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation’s wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow and his orphan, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations.” (information from http://americancivilwar.com/documents/abraham_lincoln_inaugural_2.html)