America's History, LLC

9th Annual Conference on the American Revolution

March 20-22, 2020

Williamsburg, Virginia

Friday, March 20

6:30 p.m. Sign in, packet pick up and Cocktail Reception "Meet and Greet" for all attendees and speakers at the Woodlands/Colonial Williamsburg Conference Center Upper Level.

7:30 p.m. Welcome and Introductions—Bruce M. Venter, President—America's History LLC

7:50 p.m. James Kirby Martin—"The American Revolution: For Some of the People or All of the People"

American Revolution Round Table of Richmond Annual Book Award—to be announced by Bill Welsch and Mark Lender

Saturday, March 21

8:30 a.m. Reconvene at the Woodlands Conference Center/Dogwood Room

8:45 a.m. Stephen Brumwell—"Turncoat: Benedict Arnold and the Crisis of American Liberty"

9:45 a.m. Short Refreshment Break

10:00 a.m. Nathaniel Philbrick—"In the Hurricane's Eye: The Genius of George Washington, the Battle of the Capes and the Victory at Yorktown"

11:00 a.m. Edward G. Lengel—"Some Desperate Glory: The Battles of Connecticut Farms and Springfield, June 1780"

12 Noon Buffet Lunch in the Cascade and Oakwood Rooms (Lower Level)

1:00 p.m. Speakers will be signing books with informal conversation upstairs in the lobby. Plus Literary Agent, Roger Williams will be available to discuss book publishing with aspiring authors. Tim Sampson has reproduction maps and prints for sale and Bruce Franklin, CEO of Westholme Publishing and the owner of the *Journal of the American Revolution* has a host of new Revolutionary War titles for you to purchase.

- 1:30 p.m. Please reconvene in the Dogwood Room
- 1:35 p.m. An Update from the American Battlefield Trust on Revolutionary War Battlefield Preservation Efforts (formerly Campaign 1776) and other important announcements.
- 1:50 p.m. Eric Schnitzer—"The Value of Revisionism: Don Troiani's Campaign of Saratoga—1777"
- 2:50 p.m. William "Larry" Kidder—"Ten Crucial Days: Washington's Campaign against Trenton and Princeton"

3:50 p.m. Refreshment Break

4:15 p.m. T. Cole Jones—"Captives of Liberty: British, German and Loyalists Prisoners of War and the Politics of Vengeance"

5:15 p.m. Session ends—See you Sunday morning!

Sunday, March 22

9:00 a.m. Reconvene at the Woodlands Conference Center

9:15 a.m. Mark Edward Lender—Cabal! The Plot against George Washington"

10:15 a.m. Short Refreshment Break

10:30 a.m. Michael Gabriel—"'To Induce the Officers & Soldiers to Exert Themselves': Plunder and Trophies in the Revolutionary War"

11:30 a.m. Gary Sellick—Emerging Scholar—"Black Men, Red Coats: The Creation of the Carolina Corps in Revolutionary South Carolina"

12:30 p.m. Conference ends—Thank you for attending our conference—Please remember to leave us your conference evaluations and badge covers. We hope to see you next year.

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