

Civil War Encampment Blurp

Kick off spring with a *Living History Civil War Encampment* on the Framingham Center Common. Beginning Friday, May 4th until Sunday, May 6th, 2012, Union and Confederate soldier reenactors will set up camp on the Common as it will be transformed into a Civil War tableau, including soldier's tents, a field hospital, a front line canon, and a drilling area, as well as many other activities. Professional actors will mingle throughout the camp taking on the personas of local and national figures of the period. On Sunday morning, a Ladies Auxiliary Tea at the Village Hall will bring visitors back to the homefront. Special ceremonies have been planned around the town's Civil War memorial, The Edgell Library, as it will bring visitors in to this magnificent structure for the Framingham History Center's exhibition, *Framingham Remembers...The Civil War*. There will be book signings throughout the weekend with local authors who have brought Framingham's soldiers to life through recently published works. Please keep checking back to see updated information about events offered during our encampment!

We are looking for sutlers and civilians as well, for this event. For more information, please contact Jennifer Toth, 508-788-1811 or Toth.Family@comcast.net, you can also visit www.framinghamhistory.org.