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2011 Summer Day Camp ***A Call to Arms: The Struggle Continues***

Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park invites children in grades 4 – 8 to participate in the park's second annual summer day camp, entitled *A Call to Arms: the Struggle Continues*. This year the park will conduct two camps, each for different grade levels. The first camp, to be held July 12-14 (Tuesday thru Thursday), will be for grades 4 – 6, and the second camp, to be held July 19-21 (Tuesday thru Thursday), will be for grades 7 – 8. The camps will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 1:00 p.m. daily. Participants will begin and end each day at the Chickamauga Battlefield Visitor Center. Lunch is not included, so campers should make arrangements for lunch after being released.

Campers will have various opportunities to participate in many of the same activities soldiers engaged in during the Civil War. They will also learn the importance of battlefield preservation at Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park. On the final day of the camp, participants will travel to the park's Orchard Knob Reservation in Chattanooga to learn about what occurred there on November 23, 1863.

We are excited to offer this opportunity for children to participate in our second annual summer day camp!

The registration deadline for the camp is **July 5, 2011**. Please contact Chris Young at (423) 752-5213 x117 for further information. Camp flyers and registration forms can be picked up at the Chickamauga Battlefield Visitor Center or the Lookout Mountain Visitor Center. You may also download the flyer and a fillable .pdf form at www.nps.gov/chch.

For more information about programs at Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, contact the Chickamauga Battlefield Visitor Center at (706) 866-9241, the Lookout Mountain Battlefield Visitor Center at (423) 821-7786, or visit the park's website at www.nps.gov/chch.

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