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Camp Nelson National Monument announces new summer hours and May events calendar

NICHOLASVILLE, KY – The National Park Service (NPS) announces that the visitor center, museum, and barracks building at Camp Nelson National Monument will be open 7-days a week starting on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27, 2024. The buildings are open 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. The grounds remain open sunrise to sunset.

The May Calendar features the African American Genealogy Group of Kentucky.

Saturday, May 18, 2024 (1:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Following the Paths of the Civil War's Refugees from Slavery

Dr. Amy Murrell Taylor, T. Marshall Hahn Jr. Professor of History at the University of Kentucky, will describe the work involved in researching the American Civil War's slavery history, especially its collapse in a refugee crisis that unfolded ac-

"We want two more boxes, beside the cartridge box—the ballot box and the jury box. We shall gain them. The government of this nation will not prove false to its plighted faith. It proclaimed freedom, and we shall have that in fact."

Sergeant H.J. Maxwell, Battery A, 2nd US Colored Light Artillery, "Proceedings of the State Convention of Colored Men of the State of Tennessee," Nashville, August 7-10, 1865

ross the South. The hundreds of thousands of men, women, and children who fled slavery and sought refuge behind the lines of the U.S. Army guaranteed the destruction of the institution once and for all. But it is only now, over 150 years later, that their experience is becoming

visible, and their names and identities known at places like Camp Nelson.

The program will be hosted in the Barracks Building at Camp Nelson National Monument and is free and open to the public.

The African American Gene-



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Camp Nelson National Monument, the 418th unit of the National Park Service, is located six miles south of Nicholasville, KY on Highway 27 and directly north of the Camp Nelson National Cemetery.

For more information, visit the park's website at: www.nps.gov/cane or the park's Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/Camp-NelsonNPS.

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A Quote from U.S. Sen. Marsha Blackburn



It was an honor to join members of Tennessee law enforcement to commemorate the life and legacy of Blount County Deputy Greg McCowan.

We must never take for granted the sacrifices made by our men and women in blue.



A Statement from the RNC honoring National Police Week

WASHINGTON – On May 13, Republican National Committee (RNC) Chairman Michael Whatley released a statement to honor National Police Week:

"This National Police Week, we honor the brave men and women in law enforcement who put their lives on the line every day to protect Americans and keep our

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communities safe. The Republican Party will always stand with our police officers and their families and remember the sacrifices of those who have fallen in the line of duty. Our police deserve a president who will always have their back, which is why we need to stand up for law enforcement and elect President Trump on November 5."

Memorial Day is May 27th... Remember those who sacrificed their lives for freedom!

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