

Dudley MA

Town Common Celebration

August 12, 2017

Sponsored by the Dudley Historical Commission



*Civil War
Living History Encampment
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM*



♣ Union Camp

Camp will be open to the public from 11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Feel free to come in and ask questions.

♣ Demonstration of Military Drill

While our company drills, an interpreter will describe the procedures utilized to bring a company from a line of march into a deployed battle line.

♣ Rifle Firing Demonstration

Watch as soldiers in a battle line load and fire examples of civil war weapons.

♣ Portrayals of Camp Life

See how the soldiers lived, where they slept, what they ate, what hardships they endured... We love questions.



Commemoration of the 155th anniversary of the death of Frank Corbin, a Dudley soldier who was killed at the battle of Antietam in 1862.

3:30 PM

At 3:30 PM members of the 15th Massachusetts reenactors and Sons of the Union Veterans of the Civil War will be conducting a service commemorating the 155th anniversary of the death of Frank Corbin, a Dudley boy and member of the 15th Massachusetts Regiment, who was killed at the battle of Antietam in 1862. This will take place at Corbin's grave in Corbin cemetery. Afterwards the regiment will march to the common at 4:00 PM for the dedication of the monuments.

Dedication of the new Town Common monument and monument to civil war soldiers incarcerated at Andersonville.

4:30 PM



*Concert in Black Tavern barn by
Grey Whisker Pickers*

5:00 – 7:00 PM

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