

2018 SYTA Post FAM Tentative Itinerary August 28-30

Day 1: Tuesday, August 28

10:00am Depart for Gettysburg

Start your journey to Gettysburg with a taste of our countryside, featuring homemade apple cider donuts and fresh apple cider from Hollabaugh Bros. Orchard & Farm Market.

12:00pm Lunch at the Refectory with Biggerstaff's Catering

Enjoy lunch where the 1st day of the battle took place.

1:30pm Seminary Ridge Museum – "Mending the Wounded" Program & Cupola Tour

At the Seminary Ridge Museum, experience an interactive program that gives groups insight into what it would have been like for a school to be turned into a Civil War

hospital.

3:45pm Check into the NEW Best Western Gettysburg

Located right downtown on Steinwehr Avenue with a breakfast room that overlooks the

battlefield, the new Best Western is a great fit for student groups.

4:00pm Free Time to Explore Downtown Gettysburg

With tons of different shops, restaurants, boutiques, etc., Downtown Gettysburg is a

great option for free time or for a meal on your own.

6:30pm Opening Reception & Dinner at the Dobbin House Tavern

Your first night in Gettysburg kicks off at the Dobbin House, the oldest, most historic home in Gettysburg. You will be entertained with period music, fireside stories and Civil

War magic, interactive improv and living history.

Day 2: Wednesday, August 29

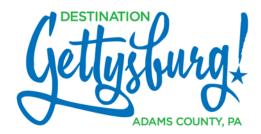
9:30am Gettysburg Heritage Center – Civilian Stories Interactive Program

The second day of touring starts at the Gettysburg Heritage Center, an interactive museum that gives insight to what the civilian side of the battle was like, as well as an orientation to the battlefield itself. You will also get a taste of their White Glove Artifact

experience with the Adams County Historical Society.

11:00am Shriver House Museum

Listen to the story of one family, the Shrivers, and learn about how they were impacted by the Civil War and Battle of Gettysburg during a restored house tour by a period-dressed docent.



12:15pm Lunch at Hickory Bridge Farm with "Fact or Fiction" Program

Enjoy a family-style served lunch at Hickory Bridge Farm, a family-owned restaurant in a beautifully restored bank barn. After lunch, partake in the Fact or Fiction program by the American Stories Historic Walking Tours & Programs.

3:00pm Farnsworth House – In Their Shoes Program

After lunch, you will visit the Farnsworth House to experience the In Their Shoes program, which is conducted by a Civil War soldier in full battle dress. During the program you will observe a day in the life of a soldier and will even be given your very own soldier identity for the program.

4:45pm Free Time to Explore Downtown Gettysburg

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7:00pm A Night at the Museum – featuring Dinner and Living History Entertainment

For the final night in Gettysburg, you will get to experience the Gettysburg National Military Park Museum & Visitor Center in a new light. Enjoy dinner, living history entertainment and the "What in the World is a Cyclorama?" program where you will get to see the infamous cyclorama painting up close.

10:00pm Ghostly Images Tour of Jennie Wade House

Get a taste of the haunted side of Gettysburg with a tour of the Jennie Wade House. The tour begins by traversing the grassy slopes of East Cemetery Hill. You will hear curious tales of ghostly soldiers, heartbroken women, poltergeists and other assorted ghostly encounters. For the second half of the tour, you will enter the same doorway through which a bullet passed on July 3, 1863, killing young Jennie Wade and making her the only civilian to be killed during the battle of Gettysburg.

Day 3: Thursday, August 30

8:30am Check Out & Depart the Best Western Gettysburg

9:00am Breakfast at Wyndham Gettysburg with Living History Entertainment

The final day of our tour begins at the Wyndham Gettysburg, featuring a short tour of the property, breakfast and entertainment by General & Mrs. Lee to wrap up the tour.

10:30am Depart for Baltimore, MD

After concluding our time in Gettysburg, we will head back to Baltimore, arriving by 12:00pm.