

The Siege of Fort New Richmond

2026 Living History Event

Daily events and times are subject to change.

Throughout the Day

Trades & Displays

- Blacksmithing (Saturday)
- Candle Making (Saturday-Sunday)
- Open-Hearth Cooking (Saturday-Sunday)
- Calligraphy (Saturday)
- Making Lace (tatting) (Sunday)
- Basket Weaving (Saturday-Sunday)
- Corn Grinding (Saturday-Sunday)
- Beekeeping (Saturday-Sunday)
- Revolutionary War era music & dancing (Saturday) with Louisiana Vintage Dancers, Kitchen Session, and Lagniappe Historic Dance and Pastime Society
- Spanish & Crown Camps

Colonial Era Crafts & Activities (Both Days)

- Make your own Hessian cap or tricorn hat
- Play colonial-era games
- Make a whirligig
- Storytelling

Louisiana's Hidden History

Spanish Louisiana in the American Revolution

Visit our movie room and learn about Governor Bernardo de Galvez and Spanish Louisiana's important role in the American Revolution.

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Saturday's Timed Events

September 19, 2026

Hours of Operation: 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM

9:00 AM	Parade & Roll Call / Camps Open to Public
9:30 AM	Company & Battalion Drill
10:00 – 11:30	18 th -century Music & Dancing
11:30 AM	Presentation: The Baton Rouge Campaign (1779)
12:00 PM	Infantry Exhibition: British/Waldeck
1:00 PM	Artillery Exhibition: Spanish
1:45 PM	Battle Prelude Narration
2:00 – 2:45 PM	Siege of Fort New Richmond Reenactment
3:00 PM	Soldiers Return to Campsites
3:00 – 4:30 PM	18th-Century Music & Dancing
4:30 PM	End of Day

Sunday's Timed Events

September 20, 2026

Hours of Operation: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

9:00 AM	Company & Battalion Drill
10:15 AM	Battle Prelude
10:30 – 11:00 AM	West Florida Skirmish
11:15 AM	Reenactors Return to Campsites
1:00 PM	End of Event

Please note: This schedule is tentative and may be adjusted due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances.