

# Gadsby's Tavern Museum

## Cub Scout Programs 2009-20010

### Swordsmen's Rendezvous

2009: November 7

2010: February 20 • March 20



*En garde!* Enjoy this popular living history program as you learn a skill all 18<sup>th</sup> century gentleman would know - swordplay. Includes re-enactment of swordplay and a display of 18<sup>th</sup> century weapons.

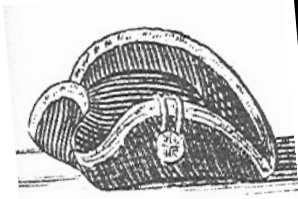
Suitable for everyone 1<sup>st</sup> grade and older (adults will have fun too!), the program includes some audience participation as you practice your new-found talents. Reservations required. \$6.00 per person (ages 5 and up). Program runs 11:00—4:30; scheduled tour lasts 1 hour.

### Museum Tours

Visit your local hometown museum day or night! Compare the past and present as you experience Alexandria's five-star hotel of the 18<sup>th</sup> century. Made famous by John Gadsby, guests included George Washington, Thomas Jefferson and John Adams. Call to reserve your special tour time today! The 30 minute tours are \$3.00 per adult, \$2.00 per child (ages 5-17).

Tours meet:

- Tiger achievement 1g
- Wolf achievement 4f
- Bear achievement 8e



### Tailor Your Tour

Tour the museum and complete the activity of your choice. Program last approximately one hour and cost is \$6.00 per child (ages 5 and up). Two adults are admitted free and additional adults are only \$3 each. Minimum of \$30. Call to reserve your special tour time today!

*Choose from the following:*

#### Marbles

(Wolf 4e elective, Marbles belt loop)

18<sup>th</sup> century children played marbles too! Learn how to play *Ringer* and practice in our ballroom.

#### 18th Century Games

See how people entertained themselves in the 18<sup>th</sup> century and try your hand at some 18<sup>th</sup> century games.

#### Knot-tying

(Wolf elective 17,

Bear achievement 22)

The merchant ships are looking for recruits. Learn how to tie knots to become seaworthy.



#### Journal Making

(Bear achievement 8f)

We know George Washington visited because he wrote about the tavern in his diary. Create your own diary and write in it with a quill pen.

*Patches and  
T-shirts available  
for all programs!*



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The Museum is proudly owned and operated by the City of Alexandria.

Parking available at metered spaces near the sites, and at several nearby parking lots & garages, including Market Square located at the corner of King and North Fairfax Streets. The City of Alexandria complies with terms of the ADA. For an accommodation, please call 703-838-4242 at least 7 days in advance of the event.

