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God Save the King! Celebrate the King's Birth-day at Colonial Michilimackinac

MACKINAW CITY, MICH. — Join the interpretive staff at Colonial Michilimackinac June 4 to celebrate King George III's 231st birthday with artillery fire, drinks and treats, and other special programs.

"Even if someone has visited in the past, there is always something new to do or see," said Craig Wilson, Mackinac State Historic Parks' Curator of History. "This event provides a deeper understanding of our past and encourages the desire to explore some of the lesser-known corners of history."

All events are included with regular admission to Colonial Michilimackinac. More information can be found at mackinacparks.com. Pictures are available upon request.

Mackinac State Historic Parks, a family of living history museums and parks in northern Michigan's Straits of Mackinac, is an agency within the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. Its sites—which are accredited by the American Alliance of Museums—include Fort Mackinac, Historic Downtown Mackinac, The Richard and Jane Manoogian Mackinac Art Museum, and Mackinac Island State Park on Mackinac Island, and Colonial Michilimackinac, Old Mackinac Point Lighthouse, and Historic Mill Creek Discovery Park in Mackinaw City. Mackinac State Historic Parks is governed by the Mackinac Island State Park Commission, established in 1895 to protect, preserve and present the parks' rich historic and natural resources for the education and recreation of future generations. Visitor information is available at (231) 436-4100 or on the web at www.mackinacparks.com.

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