



# Fort Taber~Fort Rodman Historical Association

Restoration, preservation and perpetuation of Fort Rodman and its surroundings.

## **\*\*\*ANNOUNCING SPRING/SUMMER / FALL LECTURE SERIES ON WORLD WAR 1\*\*\***

The Fort Taber~Fort Rodman Historical Association will sponsor a lecture series featuring historical and educational commentaries on World War 1. Five speakers have been scheduled thus far , and perhaps more to be added. You are invited to attend this lecture series. No charge for the programs.

2018 marks the 100 year Anniversary of the Armistice signed by the Allies and Germany on November 11, 1918.

Speakers scheduled to appear at the Military Museum are as follows:

**Thursday May 10, 2018 7:00 pm**

**Joe Yukna from the Cape Cod Military Museum**

**Lecture subject: "Yankee Division" in Europe**

**Thursday June 28, 2018 2:00 pm**

**Mark Wilkins, Author, historian, past curator of the Cape Cod Maritime Museum**

**Lecture subject: Flying Aces**

**Thursday July 12, 2018**

**Peggi Medeiros, Local Historian**

**Lecture subject: New Bedford Families go to War in Europe**

**Thursday September 13, 2018**

**General Leonid E. Kondratiuk, Co-chair of the Massachusetts WW1 Centennial Commission and Director of History for the Massachusetts National**

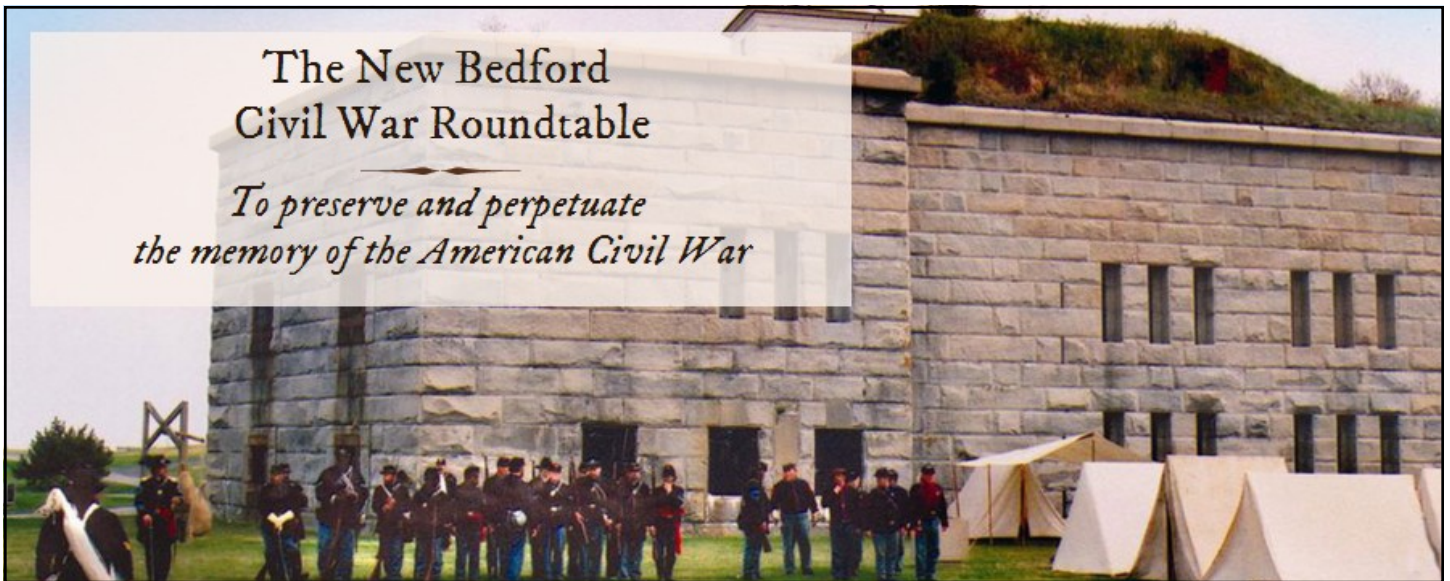
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**Lecture subject: New Bedford's 2nd Field Artillery, which became the 102nd FA Regt, 26th Yankee Division**

**Sunday November 11, 2108**

**Stephan Taber, Co-chair of the Massachusetts WW1 Centennial Commission**

**Lecture topic: Keynote address of the Military Museum Armistice Commemoration**



SPEAKER LINE UP AND SCHEDULE FOR 2018–2019

May 22, 2018	Joe Diploi from Olde Colony CWRT—Fort Warren
May 26, 2018	Memorial Day Commemoration at Rural Cemetery
June 26, 2018	Annual Meeting and Picnic
July and August	Summer vacation
September 25, 2018	Col. Kevin J. Weddle, PhD - Prelude to Antietam
October 23, 2018	Kate Ramirez - Living History—Mary Surratt. Was she guilty?
November 13, 2018	Megan Kate Nelson—War in the West
December 11, 2018	Annual Holiday Party
January 22, 2019	Open
February 26, 2019	Tom Nester from Bridgewater State U