

Parade Protocol for Re-enactors

We feel that due to several comments from spectators as well as some participants that we need to address certain issues. While most military re-enactment units conduct themselves correctly, there are some who occasionally forget they are in uniform. Be proud of the soldier you portray and the uniform you wear.

- 1. All military units will march as such, ie: squad, platoon, company, regiment, etc. and keep in step.**
- 2. No wandering out of formation to visit spectators, please!**
- 3. The crowd would like to see more show of the manual of arms.**
- 4. All musket firing will be done at safe elevation, 45 degrees., no wadding. 60 - 70 grains maximum load.**
- 5. All re-loading & firing should be done on command of the OIC. (In unison, no random firing)**
- 6. The first unit following the color guard will stay 10 paces to the rear of the guard.**

The Blue/Grey Army and the citizens of Lake City wishes everyone a great event, be careful and lets make this the best Olustee Festival ever.

Respectfully submitted,

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