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August 2022 Events & Story Ideas

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Chief Iron Whip Goes to Washington

Saturday, August 6 Tours 10am through 3pm

In 1857, Ponca Tribe Chief Iron Whip travelled 1,400 miles to negotiate a treaty with President James Buchanan. The act marked the first time a Native American Chief sat with the President of the United States. In August's Wheatland Special Subject Tour, learn about the Buchanan Administration's treatment of the visiting Ponca, their relationship with the Native American tribes, and the message that Chief Iron Whip had for the 15th President.

Chief Iron Whip Goes to Washington, a special guided tour of Wheatland, will be held on Saturday, August 6. Tours will be available on the half hour, beginning at 10am and continuing until the last tour at 3pm. **Please Note: These tours are not our regular General Admission tours and are not solely focused on James Buchanan.**

Tickets are available for purchase <u>online</u> or over the phone by calling (717) 392-4633. When booking online, be sure to first select the date of August 6, followed by the time of your choice. Advance reservations are highly recommended as tours may sell out and walk-in tickets may not be available. Members receive complimentary admission, but must reserve their tickets in advance. All visitors must abide by LancasterHistory's <u>Health & Safety Protocols for Visitors</u>.

Music on the Lawn

Saturday, August 20 6-8pm at LancasterHistory

Enjoy the sounds of the summer on the lawn at LancasterHistory! On Saturday, August 20 at 6pm, spend a relaxing evening outdoors listening to local band, *Little Leroys. Little Leroys* will perform Americana music with roots in rock, blues, and honky-tonk.

Tickets are free for LancasterHistory Members, \$10/Adult (18+) Non-Members, and free for Children 17 & Under. To purchase your tickets in advance, please go <u>online</u> or call (717) 392-4633. Tickets may also be available at-the-door.

Attendees are encouraged to bring their own blankets, foldable chairs, and picnics. Wellbehaved, leashed dogs are welcome. If you require any special accommodations to attend, please notify Annie Weeks at (717) 392-4633, ext. 134 or <u>annie.weeks@lancasterhistory.org</u> in advance. Port-a-potties will be available onsite (including an accessible port-a-pot). In the event of inclement weather, the call will be made at noon on August 20 and ticketholders will be notified.

Event takes place at LancasterHistory, 230 N. President Avenue, Lancaster, PA

LANCASTERHISTORY HOURS OF OPERATION

LancasterHistory is open to the public Tuesdays - Saturdays from 9:30am - 5pm. Tours of President James Buchanan's Wheatland will also be available Tuesdays - Saturdays beginning at 10am and continuing through 3pm. Limited-capacity | Reservations recommended Plan your visit by reviewing LancasterHistory's <u>Health & Safety Protocols for Visitors</u> and <u>FAQs</u>.