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TO: Department of the Chesapeake Camp Commanders

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SUBJECT: Ulysses S. Grant Bi-Centennial

Most people know Ulysses S. Grant as the nation's highest ranking general during the American Civil War and a two-term president during the Reconstruction Era. He was also a loving husband, devoted father to four children, and a man dedicated to his country and the ideals of a More Perfect Union. Grant is one of the most important figures of 19th Century U.S. history. His legacy is complex, remarkable, and inspiring.

Join the Department of the Chesapeake as we commemorate the 200th birthday of Ulysses S. Grant. The Irish Brigade Camp #4, Taylor-Wilson Camp #10, Army of the James Camp # 1864, and the Department of the Chesapeake will host programs April 22-30, 2022 to commemorate Grant's Bicentennial and pay tribute to this great leader. Activities begin with the Department Encampment in Fredericksburg, VA (22-23 April). This is a Department initiative executed by Department Brothers. I sincerely hope you will show your support by attending one of these events. Be advised, start times are subject to change.

April 22, 2022 - 3:00 p.m.
Ellwood Manor (west side)
Wilderness Battlefield, Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania National Military Park, VA

April 24, 2022 - 12:00 p.m.
Ulysses S. Grant Memorial
Union Square, Washington D.C.

April 27, 2022 – 1:00 p.m.
McLean House (open field left of building)
Appomattox Court House National Historic Park, Appomattox, VA

April 30, 2022 -11:00 a.m.
Appomattox Plantation (east lawn)
Petersburg National Battlefield-City Point Unit, Hopewell, VA