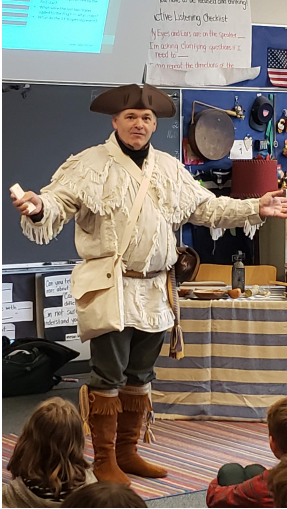


# NEIL VERNON



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## Experience:

Neil has held many positions with the SAR at Chapter and State levels, including State Historian, State Color Guard Commander, Chapter President, and Chapter Registrar.

## Lecture Topics/Costumes:

Neil has several presentations available on Colonial America, Revolutionary War, and American History. His most recent presentations are titled 'Colonial Life', 'History of the American Flag', 'Americans Creed', 'Old Glory Speaks', 'Signers of the Declaration of Independence', '14 Forgotten Presidents', and 'Teenagers in the Revolution'. He is currently working on the 'Portrait of a Patriot'. He can appear as a Militia man, a Continental Officer, Colonial Civilian, or Legislature. His living history program includes discussions of colonial era artifacts with a "traveling trunk" which contains items used by the colonial population. With prior approval from the group, weapons include the Pennsylvania Long Rifle, a Brown Bess Musket, Cartridge Box, Officer Sword, a Flintlock Horse Pistol, and a regimental Spontoon.

## Specialty Lecture Topics:

'History of the American Flag', 'Americans Creed', 'Old Glory Speaks', 'Signers of the Declaration of Independence', and '14 Forgotten Presidents'. Special Topics can be requested with advanced notice.

## Lecturing Credentials:

Routinely presented programs for lineage societies (Sons of the American Revolution and Daughters of the American Revolution) and has done several 5<sup>th</sup> grade classroom presentations on Colonial Life with the Traveling Trunk.



## Presentation Requirements:

Need two (2) 6-8 ft tables for display and presentation materials and a room which allows participants to see and participate in presentations with the Travel Trunk and Flags. No restrictions on group size.

## Audio-Visual Equipment:

Laptop, Projector and screen suitable for a laptop connection and power source for the historical presentations. Microphone/speaker system should be provided if desired.

## Length of Program:

Maximum 1 ½ Hr

## Appropriate Age Groups:

4<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grades, adults. Presentations can be tailored to the targeted audiences



## Handouts:

A master copy can be provided to make your own handouts or copies can be provided if copy fees are reimbursed. Handouts consist of Colonial map, State List of Flags, and Cutting a 5 point star Clothes Pin Patriot

## Travel Range:

The Seattle area which would include King, Snohomish Counties preferred, but can travel throughout Western Washington.

## Fees:

No fees for schools, non-profits, veterans, or civic groups. Will consider fees to cover expenses that are outside a 60 mile radius. Donations gladly accepted for the support of the Living History presentations and materials.

