

## The Western Front Association - East Coast Branch (U.S.A.) Presents:

# THE SPIRIT OF 1918

Saturday 27 October 2018 – Joseph Lecture Theatre Gettysburg
College – Gettysburg, PA

Join us for an exciting day-long program featuring refreshments, living history exhibitors, displays, door prizes, and the following WWI presentations:

#### • Gettysburg's Other Battle

Dr. Mark Snell speaks about the fascinating history behind the Gettysburg national battlefield used during 1917-19 as a mobilization and training ground – based on his new book from Kent State University.

#### Never in Finer Company: The Men of the Great War's Lost Battalion

Based on his latest book, nationally recognized historian Ed Lengel brings fresh perspective to the legendary 'Lost Battalion' in the depths of the Argonne Forest in the fall of 1918.

• <u>The Unknowns: The Untold Story of America's Unknown Soldier and WWI's Most Decorated</u>
<u>Soldiers Who Brought Him Home</u>

Combat historian and bestselling author Patrick K. O'Donnell explores America's process of remembering its Great War dead with the creation of the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and its meaning for us today – based on his new book from Atlantic Monthly Press.

The Jack Peirs Project at Gettysburg College

Dr. Ian Isherwood of Gettysburg College details the student-driven project to preserve and digitize British Lt. Col. Hugh "Jack" Peirs' war diary from the Western Front.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

When: Saturday 27 October 2018. Doors open, refreshments, meet & greet 9:00 AM with

opening remarks at 10:00AM.

Where: Joseph Lecture Theatre (Gettysburg College)300

N.Washington St., Gettysburg, PA 17325

Parking: Free campus parking @ Constitution Parking Lot

Directions:

From the Baltimore Pike (97) enter downtown Gettysburg – When you reach the traffic circle, take the second exit continuing on Carlisle St. – Next, turn LEFT on W. Railroad St. and continue until reach N. Washington St. – Turn RIGHT on N. Washington one block. – Then turn LEFT onto Constitution Ave. Follow



this avenue onto the campus grounds. – Constitution Parking Lot will be on your right and can be entered by Penn Hall Dr. on the right or further up for direct entrance on the right.

Lunch: On your own; a list of the many nearby restaurants will be available at the registration

table. We encourage you to try the many varied local eateries within walking distance.

Tables: A limited number of display tables are available for personal collections, literature and

information. If you would like a display table please indicate on the registration form.

Please also provide a table covering/skirt for your table.

### SPECIAL FREE REGISTRATION FOR THIS EVENT!

In honor of America's World War I Centennial, WFA East Coast is pleased to offer FREE registration to all attendees!

Seating is limited, however, so please register in advance by returning the form below by or emailing Karl Klusewitz by OCTOBER 22, 2018. Voluntary donations to WFA East Coast so that we can continue our WW1 memorial projects are also gratefully accepted.

Name (s):		
Primary Email:	Primary Address:	
I would like a display	table for my WW1 memorabilia (one tab	ole per person)

Please make any donation checks payable to "WFA East Coast", and mail completed registration to:

Karl Klusewitz 135 Hollowbrook Rd. Timonium, MD 21093 Or email Karl8@comcast.net