



The 23rd Royal Welch Fusiliers is a recreated unit of the British Army in the American Colonies during the Rebellion of 1775-1782. It is our mission to recreate the 23rd Royal Fusiliers as accurately as possible, in order to educate the public about the true nature and history of the British Army in the American Colonies, and to honour all those soldiers who did their duty for King and Country. All members pay annual dues. Costs associated with this hobby are usually tax deductible. Members take the public education aspect of the hobby very seriously. In addition to the large scale re-enactment events, members make individual appearances at schools, civic organizations, colleges and universities to help advance our educational mission.

Information on membership in the Royal Welch Fusiliers in America is obtained by sending email to one of the following persons. We encourage all persons who have an active interest in being a part of our organization, whether fielding as a foot soldier, or by supporting as one of our Associates. We charge a modest yearly fee which covers insurance, our newsletter, and membership in the British Brigade which is our parent organization. Individuals are usually assigned to the company in their immediate region. If all this is too confusing, contact Major Morgan for assistance.

### General Requirements

Recruits may not be a member of any other Revolutionary War period reenactment group, and upon joining the RWFA, must submit a letter of resignation to the commanding officer of any such groups that they are currently a member of. This is a regimental wide requirement and helps the regiment to maintain the standard of quality for which it is known. For further information on the 23rd Regiment of Foot, the Royal Welch Fusiliers in America, please contact one or more of the following: To assist you, the general geographic area where each company is located is listed.

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The recreated Royal Welch Fusiliers in America commemorate the service of the 23rd Regiment of Foot during the American Revolution. Fighting in nearly every major campaign of the American Revolution, the 23rd Foot was one of the premier regiments of the Crown Forces in North America. Members are located all across the United States.

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The 23rd Royal Welch Fusiliers arrived in New York in 1773. They moved to Boston in 1774. The regiment took part in the Battles of Lexington and Concord. The Grenadier and Light Infantry companies saw action at Breed's Hill which came to be known as Bunker Hill. The regiment took part in many battles in the northern theatre of the war: Long Island, Brooklyn Heights, Harlem Heights, White Plains, Fort Washington, Bandywine, Germantown, Philadelphia, Monmouth. In 1780 the regiment was sent south, to the siege of Charleston, SC. The regiment saw action throughout the south: Camden, Guildford Courthouse and Yorktown. During the siege of Yorktown, the Royal Welch Fusiliers held their redoubt against overwhelming odds, and gaining the respect of their foes. The redoubt still exists at the Yorktown Battlefield National Park and is named the Fusilier Redoubt in honor of the regiment's brave stand.

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