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Edmonds Memorial Cemetery & Columbarium

Edmonds Cemetery "Walk Back In Time" tour set for Thursday, July 21, 2016

Join us for the 26th annual "Walk Back In Time" as members of the Edmonds Cemetery Board guide you and highlight selected **Civil War** veterans' gravesites with stories from Edmonds' past.

(Edmonds - WA) There is a story of birth and death behind each headstone at the Edmonds Memorial Cemetery and Columbarium. Join us for the 26th annual walk as members of the Edmonds Cemetery Board guide you and highlight selected **Civil War** veterans' gravesites with stories from Edmonds' past. You're invited to bring your own stories and family history to share, too. Presenters will role play, pretending to be a Civil War veteran, friend or relative. This year's presenters are Betty Deebach Gaeng, noted geologist and biographer, Larry Vogel, a local thespian, Susan Bisnett, great, great granddaughter of Christopher Columbus Cook, Jerry Janacek, great, great grandson of Ira Bartholomew, and Dick Van Hollebeke, former Edmonds City Councilmember. Refreshments will be served.

Edmonds Memorial Cemetery and Columbarium
820 15th St. SW | 425.771.4741
One block north of the Westgate QFC

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