



Kennesaw Mountain National Battlefield Park Interpretive Programs for January

****All park programming is free and open to the public. No registration required unless noted.
Programs start at Visitor Center except when otherwise specified.**

Everyday @ 1:00 pm Ranger Led Museum Tour

January 4 @ 11:00 am – 11:30 am ‘Atlanta Campaign Map Talk’

This 30 minute ranger-led program focuses on the 1864 Atlanta Campaign and how the Union and Confederate forces moved through the north Georgia countryside to the city of Atlanta. This program will also utilize the various interpretive maps and signs within the Visitor Center.

January 5 @ 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm ‘Guided Mountain Top Hike’

Join us for a ranger-led hike to the top of Big Kennesaw Mountain. The hike will focus on local and Civil War history, as well some of the ecology of the area. This is an outdoor program, so please prepare accordingly. Length of the hike will be approximately 2 miles, and will be weather dependent.

January 11 @ 11:00 am – 12:00 pm ‘Guided Assault Trail Hike’

Follow in the footsteps of the Union and Confederate soldiers who fought here in that summer of 1864 with this guided hike. A ranger will take you along the Assault Trail, detailing the events of the Battle of Kennesaw Mountain and Cheatham Hill. The approximate length of this hike is 1 mile and will be weather dependent.

This program is **not at the Visitor Center; parking is at 902 Cheatham Hill Rd., Marietta (Recreation Area # 3 parking lot)*

January 11 @ 9 am – 4:00 pm ‘Kennesaw Mountain Trail Club Crew Leader Training’

**For registration information, forms, and location, please visit the club’s website:
kennesawmountaintrailclub.org**

January 12 @ 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm ‘Memorial Field Walk’

Join us for a short, ranger-led history walk in our Memorial Field in front of the Visitor Center. This program will consist of an in depth look at the Battle of Kennesaw Mountain and the diversionary attack that happened there. Please prepare accordingly, as this is an outdoor program. Program will be weather dependent.

January 18 @ 11:00 am – 11:30 am ‘Freaky Funky Furs: Animals of Kennesaw Mountain’

Come out and enjoy a ranger-led program on different animal species found here at Kennesaw Mountain. The program will utilize pelts from different animals found at our park to help teach visitors more about the diverse habitat here and the animals that call the park 'home'!

January 19 @ 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm ‘Guided Mountaintop Hike’

Join us for a ranger-led hike to the top of Big Kennesaw Mountain. The hike will focus on local and Civil War history, as well some of the ecology of the area. This is an outdoor program, so please prepare accordingly. Length of the hike will be approximately 2 miles, and will be weather dependent.

January 25 @ 11:00 am – 12:00 pm ‘Guided Environmental Trail Hike’

Come out and enjoy a guided hike on one of our least traveled, but most informative trails. On this 1.3 mile gentle walk, you will see great examples of the varied geography of Kennesaw Mountain, the feint attack at the base of Big Kennesaw Mountain, and much more.

January 26 @ 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm ‘Guided Assault Trail Hike’

Follow in the footsteps of the Union and Confederate soldiers who fought here in that summer of 1864 with this guided hike. A ranger will take you along the Assault Trail, detailing the events of the Battle of Kennesaw Mountain and Cheatham Hill. The approximate length of this hike is 1 mile and will be weather dependent.

This program is **not at the Visitor Center; parking is at 902 Cheatham Hill Rd., Marietta (Recreation Area # 3 parking lot)*

*** Outdoor programs (Living History programs and hikes) may be cancelled in the occurrence of inclement weather).*

**** For more program details, please contact Visitor Center at 770-427-4686, ext. 0, or visit our website at*

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