

Trail Ambassador 2020 Year End Report

FY 2020 is notable for a significant decrease in the numbers of interpretive events offered and volunteer support requested and which is directly related to the Covid 19 pandemic.

Currently there are 57 active Trail Ambassadors (TA). This number may change pending a review of TAs who do not have a current , signed volunteer agreement 30 September. **Please note all volunteers in the park must now sign a volunteer agreement form yearly. January 01 – end of February is designated as the period to sign the forms.**

There are 14 Trail Ambassador Candidates (TAC). 9 have completed 1 or more requirements.

Conducted 2 Trail Ambassador orientations

From OCT 01, 2019– SEP 30, 2020 , TAs supported the following events:

- Artillery Demonstrations – 1
- Field Trips – 7
- Ranger Led Hikes - 11
- Pickett Mill Presentation
- Marietta Mentoring for Leadership
- Memorial Day of Service
- Trail Work Days – 4

Kennesaw Mountain High School Key Club Service Project FY 2020: Led by Cam Graham

Project Activities : Assist with cataloging wayside Union and Confederate signs previously placed in the Park by Eagle Scout candidates. Collect: • GPS Coordinates • Confirm Description • Evaluate Condition over 2 work Days in February

Student Participation: 35 hours . 100+ signs photographed and GPS coordinates documented

KMTC volunteers: eight volunteers, 50 hours.

- Karen Petrella
 - Rich Robinson
 - Jay Haney
 - Janie Brier
 - Cam Graham
 - Gavin Gaffney
 - Stuart Haase
 - Kate Burton
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- Additional work done by Jay Haney and Cam Graham 100+ hours cataloging signs, building out worksheets, and creating narratives for each Unit / Event. (This project is incomplete and needs reevaluation in light of current environment)