Civil War Museum

Weapons Rules Policy

**Firearms:**

1. All weapons must be safety inspected and passed by a senior staff member.
2. Assume and act like every weapon is loaded at all times.
3. **No** hands over the muzzle; **no** pointing at anyone at any time.
4. Museum visitors **DO NOT** handle your weapon.
5. Cartridge boxes can be part of the uniform, but they must be empty and remain closed at all times.
6. No cartridges allowed in the Museum at any time.
7. One percussion cap can be removed from your cap box to show the public, but **never** put on weapon’s nipple.

**Edged Weapons:**

1. All edged weapons are to remain sheathed at all times – **no** exceptions.
2. Bayonets may **not** be affixed to the weapon.
3. Bayonets **cannot** be removed from their scabbard.

Persons not following weapons rules will be asked to leave the Museum and have their volunteering privileges revoked.

I understand and will follow the Museums rules with regard to weaponry. I also understand that I must submit this form each time I participate in an event.

Name: ____________________________________________________

Unit: _____________________________________________________

Signature: _________________________________________________

Date: _____________________________________________________