

YOU CAN GIVE A CHILD AN UNFORGETTABLE HISTORICAL EXPERIENCE!!

Shelby County Historical Society's History Camp 2010, June 22, 23, 24

"GO WEST , YOUNG MAN!

Experiencing Shelby County, Kentucky: 1846 to 1861"

We will present the concept of Manifest Destiny, Westward Expansion, European Immigrants, and the Coming Civil War. There will be adults representing US presidents, Taylor, Fillmore, Pierce, Buchanan, and Lincoln, as well as the Kentucky governors of the time period and Kentucky's Senator Henry Clay.

Campers will learn about steam engines, bridge building, food and songs of the period, make topographical maps to realize the travel challenges and necessary transportation improvements. The underground railroad will be explored.

Dramas will include the return of Shelby Guard members from the battle of Vera Cruz and the funeral service at the cemetery at 8th and Washington.

A \$100.00 tax deductible donation to the Shelby County Historical Society allows three campers to attend camp and pays for their craft materials, or pays the stipend of one teen counselor.

We can accommodate 50 campers and will need 12 teen counselors. The teens are from Shelby County High School and are members of the school history group.