

Struggles Unceasing: 1864-65

The POW Experience of the Somerville Guard

A talk by Dr. Daniel Breen

Monday, November 11th/Veterans Day; 2-3:00 PM

Somerville Museum, One Westwood Road

Professor Daniel Breen continues to follow the history of the Somerville Guard during the Civil War in this second of a four part series to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the war. The talk will be followed by a short ceremonial wreath laying at the 1863 Civil War Monument at 4:00 PM at the Milk Row Cemetery on Somerville Avenue, next to Market Basket. Please join us.



Left: Andersonville, Georgia, site of the notorious prison of the Confederates in the last years of the Civil War. Many soldiers of the Somerville Guard wound up here and one left a memoir of his experience. Come hear more.

Dr. Daniel Breen is Professor of History at Newbury College. He also teaches Legal Studies at Brandeis University. After receiving a Bachelors Degree in History at the University of Wisconsin, he returned to his native Georgia, where he received a law degree from the University of Georgia. He was awarded a Ph.D. in History from Boston College in 2003. His current area of research is Federalist party politics in Massachusetts during the Jefferson Administration.

Free to HS members; \$8 for non-members. Questions? Contact info@historicsomerville.org or Brandon Wilson at 617-625-6600, x 2532, or bwilson@somervillema.gov