



*2026 Abraham Lincoln 217<sup>th</sup> Birthday Events  
In Washington, DC  
Invitation & Registration Form  
February 11-12, (Wednesday/Thursday) 2026*

**Banquet in celebration of President Abraham Lincoln's 217<sup>th</sup> Birthday.**  
Your hosts: District of Columbia Commandery, Military Order of the Loyal Legion,  
and Dames of the Loyal Legion

**Wreath-Laying Ceremony at the Lincoln Memorial**  
sponsored by the Lincoln Birthday National Commemorative Committee

*Accommodation*

**Hotel Reservation Information**

Sheraton Suites Old Town Alexandria  
801 N. Saint Asaph Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314

See the link below to make the reservation for the February 2026 room block.

[Reservation-Link](#)

You also have the option to call the Marriott central reservation to book the rooms.  
Please provide them with the following Group name for them to include you into the group:

Group name: MOLLUS Feb2026

Contact Central Marriott Hotel Reservations: US/Canada: 1(888)236-2427

Block room rate: \$160 + State & Local Tax

Start Date: Tuesday, February 10, 2026

End Date: Thursday, February 12, 2026

Last day to book at block room rate: **Monday, January 19, 2026**

(It may be possible to extend that date at hotel's discretion)

Complimentary shuttle to Reagan National Airport and the Airport Metro.

Parking is available for a fee at the hotel.

*Wednesday, February 11, 2026*

**Activity in Washington, D.C.**

*Tour of Lincoln Statue at Statuary Hall, U.S. Capitol*

**Lunch at a convenient restaurant. Each person orders from the menu.**

Capitol Visitor Center as time allows.

Transportation is via Metro, Uber, Lyft, personal vehicle or carpool from hotel.

Please contact Sheri O'Connell if you are interested: [morgandesign@hotmail.com](mailto:morgandesign@hotmail.com)

## *Lincoln Birthday Dinner*

Potomac Riverwalk Ballroom at Sheraton Suites Old Town Alexandria  
(Black Tie, Business Suit, or Uniform with decorations for Gentlemen; evening wear for Ladies)

Cost is \$110.00 per person inclusive of tax & tips

Payment must be received by **January 26, 2026**

6:30 pm - Reception (Cash bar at hotel bar off Sheraton Suites lobby)

7:30 pm - Patriotic Opening in Ballroom with Military Color Guard

Dinner follows with wine for toasts

Speaker: **John Reeves**

He will speak on his recent book:

*Soldier of Destiny: Slavery, Secession, and the Redemption of Ulysses S. Grant*

### *Thursday, February 12, 2026*

## *Abraham Lincoln's Birthday Ceremony at The Lincoln Memorial*

Arrive at Lincoln Memorial by 10:30 am, program starts at 10:45 am

with Musical Prelude by Military Brass Quintet.

Gettysburg Address to be recited

Visitors see the ongoing results of renovation of the underground museum space

Wreath laying by government officials, distinguished guests, and hereditary and patriotic societies

Joint Armed Forces Color Guard

**NOTE:** Parking is limited near the Memorial.

Attendees should plan on using taxis, Uber, Lyft or leaving extra time to find parking.

## *Lincoln Birthday National Commemorative Committee Luncheon*

Thursday, February 12, 2026

COST: \$35.00 per person inclusive of tax & tips.

12:30 pm – LUNCHEON: (Lunch and dessert, and hot and cold beverages)

Menu options include grilled chicken Caesar salad, grilled salmon BLT,  
or Cheeseburger with fries.

PLACE: Chadwick's Old Town, 203 Strand St, Alexandria, VA 22314

Speaker to be determined

If you'd like an invitation/registration form mailed to you.

Email John Moore at [jumeau@verizon.net](mailto:jumeau@verizon.net) or call 571-455-8669.

# *Registration Form-- Lincoln Birthday Events*

## **Banquet - Wednesday, February 11, 2026**

STARTER: Arugula, Dried Cranberries, Toasted Almonds & Goat Cheese

☐ BRAISED BEEF SHORT RIBS Braised Beef Short Ribs & Cheddar Mashed Potatoes

☐ ONION & BACON ENCRUSTED SALMON Pan seared with onion & bacon crust, topped with lemon thyme butter, on bed of sautéed spinach served with roasted potatoes

☐ BASIL PESTO GNOCCHI Potato Gnocchi tossed with cherry tomatoes, mushrooms, parmesan cheese and pesto sauce Rolls, Coffee, Iced Tea, Wine for Toasts, Dessert: New York Cheesecake

The banquet price per person inclusive of tax & tip: \$110.00. No. ☐ BANQUET TOTAL \$\_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel.# \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Print) Must have names of members & guests – If different for each event, please indicate.

Guests \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL AMOUNT BANQUET CHECK ENCLOSED: \$\_\_\_\_\_

**Make Check Payable to “MOLLUS DC”.** Note MOLLUS Banquet on memo line

PAYMENT **MUST BE** RECEIVED BY MONDAY 26 JANUARY 2026.

SEND CHECKS & THIS FORM TO: JOHN MOORE, Commander, DC MOLLUS

Address: 306 Mashie Drive, SE, Vienna, VA 22180

Email: jumeau@verizon.net

Phone: 571-455-8669

## *LBNCC Luncheon - Thursday, February 12, 2026*

Chadwick's Old Town, 203 Strand St, Alexandria, VA 22314

☐ GRILLED CHICKEN CAESAR SALAD

☐ GRILLED SALMON BLT

☐ CHEESEBURGER WITH FRIES

Coffee, Decaf, Iced Tea, DESSERT: Deep Dish Apple Pie

Luncheon is \$35.00 per person inclusive tax & tip. No. \_\_\_\_\_ x \$35.00 = \$\_\_\_\_\_

**Make SEPARATE Check Payable to “LBNCC”.** Note LBNCC Luncheon on memo line.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. # \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Guests: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Check if Allied Order.

TOTAL AMOUNT LUNCHEON CHECK ENCLOSED: \$\_\_\_\_\_