

Tides of Gray

Education Committee 2009

Like the tide, our History education in North Carolina is a hit and miss situation with change being the only constant. Yet change sometimes can be a good thing. Beginning last year the Education Committee started a new drive to reach all North Carolina students of History. To date, this has been our largest attempt to raise the literacy of our students about the War Between the States.

First) We are asking every Camp (not one or two) to go through with the Essay Contest. This will show the population of our State that we are serious about Education.

Second) We ask each of you to start a Mentor program to assist slower learning kids in their studies. (Instructions for this are in the Education Packet each Camp will receive.)

Third) Please carry on with the In-School Programs that so many of you are doing. Tell the story as only we can tell it. Show them the truth.

Fourth) We ask that each of you send a copy of any lesson plans that you are using to the Education Committee. These will be studied and the best will be inserted on the NC Division Web Page.

Fifth) Always remember that you are representing our group at every spot that you call upon. You control the moral high ground. A more unblemished cause has yet to exist than the one your ancestor fought for.

Sixth) Remember that this year you also need to see not only 7th or 8th grade NC History classes but also the 11th or 12th grade classes of US History

Good Luck