



# CAMP PERRY

# FRIENDS OF CAMP PERRY

# Order Form

If you're a shooter or a supporter of our Military, you are probably familiar with historic Camp Perry. Established in 1906 and located on Lake Erie near Port Clinton, Ohio, Camp Perry has been home to the National Pistol and Rifle Matches since 1907 drawing thousands of competitors each year. Camp Perry also serves local and federal law enforcement, Homeland Security and various agencies of the Department of Defense.

## HISTORY

Camp Perry was named after **Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry**, the victorious American Commander who defeated the British in 1813 at the Battle of Lake Erie.

It was under the command of **Brigadier General Ammon B. Critchfield** while serving as Adjutant General of the State of Ohio that Camp Perry evolved into a permanent military installation. Camp Perry has the largest and best equipped known distance ranges in the United States, if not the world.

Camp Perry played vital roles in federal service. In World War I it was used as a training center for officers and marksmanship instructors. During World War II, Camp Perry also served as a reception center for new recruits and as a POW camp for German and Italian prisoners of war.

## CAMP PERRY ORGANIZATIONS

- Camp Perry Training Site Detachment
- Field Maintenance Shop #17
- 200th RED HORSE
- 309th Port Security Unit USCG
- Civilian Marksmanship Program
- National Rifle Association
- Ohio State University Sea Grant
- Army Air Force Exchange Service
- Ohio Naval Militia
- Ohio Military Reserve

The ***Friends of Camp Perry*** is a group of men and women who volunteer their time providing support to Camp Perry. Our mission is "to promote the health and welfare of US Armed Forces Men and Women and their families training here and to preserve the heritage, history, and traditions of Camp Perry."

Camp Perry has a rich and colorful history of service to the country and the men and women of our military. Known as the home of marksmanship, Camp Perry continues to serve thousands of shooters, the military and their families.

***Friends of Camp Perry*** is embarking on a fund raising program permitting active and former military personnel, visitors, and private citizens to purchase memorial bricks in the **Camp Perry Memorial Plaza** around the Critchfield Monument. These lasting memorials are high-quality paver bricks with names or messages professionally sandblasted up to three lines per brick, with up to fourteen characters per line.

The money raised by the Brick program will be used by ***Friends of Camp Perry*** to offset plaza costs and to fund additional programs for military service personnel and their families training at Camp Perry.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Complete the Order Form by clearly printing your inscription information in the blocks just as you wish it to appear on the brick. If ordering additional bricks, please print their inscriptions on separate sheets of paper and enclose with order.

Paver Bricks \_\_\_\_\_ @ each \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(total)

### Make Checks or Money Orders

Payable to: ***Friends of Camp Perry***

### Mail Checks/Money Orders and Completed

Inscription Forms To: ***Friends of Camp Perry***  
P.O. Box 803  
Port Clinton, OH 43452

### Why Purchase a Brick?

Honor a Loved One • Memorialize Your Military Service  
Individual Remembrance • Salute Your Military Unit  
Support Our Troops