



Sharpsburg Lions Club

Dinner Programs

The Sharpsburg Lions Club is hosting
a dinner program for only \$10.00.

June 9

“The Only Doubtful Ones: McClellan’s Least Favorite Corps During the Antietam Campaign”

This program will be presented by historian and author, Darin Wipperman. Darin is the author of “First for the Union: Life and Death in a Civil War Army Corps from Antietam to Gettysburg” As the Army of the Potomac marched toward destiny in Maryland, George McClellan lacked confidence in the men of the First Corps. McClellan referred to them as “the only doubtful ones” under his command. But the stout fighting of the First Corps under Joe Hooker in Maryland began their reputation as an immortal Civil War infantry corps. McClellan was not a man to admit he could be wrong. Yet, this examination of McClellan’s writings before and after Antietam, placed in the context of the corps’ sacrifice during the campaign, will show how, in the end, he could recognize great soldiering..

Dinner Menu: Fried Chicken, assorted salads (potato, tossed, broccoli etc.)and dessert.

The dinner program will start at **7:00pm** and is held at St Paul's Episcopal Church, 209 W. Main Street in the parish hall at the back of the church.

Please **RSVP** by June 2nd to sharpsburglions@gmail.com