

**SCV LOUISIANA DIVISION  
2016 ANNUAL REUNION  
RESCUING OUR HERITAGE**



**June 4, 2016  
Amite Community Center  
Amite City, Louisiana  
Hosted by Camp Moore Camp No. 1223**





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### Amite Community Center

101 SE Central Avenue  
Amite City, Louisiana

From I-55 Exit 46, go east for 1.3 miles, traveling through 5 traffic lights. At the 5<sup>th</sup> traffic light, turn right, just before the railroad tracks, and the Center will be 1 block straight ahead.

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Camp Moore Camp No. 1223 is honored to be the host camp for the 2016 Louisiana Division Reunion and invites you to attend the Reunion to be held on June 4, 2016 at the Amite Community Center in Amite City, Louisiana.

The Reunion will begin at 9 a.m. with a full day of informative presentations and business sessions. Speakers will present on a variety of subjects that will inspire and challenge each of us. An election of Division officers will be conducted. There will be many displays of weaponry and other historical artifacts from the War. The day concludes with the annual award banquet that will begin at 6 p.m. at the Amite Community Center. A silent-auction will be held. Donations of items to be auctioned are needed. The dress code for the meeting and banquet is business attire.

This year is a pivotal one as our heritage and the honor of our Confederate ancestors is being attacked from all fronts. It is up to each one of us to protect and preserve their honor. Early registration is highly encouraged. **Make every effort to come to this year's Reunion to meet and connect with Compatriots from all over the state! This Reunion is for you. Let's make this the best Reunion yet!**

*The original Amite settlement was located adjacent to a Choctaw Indian village. In Choctaw, Amite means "red ant," signifying "thrift," and in French, the word means "friendship." Tangipahoa Parish (est. 1869) has been described as a "mini replica" of the entire state because of its diverse terrain ranging from rolling hills, grasslands, wetlands, longleaf pine forests, dairy farms, agriculture, alligators, and an array of industry.*

*In 1854, the New Orleans, Jackson, and Great Southern Railroad ran from New Orleans to the Mississippi State Line (passing through Amite City). This sparked many prosperous New Orleanians to build country retreats and antebellum homes in the area.*

*Amite City was incorporated in 1861, only months after secession. Camp Moore, located 10 miles north of Amite City in the village of Tangipahoa, was the largest Confederate training camp in Louisiana. During the War of Northern Aggression, Amite City was an important gathering place for Confederate officials involved in the supply and support of Camp Moore. In 1864, the railroad from Amite City to Camp Moore was burned and destroyed by Yankee invaders. Following the War, Amite City served as a base for Union occupiers during Reconstruction.*



*Calcasieu Camp No. 62, in 1888 in front of the old Williams Spunk House.*

## LODGING



**Comfort Inn of Amite**  
1117 West Oak Street  
Amite, LA 70422  
Phone: 985-748-5550  
Toll Free: 1-800-424-6123  
Fax: 985-748-4525



**Holiday Inn Express  
Hotel & Suites**  
60043 Westway Drive  
Amite, LA 70422  
Phone: 985-747-0400  
Toll Free: 1-888-465-4329



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WE ARE THE SCV  
DEFENDERS OF THE CAUSE  
& SOUTHERN HERITAGE**

## THINGS TO DO

**Blythwood Plantation**  
400 Daniel St.  
Amite, LA 70422  
(985) 748-5886

Colonial Revival Cotton Plantation - now bed and breakfast. Tours available. Weddings & receptions, luncheons, candlelight dinners, parties, retreats, etc.



**Global Wildlife Center**  
26389 Hwy 40  
Folsom, LA 70437  
(985) 796-3585

Enjoy a one and a half hour guided Safari Wagon tour over 900 acres of beautiful Louisiana countryside complete with 12 ponds and a lake. During the tour you'll come face to face with bison, giraffe, zebra, camels, eland, and much more! The animals roam free - It's Africa, in Louisiana!



**Camp Moore Historical Museum  
& Cemetery**  
70640 Camp Moore Road  
Kentwood, LA 70444  
(985) 229-2438

Camp Moore was the largest Confederate training camp in Louisiana and the only one in the United States still open to the public. Opened in May 1861 as a site to organize, train and disperse soldiers from Louisiana to all points of the Confederacy, it saw as many as 35,000 men cross this ground and then on to places such as Shiloh, Sharpsburg, Manassas, Malvern Hill, Franklin, Atlanta, Mobile, Chattanooga, Cedar Creek, Chantilly, Fredericksburg, Spottsylvania, Mansfield, Murfreesboro, Williamsburg, Gettysburg, Port Republic and Petersburg, to name a few. These sons of Louisiana fought in most every major and many minor battles for four long years in the South's bid to attain independence. Visit where their epic journey in time began, Camp Moore.



## Where to Eat

### Dine In

**The Boston Restaurant**  
100 NE Central Avenue

**Mike's Catfish Inn**  
1009 W. Oak Street

**Panda Garden Buffet**  
910 W. Oak Street

**Hi-Ho Barbeque**  
208 W. Oak Street

**Fox's Pizza Den**  
114 NE Central Avenue

**La Carreta of Amite**  
122 SW Central Avenue

**Murphy's Family Restaurant**  
204 W. Oak Street

### Fast Food

**Popeye's**  
1209 W. Oak Street

**McDonald's**  
1220 W. Oak Street

**Burger King**  
1000 W. Oak Street

**Waffle House**  
1105 W. Oak Street

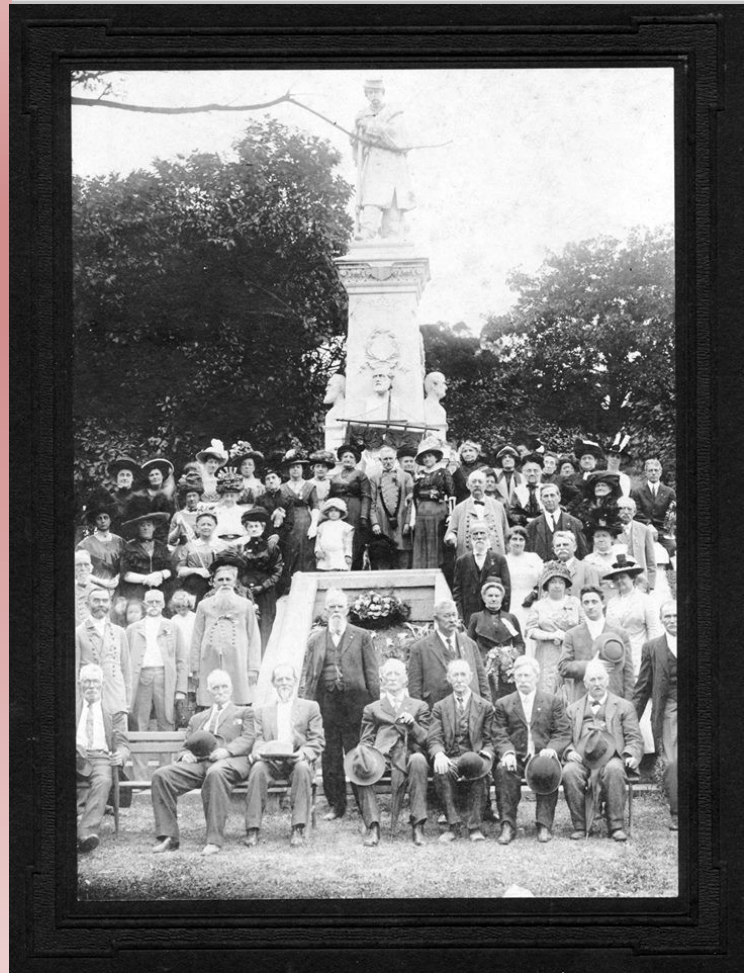
**Sonic Drive-In**  
642 W. Oak Street

**Smoothie King**  
906 W. Oak Street

**Subway**  
811 W. Oak Street

**Taco Bell**  
1104 W. Oak Street

**Wendy's**  
1201 W. Oak Street



***"He who feels no pride in his  
ancestors is unworthy to be  
remembered by his descendants"***

Major David French Boyd,  
9th Louisiana Infantry, CSA





**LOUISIANA DIVISION  
SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS  
2016 REUNION REGISTRATION FORM**



**June 4, 2016  
9:00 a.m.  
Amite Community Center  
Amite, Louisiana**

SCV MEMBER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CAMP NAME & NO.: \_\_\_\_\_ OFFICER TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

GUEST NAME(S) FOR BADGE: \_\_\_\_\_

LA DIVISION REUNION REGISTRATION (MEMBERS ONLY)    QUANTITY: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15 EACH \_\_\_\_\_

ADULT SATURDAY NIGHT BANQUET (MEMBERS & GUESTS)    QUANTITY: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25 EACH \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO CAMP MOORE CAMP NO. 1223**

**MAIL REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT TO: MATTHEW CARL, 1241 HWY 1046, AMITE, LA 70422**

**REUNION CONTACT INFO:**

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**HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS**  
60043 WESTWAY DRIVE  
AMITE, LOUISIANA 70422  
(985) 747-0400  
(800) 315-2605



**COMFORT INN**  
1117 W. OAK STREET  
AMITE, LOUISIANA 70422  
(985) 748-5550  
(800) 424-6123