

AGENDA

Teaching American History
Bridgewater State College
The American Civil War
October 23, 2004

8:00-8:30

Welcome/Introductions

Maggie Lowe

*Associate Professor of History, Bridgewater State College,
Project Director, Teaching American History Grant*

Tom Turner

Professor of History, Bridgewater State College

Steve O'Brien

Visiting Lecturer in History, Bridgewater State College

Contracts/Logistics

Suzi Fonda

Project Coordinator, Teaching American History Grant

Lesson Plans

Chuck Green

Carver High School liaison

8:30-9:00

Teaching the Civil War

Jon Roda

Middleboro High School liaison

9:00-10:00

Overview of Themes and Topics

Tom Turner

Steve O'Brien

10:00-10:15

Break

10:15-11:45

Music in the Civil War

Tom Turner

11:45-12:30

Lunch

12:30-1:45

Women in the Civil War

Elizabeth Leonard

Professor of History, Colby College

1:45-2:00

Wrap-up

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Teaching American History
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October 30, 2004

- 8:00-8:15** **Welcome/Introductions**
Maggie Lowe
Tom Turner
Steve O'Brien
- Evaluation/Grant goals**
Gary Lincoln
Principal, Apponequet Regional High School
Project Evaluator, Teaching American History Grant
- 8:15-8:45** **Using the Web to Explore the Civil War**
Jon Roda
- 8:45-10:00** **The Caning of Senator Sumner**
Tom Turner
- 10:00-10:15** **Break**
- 10:15-11:45** **Life Behind the Lines**
Thomas O'Connor
Professor Emeritus of History, Boston College
- 11:45-12:30** **Lunch**
- 12:30-1:45** **Abraham Lincoln and Civil Liberties - Then and Now**
Frank Williams
Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Rhode Island
- 1:45-2:00** **Wrap-up**

RESOURCE LIST

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Books

T. Lloyd Benson, *The Caning of Senator Sumner*

Frank J. Williams and Harold Holzer, *Judging Lincoln*

Elizabeth Leonard, *Lincoln's Avengers: Justice, Revenge and Reunion After the Civil War*

Thomas O'Connor, *Civil War Boston: Home Front and Battlefield*

Reid Mitchell, *The American Civil War, 1861-1865*

Richard J. Carwardine, *Lincoln*

CDs

The Civil War soundtrack

Curriculum materials

James I. Robertson, *Teaching the Civil War*