

September

24 & 25

2011

10:00 - 4:00

**Free
Admission**

Rogers Island Visitors Center

11 Rogers Island Drive, Fort Edward, New York



“End of the Campaign” French & Indian War Encampment

2:00 PM – Battles each day!



While in Fort Edward plan to visit the **Lois McClure**, a full scale replica of an 1862 canal schooner. Open for tours on Sept. 24 & 25 at the Fort Edward Yacht Basin 10:00 am– 5:00 pm.

Two full days of free family entertainment and education are being offered at Rogers Island Visitors Center in Fort Edward on September 24 and 25 where French and Indian War reenactors from across the Northeast will establish an authentic period encampment on Rogers Island along the Hudson River.

See how the men prepared for battle and learn what the women did in the military camps. Enjoy the smells as meals are prepared over open camp fires and listen to stories of 18th century camp life. At the 2:00 PM military tactical each day you will hear the musket fire as troops are ambushed by the French beyond the fort and watch as the British and provincial soldiers, along with their Native American allies, hurry to their defense. With the dredging now completed around the Island four period bateau will be launched in the river and joining in the battle. Period vendors will also be on hand for visitors to browse through the sutlers' tents and see the merchandise that was offered in the military camps.

