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Civil War Lecture Series at Sully Commemorates Sesquicentennial

As the 150th anniversary of the American Civil War draws to a close, Sully Historic Site concludes our spring lecture series. This Civil War commemorative program is sponsored by the Sully Foundation, Ltd. in memory of Thom Fitzhugh Hanes, one of the original founders. This year historians have presented a look at different aspects of the final year of the war.

On Tuesday, May 12, 2015, Don Hakenson talks about the conclusion of five long years of war, the surrender of the southern states at Appomattox Court House and the future of the nation. Mr. Hakenson is a native of Fairfax County, award winning author, Civil War historian and board member of several Civil War museums and organizations.

The talk will be held at 7 p.m. in the east wing of the historic house. Sully is the 1794 home of Richard Bland Lee, northern Virginia's first congressman and uncle of Robert E. Lee. Light refreshments will be served. The talk is free. Space is limited. Call 703-437-1794 to reserve your seat or get more information.

This historic site is located at 3650 Historic Sully Way in Chantilly, VA.

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If accommodations and/or alternative formats are needed, please call (703) 324-8563, at least 10 working days in advance of the registration deadline or event. TTY (703) 803-3354.