



DRUM AND BUGLE CALL

MAHONING VALLEY CIVIL WAR ROUND TABLE

DATE: Monday, October 13, 2025 @ 6:30 PM

LOCATION: A La Cart Catering, 429 Lisbon Street, Canfield, Ohio 44406

SPEAKER: SCOTT MINGUS

Dick Anderson at Gettysburg and Beyond

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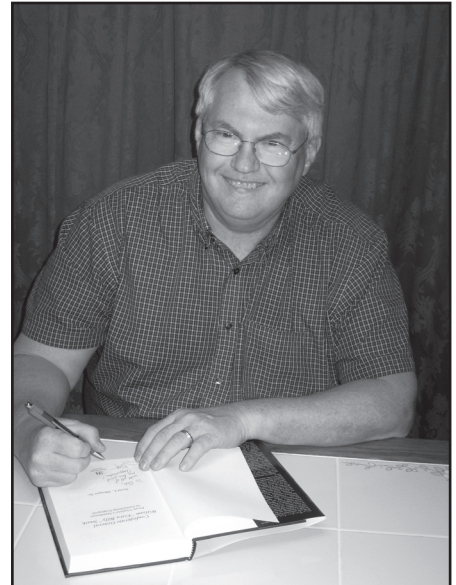
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To some commentators, the failure of Dick Anderson's Confederate division to maintain Robert E. Lee's en échelon attack

at Gettysburg proved disastrous to the fortunes of the Army of Northern Virginia on July 2, 1863, at Gettysburg. To others, Anderson saved much of his division from suffering the same staggering losses of other divisions in the assault. Lee never reprimanded or censured Anderson. In fact, he promoted him later in the war.

This month's speaker, **Scott Mingus**, the co-author of *The Second Day at Gettysburg* (2015), will discuss Anderson and his role in the battle, as well as his post-battle endeavors. Scott is the author of 28 books on the Civil War and the Underground Railroad. His 2013 biography of Confederate General William "Extra Billy" Smith, subtitled *From Virginia's Statehouse to Gettysburg Scapegoat*, was nominated for and won multiple awards, including the Dr. James I. Robertson, Jr. Literary Prize. He has also written several articles for Gettysburg Magazine and other journals.

A retired scientist and executive in the global pulp and paper industry, Scott was part of the research team that developed the first commercially successful self-adhesive U.S. postage stamps (he holds patents in self-adhesive postage stamps and bar code labels). Scott maintains a blog on the Civil War history of York County, Pennsylvania (www.yorkblog.com/cannonball), and received the Heritage Profile Award from the York County History Center for his many contributions to local Civil War history. An avid miniature war-gamer, he has been elected to the hobby's prestigious Legion of Honor. Additionally, his great-great-grandfather was a 15-year-old drummer boy in the 51st Ohio Infantry and he has other ancestors who fought with the Army of the Potomac at Antietam and Gettysburg.



DEADLINE: Friday, October 10, 2025 (Checks payable to MVCWRT)

Name: _____

Number of reservations: _____

\$18.00 per attendee: _____ **Battlefield donation:** _____

Check enclosed: \$ _____

Mail reservation to:

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