

Hello all,

Please see reference material to help you prepare for the May Get Out of the Car - Field Talk. None of this is required for you to participate but is made available for anyone that would like to freshen up a little or become more familiar with the action that took place on July 1st.

Episodes of AG about the action on July 1.

Gettysburg 157th Anniversary Special- July 1, 1863
Battle of Gettysburg 158th Anniversary Special- July 1, 1863 with LBGs Rich Kohr and Tracy Baer
159th Anniversary Special- July 1, 1863- with Jim Hessler and Eric Lindblade
Battle of Gettysburg 160th Anniversary Special- July 1, 1863
Battle of Gettysburg – The First Day 161st Anniversary episode
Ask A Gettysburg Guide #13- From McPhersons/Herbst/Reynolds Woods- with Tim Smith

Recommended maps depicting the action in the Wheatfield.

Page #	Map	Notes
Gettysburg Campaign Atlas, Revised and Expanded by Philip Laino, Gettysburg Publishing		
102-116	1-12 to 1-30	The Iron Brigade Deploys
127-145	1-42 to 1-61	Daniel's Brigade Advances
The Maps of Gettysburg, by Brad Gottfried, Savas Beatie		
87-93	Map set 7	Along Chambersburg Pike
94-105	Map set 8	The Fight for McPherson Ridge
106-115	Map set 9	Seminary Ridge
A Field Guide to Gettysburg 2nd Edition, by Carol Reardon and Tom Vossler, UNC Press		
67	Stop5	The fight around the railroad cut
131	Stop 12	Bucktail's versus Tar Heels on McPherson's Ridge
142	Stop 13	The Iron Brigade takes a stand
152	Stop14	Last Stand at the Seminary

Book Resources about Doubleday and the action on the first day..

Harry W. Pfanz — <i>Gettysburg: The First Day</i>	
Publisher: University of North Carolina Press, 2001.	
Chapter	Chapter Title
10	Noon Lull
13	Oak Ridge
20	Heth Attacks
21	Retreat from McPherson's Ridge
Stephen W. Sears — <i>Gettysburg</i>	
Publisher: Houghton Mifflin, 2003.	
Chapter	Chapter Title
7	A Meeting Engagement pgs. 170-182
8	The Gods of Battle Smiles South, pgs. 205-225
add 'l mentions	pg. 245, pg. 507
Fight Like the Devil: The First Day at Gettysburg, July 1, 1863.	
Mackowski, Chris, Kristopher D. White, and Daniel T. Davis. <i>Emerging Civil War Series</i> . Savas Beatie, 2015.	

Additionally, if you are interested, I find this a big help in understanding the movements on the battlefield. There is a charge to have access but I thought I would share.

[The Gettysburg Animated Battlefield Map App](#)

Regards,

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