



# PAMPLIN HISTORICAL PARK & THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE CIVIL WAR SOLDIER

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## DIGITAL DEVICES OFFER NEW EXPERIENCES AT PAMPLIN

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**Orpheo Nova**

Mikro is intended for children and school groups. The Orpheo Nova is for daily visitor use and features a 5 inch color display allowing visitors to view images and videos in addition to artifacts and displays. Both devices present the museum's audio programming at over 80 stations located inside the museum and on the exterior and trails of the 424-acre Park.

Petersburg, Va. – Pamplin Historical Park & The National Museum of the Civil War Soldier is introducing new digital devices from the multi-media company Orpheo based in France. These hand held devices are currently being used in a variety of places in the United States including the Kennedy Space Center, Grand Central Terminal in New York, the Harley Davidson Museum in Wisconsin and the Elvis Presley Museum in Tennessee.

Two different devices will now be available for visitors to enhance their museum and park experiences. The Orpheo



AUDIO GUIDES



**Orpheo Mikro**

One of the signature features of the award-winning “Duty Called Me Here: The Common Soldier in the Civil War” is the audio component. This has allowed visitors to follow one of thirteen “Soldier Comrades” through seven themed galleries in the museum over the past 18 years. Now visitors can view additional images of artwork, documents and letters both through the galleries and at over 30 stations located in the exterior of the Park. This exterior experience features slave quarters, historic homes, demonstration gardening, farm animals, original field fortifications, the story of the April 2, 1865 “Breakthrough” battle and more.

*One of “Virginia’s Best Places to Visit” according to the Travel Channel, and designated as a National Historic Landmark, Pamplin Historical Park & The National Museum of the Civil War Soldier is a 424-acre Civil War campus located in Dinwiddie County, Virginia offering a combination of high-tech museums and hands-on experiences. The Park has four world-class museums and four antebellum homes. The Park is also the site of The Breakthrough Battlefield of April 2, 1865 and America’s premiere participatory experience, Civil War Adventure Camp. For more information, please call 804-861-2408 or visit [www.pamplinpark.org](http://www.pamplinpark.org).*