

“A Shot Heard Around the World: Lexington & Concord April 1775”
JFK Museum ~ 397 Main Street ~ Hyannis, MA 02601
July 17, 2024
10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Brian Cummins '82 in this presentation will examine the political, social, and cultural events leading to armed conflict between the colonies and the mother-land Great Britain culminating with the action on the 19th of April 1775 at Lexington, Concord, and at a third battle site. Alumni will learn remarkable tales of valor and courage in the opening salvos of the American Revolution.

Lt Col Brian J. Cummins, USA (ret) was a career Army officer in the military intelligence branch, commissioned in 1982 at the Historic “Old North Bridge” in Concord, Massachusetts. From 1997 to 2001, Col Cummins served in the European Command Joint Analysis Center where he was commander of the US National Intelligence Cell in Bosnia. In 2007 he was recalled out of retirement to augment the surge of Army forces to Iraq, where he served as a senior US adviser to the Iraqi Provincial Military Governor. In his civilian career, Cummins was a leader at Northrop Grumman and now is a senior instructor with GCI Corporation.