





In the heart of the Pennsylvania Dutch country, quietly secured on 80 plus acres of natural woodland, you will find the home of the Speedwell Wolves.

For over 30 years the Darlington Family has offered refuge to Wolves who have found themselves without a place in the natural world. It has been over a hundred years since the last wild Wolf was known to exist in Pennsylvania. Originally created as a private rescue, the Wolf Sanctuary of PA has grown into an educational facility. We are devoted to assuring the most comfortable and stimulating environments for our wolves. Here at Wolf Sanctuary of PA wolves and wolf hybrids are given back their dignity.

The Wolves of Speedwell hold a unique position as Ambassadors to the wild. It has been said that "the best wolf habitat resides in the human heart." Perhaps it is also that the best habitat for our own wildness resides in the heart of the Wolf. The Sanctuary currently provides food, shelter and veterinary care for over forty Wolves with no government or corporate assistance. Only, by your continued support and interest do the Wolves thrive.

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tioga and little girl



I am Tioga! I am a very big timber wolf! I was rescued from Shamokin, PA with my alpha dad Merlin, my alpha mom Niksa, and my aunt Keisha. They have all passed on now and I miss them but I have my own pack now with another timber wolf named Little Girl. We have lots of fun playing together. And I love play. I also love treats! For the record, I hate fish! But I love raw meat, of course. I have a really great personality, which you will definitely see when you come visit me on a tour!

My name is Little Girl but I am not really sure why, I'm a big strong female timber wolf! I came to the Sanctuary from Missouri with my friend Booboo but he got very sick and passed away. I miss him very much but now I live with another timber wolf named Tioga. He is big and strong too and we love to howl together. He's a little bit older than me but we still have fun! Come on a tour and see us!



aries and lazarus



I am Aries! I had s sister named Hope but she moved on the be with our ancestors some time ago. Now it is just me and my pack-mate Lazarus. We love to hang out in the shade and boy do we love visitors. If it is really hot outside in the summertime I love to dunk my front paws straight into my fresh water buckets when the volunteers come to clean them and fill them with cool water. Then they have to fill them again, it's the most fun game! Come visit me on a Private Tour.

I am Lazarus. My mom's name was Lucky and I was born in the same litter as Lincoln, Lucas, Levi, and Lenape. When I was really I got very sick with a respiratory infection and I had to be taken to the doctor. After I recovered I joined a new pack with Hope and Aries. Hope passed away some time ago, and now it is just me and Aries. Aries and I both love attention and food, especially deer meat! Come visit us on a private tour!



vada and d-dozer



Hil I'm Vada! I am just the happiest wolf-dog around since I get to spend my days with my very best wolf-dog friend, Mr. D-Dozer. We romp and play in our forest territory. The best is when the humans come to bring us big juicy pieces of meat. We leap into the air for joy! Come visit us on a Private Tour!

Hello there! My full name is Downingtown Dozer but you can call me D-Dozer if you like. The place I cam from was in Downingtown, PA which is how I got my name! I am so happy to be here and have grass under my paws and trees to take naps under. I love romping and playing with my lady-wolf companion, Vada. Come visit us on a Private Tour!





three pack



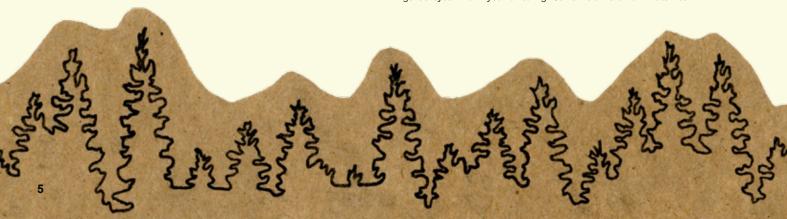
I am Running Bear. I was rescued from Elizabethtown. I am really quite shy, but I am trying to warm up. I am very timid, but I will come over to the fence when there is food involved! People say I have the most beautiful markings on my face! Come visit me on a Private Tour.

I am Watonie. I am a female and the most timid of my pack. I like to sit in the back and watch. I love raw meat! I live with my two brothers, Running Bear and Achilles. Achilles was not rescued at the same time as us, and he doesn't like to talk much about the time before he got to come to the sanctuary. I am so happy he is finally with us again! The three of us have the best time together. I am very shy around people, but I like it when they drop off meat for us to eat and then leave so I can eat it quietly. I will be watching you even if you don't see me. If you look closely, you might see me peering around a tree, but my markings help me blend in perfectly. Come visit on a Private Tour!





I am Achilles. I was just under a year when I arrived. Battered but not broken. I lived with a man who had no respect for any other, and I was in constant fear. I dreamed of a day when I would run free and to see my family again. My hope draining slowly as the days turned into months, then one day while I was hiding in a corner unable to open my month. There was some kind of contraption on it called a muzzle. Anyway I digress, I was listening intently to what my captors were saying about hiding me. Someone was coming to check the den and I could not be there when they arrived. Early in the morning the mate of the evil human wrapped me up and took me out of the den and into another. There was noise outside and suddenly I was being brought back to that horrible place. But no, there were other humans in uniforms and someone else with the gentlest eyes and they were trained on me. I did not get to go with him at first. I was loaded in the back of a truck and taken away. I was terrified. What horrors going and what was to become of me? I didn't know it then but I had just started my new life. I arrived at a place where they poked and probed me, but ever so gently. Here I could tell everyone around me just wanted to heal me. I laid on the table still and quiet. I think I was in bit of shock, maybe. I had a big hole in my neck where infection had set in. I had been beaten a lot at my home, and I ached all over. But the hands that touched me now meant no harm. I was going home, a new home. I went to sleep, and when I woke up, well there was lots of fuss over me. I would not let anyone touch me at first. But they kept after me. Sitting in the same room with me, but not making me do anything I did not want to do. Slowly I thought I would take that bit of food offered. I could hear off in the distance a familiar sound. A calling, but I was not sure. I did not want to get my hopes up. The gentle eyes came to visit me every day. He has always been very gentle with me. He reunited me with three of my siblings. I still recall the first day I saw them. WOW my hear soared I was put in a small area right beside them and when the gentle eyes thought all was safe he opened the gate. I bolted into my family's home! I ran and ran, the wind could not even catch me. I had never run before and what a feeling. My family in my wake. Of course there have been tense moments as we got reacquainted. I live with just two of my siblings now since our other sister lives in a different territory with her mate. I love my pack and we laugh and play and run and fight. We are a pack. We are proud and fierce and invincible! We are Wolf! I learned that is mow my home, and I truly feel safe here. Oh and there gentle eyes still come to visit me, not as much as they used to. But then I have my family now, and there are new wolves to rescue and heal aren't there? Please help in our journey. Help the gentle eyes. Thank you for caring. Come visit me on a Private Tour!



tyha and sakima



Hey, I'm Sakima and I am a timber wolf. I was rescued and brought to the sanctuary with my sister Tayha, she was a little bit nervous in the beginning but she's gotten much better since we've been in our forest home. I was shy at first too but I've been warming up, everyone here is really nice! And they never say anything about my under bite, they say I am just as handsome as can be. Come visit me on a Private Tour!

Hello, my name is Tyha. I am a shy female timber wolf. I have learned so much since being here at the sanctuary. I don't remember much about my past, I still get a little bit stressed sometimes if I think about it too much and I start to pace. I've been able to move past that though since I've been in my new forest home with my brother Sakima. We have so much space and there are so many fun places to hide. I've grown to trust people too, especially the ones that bring us juicy treats and raw meat for dinner. Come visit me on a Private Tour!



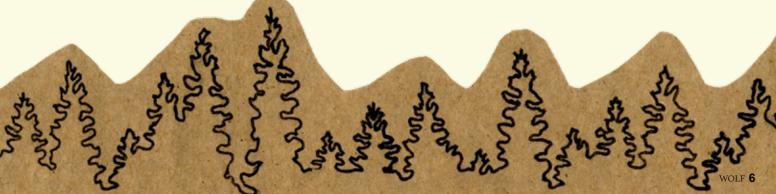
spirit and mika



Hi, my name's Mika. I came from Virginia. I was so scared when I got to the sanctuary. I did not want anyone to touch me. They would come every day and sit in my house with me. No one forced me to do anything, they just sat with me. After awhile I got the Idea that I would sneak behind them and push them and run away, they did nothing but sit, no yelling at ne or anything! I started feeling like I was safe, and that maybe I was going to like it here. And you know what? Now I love it here, and I love to run over and say hello and get my belly rubbed by the volunteers. Always on my own terms, and that is how I like it. I love treats on tours and I just love raw meat dinner, especially deer meat! I live with my best friend Spirit in a large territory that we have all to ourselves. I have a big fluffy white coat that keeps me toasty in the winter and by summertime I shed it all right off as if I had a brand new haircut! That way I don't get too hot on sunny summer days. I love play and goof around. Come see me on a Public or Private Tour and maybe you'll catch me and Spirit goofing around together!

Hey, I'm Spirit. I live up on a big hill with my best friend Mika. Mika and I love to chase each other through the tunnels in our territory and we play all day long. We love to catch treats in the air during tours. I am very friendly because I used to live in Maryland with a very nice family, and sometimes they still come to volunteer or come for a tour to visit me. I've been told I have the most beautiful wolf eyes. Isn't that just the nicest thing! Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.





big pack



I am Lenape. I am the smallest of the four brothers in the big pack, so it's easy to tell me apart. I don't like when the other wolves touch me, I would rather they just kept their distance. I'm a lower ranked member in the pack and sometimes I become a little bit too rowdy and get picked on by my Brother Levi. He's not the boss of me! I love raw meat, of course, and I try my very best to get the tour guides to sneak around to the back of my enclosure and bring me secret treats while the rest of the pack isn't looking! It doesn't always work, but sometimes I find a nice juicy piece of meat that I can enjoy all to myself. Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.



I am Lucas. I am very mischievous! I do not like cameras, well unless they are in my mouth, of course! Sometimes you can even see me pawing the ground like a bull. I have really awesome eyes, well, I think so, anyway! Something I am just a clown.



I'm Sarge. Trinity is my sister. Sometimes I try to compete with her for the Alpha position in the pack, especially during breeding season. By the soring it becomes clear again that she is in charge, though. I am a little bit smaller in size, but I can be just as strong. I love when people come to visit for tours because sometimes I get treats! When I howl with my pack I make as much noise as possible to make it sound like there are dozens of us. Come visit me on Public or Private Tour.



I am Chomp. I was named for my partially missing ear. I lost the tip in a scuffle with one of my pack mates. It happens, what can I say. I am the Omega female in my pack. I love when people come to visit, it means I will be getting treats. The volunteers hand me a hot hog and I can chomp it right in the big pack and there is always something going on and I love to be a part of the action. Sometimes it gets me in trouble and I have to remember my place as the omega. We all have a role to play! Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.

I am Trinity, and I am the Alpha female of the pack.
You can usually find me running with my tail held
high. I always like to see what is going on. I am

high. I always like to see what is going on. I am very motherly and I love to make sure everyone is well groomed and cared for. But don't be deceived. I am a very strong alpha when it comes to discipline. Come visit me on a Public or Private Tour!



I am Lincoln. I love showing off! When you see me on the tour, you will see me sticking my paw through the fence to try and grab food from the volunteers. I like when people talk about me! I look a lot like my brothers but you can tell who I am when you visit because my tail is a bit shorter than theirs. Some of the volunteers call me an Alpha because I am the first to eat in my pack. I don't always show all of the dominant traits, though, sometimes I let my brother Levi or our relative Frodo show dominance instead. Come see for yourself and tell me what you think! Come visit me on Public or a Private Tour.



I am Levi. I am the largest of the brothers. You tell me apart because my nose has a bit grayer in it. I like to hang out with my brother Lincoln, so some of the volunteer say I seem to be something like a Beta Wolf. All I know is, I am a strong wolf and I like to make the others submit to me. I can jump higher than anyone for treats, wait until you see me! Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.

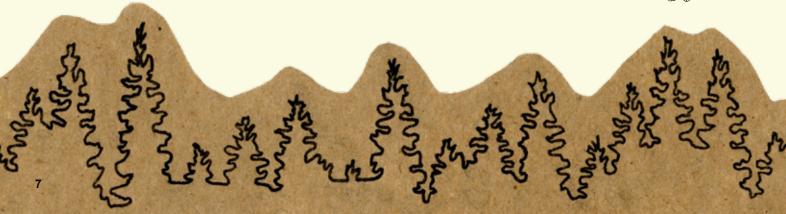


I am Geronimo, and I am the Omega in the big pack. I am very shy during tour time, and won't come down to the fence. Since my pack won't always let me eat right away, I watch where they hide their food. Then, when they are sleeping, I sneak and sniff around to find it and have myself a delicious meal! I am very smart! Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.



I'm Frodo. I am a large silvery male wolf in the big pack. Many people love to take my picture as I am so majestic! I love and run with the younger wolves in my pack, especially Lincoln, Levi, and Lucas. Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour!





bear and sophies



Hello, my name is Tyha. I am a shy female timber wolf. I have learned so much since being here at the sanctuary. I don't remember much about my past, I still get a little bit stressed sometimes if I think about it too much and I start to pace. I've been able to move past that though since I've been in my new forest home with my brother Sakima. We have so much space and there are so many fun places to hide. I've grown to trust people too, especially the ones that bring us juicy treats and raw meat for dinner. Come visit me on a Private Tour!

I am Sophie, and I came from New York City with my friend Ginny, but Ginny I parted ways a few years back. I like the female volunteers a but more than the males. I just feel better around them. I love food! I usually try to hoard all of it to save for later. I am good runner, you should see me running around grabbing meat for myself! Come visit me on a Private Tour.



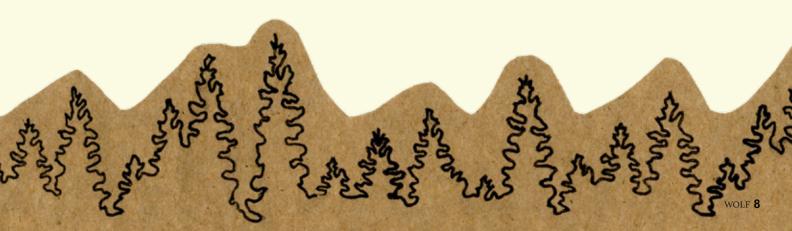
cheyenne and loci



Hi there, my name's Cheyenne. I came from a place called New York. I used to have lot of puppies back then but I never got to see any of them grow up, the humans would always take them away. I like my humans well enough but I didn't know what it was like to be free, Once I was rescued and brought to the sanctuary everything changed. Now I have my very own territory and attention so tours are my favorite! Come visit us up on our beautiful hill on a Public or Private Tour!

Hi, I'm Loci. Like Thor, I am also blind. But that doesn't stop me from anything. I definitely know my surroundings! I was rescued from Virginia. Now I live in my very own territory with my friend Cheyenne and she told me she was rescued too! I also have a GREAT sense of hearing and smell! I love when the volunteers come to give tours because they bring me treats and I listen very carefully when they toss me some meat so that when it hits the ground I know right where it is and I bolt over to it and scarf it right up! I also have a big pool that I like to splash and play in on hot days. Recently, I've been gaining a bit of my eyesight back, it's not perfect yet but I've never seen a wolf wear glasses, have you? I get by perfectly fine with my nose and my ears. Come visit me on a Public or Private Tour and see how I am doing!





the motley crew



Hi Hi Hi! Ummmmmm, I'm Little Joe! I am still a wee wolf but I am growing up quick and learning all the ways and wonders of the world! I was very very very scared growing up since I was shipped and bumped and shoved across the country all the way from Texas to Pittsburgh all alone but I finally have a forest home and a whole pack to spend my days with! I am bit obsessed with being organized. I keep my territory tidy and I carefully arrange all of my treats and bones and sticks straight in a line on my platform. Come visit me on a Private Tour! I will see you, you may see me. The Sight of people still makes me nervous.

Hil I'm Kuzco! I just love it here! Some people may think I look silly because my ears but I have the spirit of the wolf in me and all I've ever wanted my whole life was another wolf companion to play with. Now I live in a big forest territory with my three friends, Shawnee, Princess, and Little Joe! It takes me awhile to trust people sometimes, but once I trust you I'll never forget you! Stop by to see us on a private tour, I'll be the one with the floppy ears and long black tail!

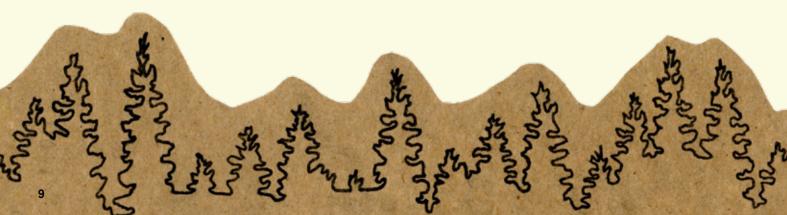


Hi! I'm Shawnee! Oh boy am I excited to be here. I Used to live in a house with some humans who I loved a whole lot but I am a very big female wolf and I outgrew their human lifestyle. I missed them when I first came here but I learned that the humans here are super nice too! I love when people come to visit. I also have three friends with me! Princess is a bit older than m, but I am much bigger than her and I always win then we play and hunt together. Little Joe is much, much smaller than me but he sure acts like he's my size! Kuzco is around my age and we are close o the same size so we just love to play. You may hear us howling from our forest hilltop, but the only way to see us is on a private tour!

Hello, my name is Princess. I lived a long time with humans, but one day I was brought to the sanctuary and now I am finally beginning to learn what being a wolf is all about. I have a forest home that I share with my companions Shawnee, Kuzco, and Little Joe. I am fairly small for a wolf but I am still very strong and tough. I am crazy about meat, especially deer meat! I am still a little shy but if you visit me for a private tour you may get to see me peering at you through the brush! Keep an eye out for me: I am one of the smallest in my pack and certainly the more reserved.







smokey's pack



I am Cinderella and I was born here at the sanctuary. I love to dig dens. I especially love to take naps down in them when it gets very hot outside! I am very gentle when the volunteers feed me treats, and take them like a true lady. I hear them on the tours telling people that I was named after a very brave strong alpha who lived in the wild in a place they call Yellowstone. You'll have to ask the volunteers the whole story when you visit, but all I know is that Cinderella rose up to challenge a very mean alpha who was threatening her pups. She survived and raised fifteen pups all in one den! Would you believe it? I always like to hear her story and I am honored to carry on her name. It must be fun to be in the wild, but I am so happy to live safely here in my forest home at the sanctuary with my brothers and sister. Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour!

I am Swayze. I tend to be shy, like my brother Friday, but I still love to get treats at the fence during tours. I am named after the actor who plays the main character in the movie Ghost, so I am almost famous! I'm also told that I am a very handsome wolf. Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour!



I am Friday. I am very shy, and tend to staying the back of the pack. I am the largest in my pack. I will catch treats, but I will not come up to the fence for them. Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour!

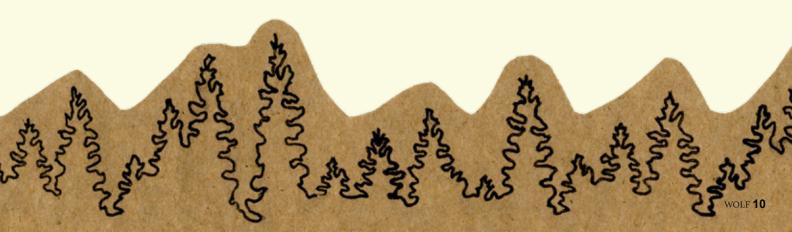


I'm Solo. They call me the golden girl, because of my beautiful coloring. I am very active, and sometimes can't stop bouncing. I eat first along with my brother Dusty, and make the others wait their turn. I love raw meat! Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.



I am Dusty. I am a male, and am the alpha of my pack. I am always aware of my surroundings, and what is going on around me. I keep a lookout and I am always the first to alert my pack to anything unusual. I especially make sure they know when it's time for dinner. I am a bit smaller than my brothers but I am a very strong leader for my pack. When you come see me, look for the dusty colored wolf that's me! Come visit me on Public or a Private Tour.





penny pack



Hi, I'm Rogue. I came here because my human companion could no longer keep me. He was moving into into a small apartment and just knew I would not be happy there. I need lots of room to run. When I came here they put me in a home that had this funny stuff I had to walk on. I finally had to ask the wolves in my pack what it was! They called it dirt and grass. I had never walked on such stuff, but I must admit it feels better on my paws. I am very quiet, so when you come by my enclosure look hard cause I am here, you just might not hear me. I love to playfully bounce at the fence. Oh and I am told I have beautiful gray eyes. Come visit me on a Private Tour!

My name is Sky and I was born in August 2012.

I love to run, eat and generally bug this big boy they roomed me with. His name is Jasper Iron Jaw Houdini. How did he get that name? That is another story! He is adorable! I love to run with him and play and jump and roll around. Oh and I love love love water. I am happy to be here and out of that little box that mean man kept me in for most of my early puppy life. This place is so big I'm still amazed by it! I was so excited when I got to come down and see the other wolves. Now I live up on a big hill and Jasper and I have a friend named Rogue who lives with us too! It's great! Come visit me on a Private Tour.





Hil I'm Jasper and I just love living here! I also love attention and I am very smart. When I first got here I was very lonely. I wanted to be with other wolves or at least with one of these new humans but they said that for a little while I had to stay in a place called quarantine until I was ready to move. I decided I didn't want to wait any longer o I chewed a hole in the door and they came and fixed it. Then I squiggled through the fence panel and the ceiling. They came and fixed that too. Then I found another weak spot and they even fixed that! Then I thought I will just chew a hole in the roof, and of course they fixed it. After awhile they put a new roof on and I was stuck. Arg! Little did I know I would not be in quarantine for very long. Before I know it I was in a new enclosure with wolf friends and you know what? I never tried to escape again. One of my friends is THE cutest little girl. She is smaller than me and a little greedy when it comes to food but oh well I can look past that. Company at last! Her name is Sky and we live with our other friend Roque. Come see us on a private tour!

dakota and yellow feather



I am Dakota! What took you so long to find me??? I am the Alpha in my pack. I was rescued from Pittsburgh, and I love love, love humans! Sometimes I act just like a big puppy, unless you try to mess with my food, of course! Some people call me a player, but I think I am just wonderful! Come visit me on a Private Tour.

I am Yellow Feather, and I am the Alpha female in our little pack. I was also rescued from Elizabethtown, but I am definitely ready to explore my surroundings and see what is going in! I love being looked at, but I am still cautious, just being smart, I call it! Come visit me on a Private Tour.





ginny and dozer



Hi! I am Ginny. I came from New York City. Can you imagine me there? It was very scary for me. I now live in a big forest home with my friend Dozer. I have since learned to warm up to the humans. I am also a very good jumper! Sometimes I like to run and hide to escape Dozer when we play. You can tell who I am by my beautiful hear shaped markings on my face. Come visit me on a Private Tour.

I'm Dozer. I love, love, love to jump! I can jump up straight of the ground and I would probably reach right over the heads of my human caretakers. I grew up in a very small place and I don't remember much about it but I am much happier here in my forest home with Ginny. We are both feisty and we love to play. Come see us on a private tour!

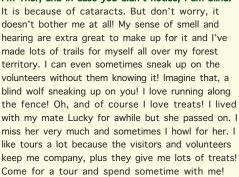


wolf seeking pack



Hello my name is Jake. I am a female wolf. I moved around a bit before coming to the sanctuary but I am told this will be my forever home and I will never have to leave. I will finally get a chance to settle in. I am a little shy and quiet, but I do love my human caretakers and appreciate when they visit and just sit in my company. It settles my soul to have them near. I am a lone wolf at the moment but I am told that soon I may get a companion; I would really love that! For now, I will content myself to howl along with my neighbor wolves nearby. Come visit me and see the forest territory that I get to call my own. Come visit me on a Public or a Private Tour.

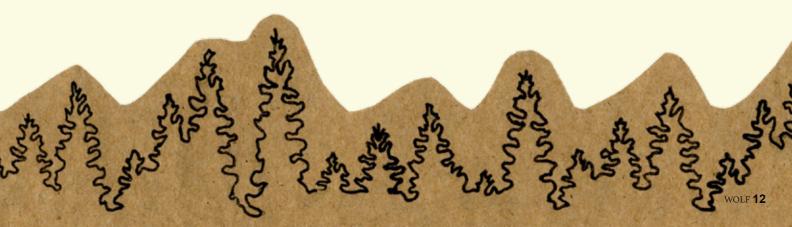
I'm Thor, and in case you didn't notice, I am blind.







You know me as Galahad! I have to say I am not very shy and I love attention, but always on my own terms. What do you expect I am wolf, hear me how!! When you stop by my enclosure I may show off my wiggle and pounce at the fence to get a treat, my favorite are chicken drumsticks! Come visit me on a Public or Private Tour!



How YOU CAN HELP

Want to help us fulfill our goals? Here are some ways that you can help support the Wolves of Speedwell.

volunteer program

We rely on the hard work and dedication of our volunteers to help do the necessary daily work required to keep the sanctuary running smoothly. Volunteers are typically needed on Saturdays, Sundays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, and are especially appreciated on Special Event or Full Moon weekends.

donate meat

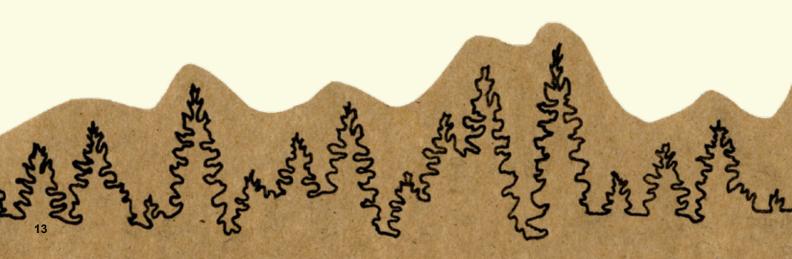
Our wolves require an average of 5 lbs of meat per wolf, per feeding! With over 40 wolves, that comes out to over 600 lbs of meat required... every week! Providing that much raw meat is not cheap, but you can help and lessen the burden. We accept raw (preferably frozen), uncooked meat; no seasonings and no pork please. Some of their favorites are beef, chicken, salmon, and their absolute favorite: VENISON! We also accept all-beef raw hot dogs and hamburgers. Call or email to setup a time to drop off your meat donation, or bring it with you when you visit for a tour!

adopt a wolf or become a member

Our Adopt a Wolf and Membership programs are a great way to annually support the Wolves of Speedwell. To adopt a wolf, visit the Our Family page select the wolf you want to adopt then head to the Adopt a Wolf page or come for a tour and select the wolf of your choosing to. You will receive a photo of the wolf, a certificate of adoption, and a short bio of your adopted wolf. Wolf adoptions and memberships also make great gifts!

help fund our efforts

Donate. As a 501(c)(3) non-profit, we receive no federal, state, or grant funding of any kind, so we are incredibly grateful to all of our supporters for helping us to continue in our mission. Donations are tax-deductible and come with the added benefit of knowing you have helped better the lives of Speedwell's wolves.



Wish LIST

As a non-profit sanctuary, we rely on the help of our dedicated supporters! Providing for the daily needs of the animals in our care is not cheap. Your support can help us to fulfill our mission and continue providing quality care and enrichment for all of our wolves. The following items are on our current wish list. With your help, we hope to see them through.

wolf wishes

- Raw Meat! We accept meat donations as long as they are uncooked and unseasoned.
 We accept most types of meat and fish, although we do not accept port.
- New pnds, trees, and other natural terriory home furunishings
- · New fencing or fencing repairs
- Espree or similar (pet safe fly spray)
- Extra Lage Dog Crates (for emergency transport)

major wishes

- Meat grinder, meat sawm or bone grinder capable of processing larg bones Front-end loader
- · Dodge Ram pick-up truck
- · Funding for ON-site Veterinary Care Facility

sanctuary wishes

- Landscaping tools long and short handle pitch forks, metal bow rakes
- Outdoor gloves garderning gloves, wool-lined goves, large insulated rubber gloves (snow blower goloves), cut-proof gloves for meat cutting
- · Rubber aprons
- · Shovels Snow shovels and metal shovels
- · Large brooms for outdoor use
- Stainless steel cleaner
- Volunteer Center Supplies Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Ziplock bags, Trash bags, Hand soap, Dish soap, Hand sanitizer
- · Electric aluminum coffee urn for tours
- Helping hands with tours, indoor work, and outdoor work

