

2025 GiG Sponsors

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Event Location Addresses

Gettysburg, PA

Allstar Family Fun Center: 2638 Emmitsburg Rd.

World War II Museum: 845 Crooked Creek Rd.

Eisenhower Hotel: 2634 Emmitsburg Rd.

Gettysburg National Military Park & Visitor's Center: 1195 Baltimore Pike

Outlet Shoppes at Gettysburg 1863 Gettysburg Village Dr.

26th Annual



April 24 - 26, 2025

A Nittany Greyhounds Event



Quick Reference Schedule

Thursday, April 24

4:00 PM	Welcome Parade/Blessing of the Hounds/Social	Gettysburg Outlet Mall Parking Lot
7:00 PM - ?	Bill's Get-to-Know-You Game Night *Event Ticket Required - May pay at the door. \$6	Eisenhower Hotel - Grand Ballroom

Friday, April 25 Allstar Center/Vendor Shopping Open 9-4

8:00 AM	Battlefield Walk - The Florida Brigade at Gettysburg, William Thomas, Licensed Battlefield Guide	National Military Park
9:00 AM	Allstar Opens Vendor Sales Open, Event Check-In Raffle Tickets Sales Opens Off Leash Play Area Opens	Allstar Center
11:00 AM	Speaker #1 (Bracelet Required) John Stephan, Spectra Therapy New Research: LASERWRAP	Allstar Center Activities Area
12:00 Noon	Speaker #2 (Bracelet Required) John Parker, Longtime Greyhound Enthusiast and Breed History Buff This Noble Breed: A Brief History of the Greyhound	Allstar Center Activities Area
1:00 PM	Speaker #3 (Bracelet Required) Jennifer Saker & Ducky McComas Greyhound Amber Alert Facebook Group Greyhound Amber Alert: Safety & Recovery of Lost Sighthounds - "Help! My Dog is Lost!"	Allstar Center Activities Area
2:00 PM	Speaker #4 (Bracelet Required) Jess Hayward, Ph.D., Senior Research Associate, Cornell Veterinary Biobank & Department of Biomedical Sciences Genetic study involving sighthound saliva	Allstar Center Activities Area
6:30 PM - ??	Pajama Party Banquet *Event Ticket Required (Bring Cash :)	Eisenhower Ballroom

Saturday, April 26 Allstar Center/Vendor Shopping Open 9-4

8:00 AM	World War II Museum Tour *Event Ticket Required	World War II Museum
8:30 AM	Art Workshop with Greyhound Design Artist Linda K Evans *Event Ticket Required	Allstar Center Activities Area
9:00 AM	Allstar Center Opens	Allstar Center
10:30 AM	Costume Contest (Activities Area) Theme: Pajama Party	Allstar Center Activities Area
11:00 AM	Ice Cream Social - Hosted by Senior Sighthound Sanctuary	Allstar Center Activities Area
11:30 AM	Speaker #1 (Bracelet Required) Ace Mattocks "If Love Were Enough"	Allstar Center Activities Area
12:30 PM	Speaker #2 (Bracelet Required) Greyhound & Galgo: Medical Issues & Idiosyncrasies Keynote Speaker: Dr. Michael Guilliard, MA, VetMB, CertSAO, MRCVS, Orthopaedics Ltd., Cheshire, UK Superficial Digital Flexor Tendonectomy	Allstar Center Activities Area
1:30 PM	Speaker #3 (Bracelet Required) Russ Feilen, New South Wales Racing, Australia Future-Proofing International Greyhound Rehoming Aussie Connection Update	Allstar Center Activities Area
2:00 PM	Raffle Winners Posted & Prizes Distributed	Allstar Center
3:00 PM	Paper Mache Cartuna Hound Spectacular Art Workshop with Steve Wirtz *Event Ticket Required	Allstar Center Activities Area

Off-Leash Play Area

All Dogs in the OFF LEASH Play Area MUST BE Supervised at ALL Times. DO NOT LEAVE YOUR DOGS UNATTENDED!

The "big" and "little" dog play times will be posted on the fence. Please be courteous. Please observe the posted rules to ensure that everyone is considerate and safe. An event bracelet is required to use the play area.

Dogs are welcome at all venues.