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Host Hotel

Wyndham Gettysburg

95 Presidential Circle
Gettysburg, PA 17325
(717) 339-0020 (press 3)

Ask for rooms in the AACA
Eastern Spring National Block
Reservation Code: 051623AAC
\$144.00/night plus taxes

Alternate Hotel

Marriot Courtyard

115 Presidential Circle
Gettysburg, PA 17325
(717) 334-5600

Reservation Code: AACA
\$144.00/night plus taxes

Registration Deadline: May 1, 2023
No refunds after deadline date

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday, May 17

8 a.m.–5 p.m. Registration/Raffle/
Merchandise/Hospitality
8 a.m.–5 p.m. Flea Market & Car Corral
8 a.m.–5 p.m. Trailer Parking

Thursday, May 18

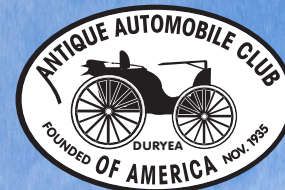
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8 a.m.–5 p.m. Trailer Parking
9 a.m.–12 p.m. Tour Bill Wessels
Cadillac Collection
5 p.m.–9 p.m. Cruise-IN

Friday, May 19

8 a.m.–5 p.m. Registration/Raffle/
Merchandise/ Hospitality
8 a.m.–5 p.m. Flea Market & Car Corral
8 a.m.–5 p.m. Trailer Parking
9 a.m.–12 p.m. Tour World War II American
Experience Museum
11 a.m. Race Car & Motorcycle
Condition Run
1 p.m.–2 p.m. Membership Roundtable
2 p.m.–4 p.m. Judging School
5 p.m.–6 p.m. Social Hour – Cash Bar
6 p.m.–8 p.m. BBQ & Entertainment

Saturday, May 20

6 a.m.–11 a.m. Trailer Parking
7 a.m.–11 a.m. Registration On Show Field
7 a.m. Judges Parking
7 a.m.–3 p.m. Show Field Open
8 a.m.–9 a.m. Judges Breakfast
8 a.m.–3 p.m. Flea Market & Car Corral
8 a.m.–3 p.m. Raffle/Merchandise Sales –
Show Field
9:30 a.m. Continuing Judges Education
10 a.m. Owners Briefing
11 a.m.–3 p.m. Judging of Show Cars
5:30 p.m. Social Hour – Cash Bar
6:30 p.m. Closing Banquet/Awards



Eastern Spring Nationals Gettysburg, PA

May 17–20, 2023

**Hosted by the
Gettysburg Region**



Gettysburg Region

70th Anniversary 1953–2023

**Wyndham Gettysburg
95 Presidential Circle
Gettysburg, PA 17325**

www.gettysburgregionaaca.com



The Gettysburg Region is honored to have been selected to host the 2023 Eastern Spring Nationals. The location is at the beautiful Gateway Center in historic Gettysburg, PA. This venue will accommodate the awards banquet as well as a number of social events we have planned. It also will accommodate the show field, flea market, car corral, trailer parking, and spectator parking. Our region workers will be wearing yellow ball caps with our region logo and will be available to assist you.

Host Hotel Headquarters

The Wyndham Gettysburg gives you the chance to live in comfort while you tour to some of the nation's most important historic sites. This 248-room full-service hotel on six floors is located on a site with a 2nd hotel with over 1,000 combined parking spaces. There are large and attractive public rooms and there is a giant-screen movie theater onsite. Rooms have flat screen TVs with seating areas, and plenty of space to lounge. There are three restaurants onsite with two serving traditional American cuisine. The lobby bar is the place to be and the large indoor heated Olympic-size pool, hot tub and fitness center are just what the doctor ordered after a busy day. Public transit stops in front of the hotel on the half hour daily.

Located east of Gettysburg, just off Routes 15 and 30, the Wyndham is 10 minutes from Gettysburg National Military Park and the Gettysburg Battlefield Museum. Downtown Gettysburg is three miles away. Harrisburg International Airport is 45 miles from the hotel and Hagerstown Regional Airport is 41 miles away. With 61,000 square feet of event space, it is the largest meeting venue in the area.

Event Registration

Contact AACA National Headquarters for registration form or download the form from the AACA website: members.aaca.org, log-in using your membership number and pin number, mail payment and form to:

Sue Gingrich,
120 Eschol Ridge Road
Elliottsburg, PA 17024

Make checks payable to: Gettysburg Region AACA

Registration-Hospitality- Merchandise

For your convenience, registration will be open at 8 a.m. on Wednesday for early arrivals. Registration, drinks, and munchies will be available in the hospitality room. Chances and 50/50 tickets will be available for a selection of distinctive merchandise items. Winners will be announced prior to the Awards Banquet on Saturday.

Self Contained Motor Home and Trailer Parking

There is an RV park nearby with hookups at:
Drummer Boy Camping Resort
www.drummerboycamping.com
1300 Hanover Rd, Gettysburg, PA 17325
(877) 362-6736

Trailer parking will be available onsite at \$30.00 regardless of stay. Gettysburg Region workers will be available beginning on Wednesday, May 17th to assist with parking. Absolutely no motorhomes or combination units will be permitted on the hotel property or trailer parking area. If you arrive after posted hours please park along one of the many roads in the Gateway Complex, so that we can park you in an orderly fashion during posted hours.

Show Day

The Saturday car show will be held onsite. Registration will be from 7:00 a.m. till 11:00 a.m. at the show field. Judging of show cars will begin promptly at 11:00 am. All vehicles must remain on the show field till 3:00 p.m.

Flea Market and Car Corral

You are encouraged to visit the flea market and car corral that is located onsite. The outdoor spaces are located in front of the Wyndham on the grass. The flea market and car corral will be operating 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. daily beginning Wednesday, May 17th. The Car Corral is limited to 1998 and earlier non-modified vehicles. Space size is 12' x 25'. All Flea Market and Car Corral spaces are \$35.00 per space. Indoor space for literature and collectibles will be available at \$45.00 per space (12' x 10'). No unclean or large parts please. Bring your own tables and chairs. The indoor spaces are located at the rear of the Wyndham banquet foyer area.

Car Wash

The car wash is located at the service entrance on the east side of the hotel. Hoses and buckets will be provided. You will need to bring your own towels and supplies.

Security

Overnight security will be provided onsite from 10:00 pm till 6:00 am Wednesday through Friday nights.

Spectator Parking

There will be free parking onsite.

Judging

Judging school will be held Friday, May 19th from 2:00 to 4:00 pm at the host hotel. The Judges breakfast will be on Saturday, May 20th at 8 am at the hotel. Judges parking is located behind the Marriot Courtyard Hotel adjacent to the Wyndham Hotel.

Tours

Thursday's tour will be limited to the first 44 people registered (if sold out your money will be refunded at registration). You will be visiting the Bill Wessel's Cadillac Collection showcasing years from 1917 to 1946, including a 1941 Laundeleit Custom built for Mrs. Baker of the Castrol Oil Company.

Friday's tour will be a continuous shuttle to the World War II American Experience Museum, a tribute to military vehicles from the era. All tours leave from the Wyndham Hotel.

Thursday Cruise-In

Chesapeake Region AACA invites you to a cruise-in from 5:00 to 9:00 PM. All are welcome. A food truck and DJ will be available. A \$5.00 per vehicle fee will be collected upon arrival.

Membership Roundtable

Friday, May 19th from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. at the host hotel. Roundtables provide an excellent way to communicate with your national directors on how AACA is functioning, what we can do better, and what we should be doing in the future.

Friday Evenings BBQ & Entertainment

You will not want to miss tonight's entertainment, The Evans Sisters and Terry Hoffman will keep you rocking to the iconic music legends including the immortal Patsy Cline. You must sign-up for the BBQ to attend the entertainment.

Awards Banquet

Saturday, May 20th the traditional AACA Awards Banquet will start off the evening's festivities. After the AACA Presidential greetings, our Chief Judge will present the AACA Eastern Spring Nationals list of award winners. Contact the meet Chairman in advance for any dietary restrictions. AACA Gettysburg Region will be honoring all AACA Past Presidents and/or their spouses in attendance at the Closing Banquet with a special memento.

Special Display

AACA Past Presidents and/or their spouses will be honored at this show with special antique parking in front of the Wyndham on the grass and recognition at the Closing Awards Banquet. Our souvenir program will be dedicated to their service to AACA.

The Swigart Museums 1947 Tucker Prototype "The Tin Goose" will be on display compliments of Patricia Swigart in the Wyndham hotel lobby.

Current National AACA Membership is required for all Flea Market, Car Corral, Vendors, and Participation in Tours.