

Host Hotel

Doubletree by Hilton
\$159 + tax \$5 discount for breakfast
2800 Presidential Drive
Fairborn, OH 45324
937-426-7800
Code AAC
tinyurl.com/AACADoubletree

Home2 Suites by Hilton

149 + tax Free breakfast
2667 Fairfield Commons Drive
Dayton, OH 45341
Call Theresa in sales at 937-429-9320 ext. 1002
to book accommodations.
tinyurl.com/HiltonHome2

Country Inn & Suites

\$149 + tax Free breakfast
3971 Colonel Glenn Hwy
Beavercreek, OH 45324
937-429-2222 Group Code AACA
tinyurl.com/AACACountryInn

Hilton Garden Inn

\$149+ tax 2 free breakfast vouchers
3520 Pentagon Park Blvd
Dayton, Ohio 45341
937-458-2651 Group Code AAC1

RV Parking

Green Valley RV Park (2.9 miles from show field)
3324 Valley Pike
Dayton, OH 45424
(937) 930-3535

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Deadline:

Postmarked by
June 30, 2025
No refunds after deadline date

Trailer Parking

Located within the grounds of the National
Museum of the US Air Force
No overnight camping
Trailers can leave Sunday

Gates will lock:

Thursday, 7/24 - 6 pm
Friday, 7/25 - 7 pm
Saturday, 7/26 - 11 pm

Schedule of Events

Thursday, July 24, 2025

7 am - 4 pm Trailer parking - National Museum of
The US Air Force
Noon - 4 pm Registration Pick-up & Merchandise Sales
at Host Hotel
6 pm - 9 pm Welcome Reception, America's Packard
Museum with cash bar

Friday, July 25, 2025

7 am - 7 pm Trailer parking - National Museum of
The US Air Force
9 am - 4 pm Registration Pick-up & Merchandise Sales
at Host Hotel
9 am - 4 pm Zenith Display - America's Packard Museum
11 am Race Car & Motorcycle Checks - Show Field
1 pm Membership Roundtable - Host Hotel
2 pm - 4 pm AACA Judging School - Host Hotel
4 pm Zenith Award Ceremony - Packard Museum
6 pm Hawaiian Luau - Host Hotel

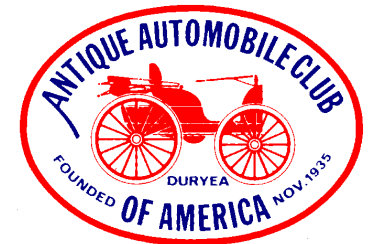
Saturday, July 26, 2025

6 am - 11 am Trailer Parking
National Museum of the US Air Force
7 am - 11 am Registration & Show Cars Enter the Field
National Museum of the US Air Force
8 am - 3 pm Merchandise Sales - Show Field
8 am Judges Breakfast - Host Hotel
11 am AACA Judging of Show Vehicles
6 pm Cocktails
6:30 pm Awards Dinner - National Museum of US
Air Force - Followed by Awards Presentation



AACA GRAND NATIONALS
DAYTON OHIO | JULY 24-26, 2025

Annual Grand Nationals
July 24 - 26, 2025
The National Museum of
the US Air Force



**A huge thank you to 2014 AACA
National President Micky Bohne and
her husband Don for their generous
sponsorship of this event!**

WELCOME TO DAYTON, OHIO!

The AACA is excited to welcome you to a new and spectacular venue for our Grand Nationals in the East this year. We have ramped up the quality of our show in the following ways in order to offer the best experience possible to attendees: reduced prices for meals and parking, thanks in part to a generous sponsorship; events at three unique locations in the Dayton area, including a newly renovated host hotel; and the opportunity to visit the stunning USAF Museum, as well as America's Packard Museum.

We think you'll find that Dayton has a lot to offer visitors, and we hope you'll take the time to explore the great opportunities offered in the area. The host hotel has been an excellent partner in planning the event, and you'll find the newly branded establishment to be comfortable, fresh, and inviting. We are fortunate to have America's Packard Museum graciously agree to host our Welcome Reception and Zenith Competition, while the National Museum of the US Air Force will prove to be a one-of-a-kind tour of 19 acres of indoor exhibit space, with absolutely no admission or parking fees! Between these two museums, Grand Nationals attendees are in for a real treat!

Please note that the USAF Museum is a federal facility, with a set of rules that all visitors must abide by. We ask that all attendees make themselves aware of their personal responsibilities associated with visiting the museum, as they are more stringent than what you may be used to. Parking hours are strictly enforced, and we do not want anyone to get left behind, so please take the time to review the museum's policies which can be found on their website at <https://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/Visit>. AACA National can't wait to treat you to a special and unforgettable weekend at our Grand Nationals and Zenith Competition - we'll see you there!



The National Museum of the US Air Force

The museum is the world's largest and oldest military aviation museum featuring more than 350 aerospace vehicles and missiles on display amid more than 19 acres of indoor exhibit space. Thousands of personal artifacts, photographs and documents further highlight the people and events that comprise the Air Force storyline, from the beginnings of military flight to today's war on terrorism.

ZENITH DISPLAY



Now in its ninth year, the Zenith Award is an event that celebrates some of our members' best restorations, and with only 18 being selected from the 2024 Nationals this year is no exception.

The Zenith competition will be held at America's Packard Museum from 9 am - 4 pm on Friday, July 25, 2025. Members are invited to view the cars while they are being judged and to attend the awards ceremony at the end of the day.

Free admission on Friday for AACA members, please wear your name badge.

MUSEUMS/ATTRACTIONS

The National Museum of the US Air Force
1100 Spaatz St.
Wright-Patterson AFB, OH 45433-7102
9 am - 5 pm - free admission

America's Packard Museum
420 S. Ludlow St.
Dayton, OH 45402

Tuesday-Sunday, Noon - 5 pm
Free admission on Thursday for AACA Members,
wear your name badges

Carillon Historical Park
1000 Carillon Blvd.
Dayton, OH 45409

Monday-Saturday: 9:30 am - 5 pm
Sunday: noon - 5 pm

Dayton Art Institute
456 Belmonte Park N
Dayton, OH 45405

Wednesday, Friday & Saturday: 11 am - 5 pm
Thursday: 11 am - 8 pm

The Dayton Arcade
35 W. 4th St.
Dayton, OH 45402

**The Wright Cycle Company Complex & Dayton
Aviation Heritage National Historic Park**
16 S. Williams St.
Dayton, OH 45402

Wednesday-Sunday: 10 am - 4 pm



America's Packard Museum

ACTIVITIES

Thursday, July 24, 2025

Welcome Reception
America's Packard Museum
6 pm - 9 pm

Visit the museum and enjoy an evening of food and drink. Our menu for the night includes a great assortment of handheld food items including sliders and a bake macaroni and cheese bar along with an ice cream sundae bar. No museum charge for paid reception attendees.

Friday, July 25, 2025

Zenith Display
America's Packard Museum
9 am - 4 pm

Roundtable and Judging School
Doubletree by Hilton (host Hotel)
1 pm - Membership Roundtable
2 pm - 4 pm - Judging School

Hawaiian Luau
Doubletree by Hilton (host Hotel)
6 pm - 9 pm

Join us for a unique event at the Doubletree with our first ever state side Luau! A feast of Caribbean food, leis and just maybe some Hawaiian themed entertainment! So dig out your best Hawaiian shirt and take part in this fun filled evening.

Saturday, July 26, 2025

Awards Banquet
National Museum of the US Air Force
Cocktails 6 pm
Dinner & Awards 6:30 pm

A great catered meal at one of America's premier and patriotic museums. Awards will be presented after dinner.

Places of Interest



Historic Dayton Arcade (An 8 min walk from the Packard Museum)

Discover the perfect blend of work, play, and leisure at the Dayton Arcade, a vibrant mixed-use development. Explore a dynamic community where modern residences, innovation space, dining, entertainment, and the arts seamlessly come together. Whether you're grabbing a coffee, browsing local galleries, or enjoying an evening out, the Dayton Arcade offers something for everyone.

<https://www.arcadedayton.com/discover-the-arcade/>

Carillon Historical Park is a 65-acre park and museum- offers something for the entire family.

Learn about Dayton History. See and hear amazing stories of how Dayton changed the World. Learn about the settlement of the area and the important contributions its residents made to transportation, invention and industry. Be sure to board the Carillon Park Railroad for a narrated circle tour of the park. Take a break and go back an era to enjoy lunch at Culp's Café.

1000 Carillon Blvd, Dayton, OH 45409

Admission: \$14

Hawthorn Hill, built in 1914, is Orville Wright's success mansion. Join the ranks of Charles Lindbergh, Henry Ford and Thomas Edison as visitors to the world's first pilot's home.

Tours must be booked ahead of time by calling (937) 293-2841 Admission: \$16

Wright Cycle Company Complex consists of the Wright Cycle building and Wright-Dunbar Interpretive Center and the Aviation Trail Visitor Center and Museum. The Cyle Company building was the home to the brother's bicycle business from 1895-1897.

Second Street Market is a bustling farmers market with merchants selling local produce, food & crafts in a former freight station. 600 E 2nd St, Dayton, OH 45402 Hrs.: Fri: 11am – 3pm Sat: 9am – 3pm Sun: 11am – 3pm

Shopping at The Greene

The Greene Town Center is an open-air, mixed-use shopping center featuring a variety of upscale retail, restaurants and entertainment. The Greene is the area's PREMIER FASHION AND DINING DESTINATION, with over 100 merchants and restaurants.

4452 Buckeye Lane
Beavercreek, OH 45440
8.5 mi from the host hotel 13 minutes

Boonshoft Museum of Discovery is a children's museum, science and technology center and zoo in Dayton, Ohio, United States that focuses on science and natural history. Exhibits include an extensive natural history collection as well as maintaining a collection of live animals native to Ohio and abroad.

2600 Deweese Pkwy,
Dayton, OH 45414
Admission:

Adult (ages 13-59) \$15, Child (ages 3-12) \$12, Senior (ages 60+) \$13

The Dayton Art Institute's collection contains more than 27,000 objects, spanning 5,000 years of art history. At any given time, galleries display about 1,000 works from the collection.

456 Belmonte Park North, Dayton, Ohio 45405

info@daytonart.org

General Admission

Adults: \$15

Seniors (60+), Active Military, Groups (10 or more): \$10

College Students (18+ with ID) & Youth (ages 7-17): \$5

Children (ages 6 & younger): Free

WACO Air Museum and Aviation Learning Center (25 -minute drive from host hotel) The WACO Aircraft Company was the largest manufacturer of civil aircraft in the country in the late 1920s and early 1930s. The museum is home to vintage WACO aircraft, displays and features the history of the company.

(937) 335-9226

1865 South County Rd, Troy