

First Friday Style! Gettysburg 2021

Join participating GARMA Members the First Friday of every month to shop and support small, local businesses.

January 8th New Year Gettysburg Style!

Collection of items for Gettysburg Cares

February 5th Cocoa Crawl (see back for opportunity to participate)

Awareness of Healthy Adams County

March 5th St. Patrick's Day

Awareness of Adams County Arts Council

April 2nd National Pet Adoption Month

Awareness of Forever Love Rescue

May 7th Hollywood / May the 4th Be With You

Awareness of Gettysburg Community Theatre

June 4th Summer Solstice: Recycle/Reuse/Repurpose

Awareness of Gettysburg Green Gathering / Land Conservancy

July 2nd Take Me Out To The Ballgame Olde Tyme Base Ball

Collection for Gettysburg Fire Department

August 6th Everybody Come Together to Support Education

Awareness of United Way Back to School

September 3rd National Library Month: We Love Books!

Awareness of Adams County Library

October 1st Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Awareness of Gettysburg Cancer Center

November 5th Veterans Appreciation and Awareness

Collection for Veterans (Organization TBD)

Cookie Walk

December 3rd Collection for Veterans continues

2021 Events

May 15th September 25th November 26th

The Original Gettysburg Antique Show The Original Gettysburg Antique Show Annual Tree Lighting on Lincoln Square





Collections

January 1st - GARMA Members will be collecting items for **Gettysburg Cares**. Local Churches provide shelter sites from October through April for the area's homeless residents. Visit us online for a printable list of collection items.

July 2nd - GARMA Members will be collecting water donations for the **Gettysburg Area Fire Department**. All water donations can be dropped-off directly to the Gettysburg Fire Department during the month of July.

August 6th - **The United Way** of Gettysburg & Adams County helps hundreds of families each Back to School season with donations of school supplies and backpacks. GARMA Members encourage you to support The United Way in making education of the kids in our community a priority.

November 5th - Our First Friday in November begins our two-month collection of items for area **Veterans**. Residents can drop off items at participating GARMA Members beginning November 5th through the end of December. A full list of items accepted can be found on our website and Facebook page.

Events

Cocoa Crawl - A family-friendly event that begins on Friday, February 5th and continues on Saturday, February 6th. Guests will check-in at our warming station (TBD) to pick up a map and a punch card of participating businesses. There will be a souvenir cocoa mug and shirts available to purchase during the walk. Once checked-in people are free to visit participating merchants to sample cocoa inspired treats, shop and eat at our wonderful GARMA Members.

Cards are punched at each location - the first 20 participants to complete the Cocoa Crawl will receive free tickets to the raffle scheduled for noon on Saturday. Additional tickets will be available to purchase. During the event participants will have the opportunity to see firsthand how amazing GARMA Members are during a time when there are fewer visitors and crowds at each location. Crawlers can vote for their favorite GARMA Member Cocoa-inspired treat and win prizes!

For details and to be a participating business, visit us online.

