



Celebrate America... has gone to the DOGS!?

Red, white, and blue is not all guests will see at Kennywood's 2006 Celebrate America festival. Dogs seem to be a big part of this year's celebration.

Here's the line-up:

Weiner 100



On June 29, Kennywood's 2nd annual *Weiner 100* will take place at 3 PM. Members of the *Western Pennsylvania Dachshund Club* will provide approximately 20 participants for 1 of the 3 **not-as-easy-as-it-looks** dog races. The race is course is 100 feet across the grassy area between the Patio Café and the Merry-Go-Round. The first race features puppies; the second race is for miniatures. The final race includes standard (larger) dachshunds, including last year's champion, Porky.

Going Home Greyhounds

From June 30 until July 3, *Going Home Greyhounds*, an organization with a mission to place retired racing greyhounds in a good home, will also be at the park with a few furry friends. Guests may stop by between 11 AM to 8 PM to meet and greet these fun-loving greyhounds. Information about adoptable dogs and the adoption process will be available.



The Dogz



On July 1 at 1 PM, "*Dogz*" of a different sort will provide entertainment in Kennywood's Pavilion 23. It's not a race... and we don't think they want to be adopted. *The Dogz* is a Jazz group of 8 students (12 to 13 years old) from New Jersey. Their goal is to combine their musical talents, under the direction of their bandleader, to be a band that gives back to their community. Having performed at a numerous nursing homes, retirement homes, preschools, rehabilitation centers, and events in their community, the group is scheduled to perform at the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland, Ohio prior to visiting Kennywood.

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Note: Celebrate America runs June 28 through July 3, 2006. Fireworks nightly June 28 thru July 4, 2006.