

29th Annual

Woofstock

5k Companion Walk
for Tri-County Humane Society



September 9th, 2017 * Wilson Park * 9-10am Registration * 10am 5k Walk * 9-1pm Food & Fun

About Woofstock:

Woofstock Companion Walk is one of the Tri-County Humane Society's most important fundraisers of the year. Held along the beautiful Mississippi river in St. Cloud from 9-1pm on September 9th, the 5k walk for animals is led by the Benton County Mounted Patrol at 10am. From 9-1pm, participants can enjoy breakfast and lunch, freebies from exhibitors, games for pets and people, a silent auction, demos, music, a costume contest (with separate cash prizes for best dressed person and best dressed pet), a hotdog eating contest, and much more! The walk typically brings in around 600 people and 300 pets and is an absolute must for all who love animals!

Purpose of Woofstock:

Our goal is to raise \$60,000 for local pets in need at the Tri-County Humane Society. Each year, the Society provides services for over 3,000 animals. Each pet is evaluated, examined, given appropriate vaccinations and dewormings, spayed/neutered, treated for ailments and injuries as needed, and given lots of TLC. There is no time limit for pets in our care, and provided they pass our health and behavior screening, they will remain in our care as long as necessary to find the perfect match. On average, pets are adopted in less than ten days, and in 2016, we placed 96% of the pets that entered our doors—amazing for an open-admission animal shelter! This fundraising event is vital for us to continue providing these important services to pets in need. It is also a really good opportunity for pet-lovers to unite and celebrate the human-animal bond!

How You Can Help:

Find people to sponsor you by making a donation to Tri-County Humane Society. Collect donations in person or by creating your own online fundraising page at: <https://www.givemn.org/organization/Tri-County-Humane-Society-1>. Then register your donations from 9 -10am at the event to qualify for fantastic prizes! You must register at the event between 9-10am to qualify for the top fundraiser prize packages. **There is no online or pre-registration for this event, although if you are unable to join us on September 9th you may certainly turn in your donations at your earliest convenience to qualify for a Woofstock T-Shirt, decal or tote bag.*

**Join our Woofstock Facebook event and invite your friends! www.facebook.com/tricountyhumanesociety*

Gifts & Prizes:

We know that you are fundraising because you care and truly want to make a difference in the lives of animals. The gifts and prizes for your fundraising efforts are simply our way of saying **THANK YOU!** Prize packages are gifted to the top 20 individual fundraisers and top fundraising team, and include gift certificates and gift cards donated by local businesses. For a content list from last year's prize packages, visit <http://tricountyhumanesociety.org/events/companion-walk>. They are worth the effort!

Gifts for ALL Qualifying Fundraisers:

- **Raise \$50:** Receive a Woofstock T-Shirt
- **Raise \$100:** Receive a Woofstock T-Shirt + Decal
- **Raise \$200:** Receive a Woofstock T-Shirt + Decal + Tote Bag
- **Raise \$300:** All of the above + Entry in Grand Prize Drawing

In addition, for every \$50 raised receive a raffle ticket for a chance to win a Cat / Dog / Family Fun Basket!

(TCHS employees do not qualify to win top fundraiser prize packages or raffle prizes.)

QUESTIONS? Event Contact:

Marit Ortega, Director of Philanthropy

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MORE INFO AT:

www.tricountyhumanesociety.org/events/companion-walk

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WAYS YOUR GIFTS HELP LOCAL PETS

- \$100...is enough to care for a pet for 10 days.
- \$75...is enough to treat a respiratory infection.
- \$50.....is enough to spay/neuter a shelter pet.
- \$25.....is enough to microchip a shelter pet.
- \$10.....is enough to vaccinate a shelter pet.

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FOR REGISTRATION USE ONLY: Grand Total \$: _____

Registration #: _____ Registered By: _____

Participant Name (s): _____

Pet Name (s): _____

Team Name: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: ____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Donor Name	Address, City, State, Zip	Phone	Email	Donation Amount	Send Receipt
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PRINT AND ATTACH COPY OF ONLINE DONATIONS RAISED USING WWW.GIVEMN.ORG. Online Total: _____

Make checks payable to TCHS. Please note if a receipt is requested. Contributions are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. **Grand Total:** _____

PARTICIPANT TERMS AND CONDITIONS: I do hereby pledge to participate in the Tri-County Humane Society (TCHS) 29th Annual Woofstock Companion Walk on Saturday, September 9, 2017 at 10:00am. By signing this form I hereby release TCHS, the event committee and individuals, the City of St. Cloud, and other official sponsors from all claims or liabilities of any kind or nature resulting from, arising out of, or incident to my participation and to my pet(s) participation in this event. I realize that participation in this event could potentially cause injury. I hereby accept and assume all risks associated with participation in this event and agree to practice road and pedestrian safety and clean up after my pet(s). In signing this, I also give TCHS permission to use photos taken of me during the event in any promotional material, publication, social networks or on the TCHS website. Parent / Guardian signature required if participant is under 18 years of age. **Walker / Guardian Signature:** _____