



## **DOG WALK AND WAG POKER RUN**

*Saturday, October 2, 2010 at the M.A.R.C., Dayspring*

Join us for a walk in the park!

The Annual S.H.A.I.D. Tree Dog Walk and Wag is changing location and will be hosted at the **M.A.R.C. in Dayspring**. And this year we're spicing things up by incorporating a five card poker run. This event is fun for the whole family and all proceeds go to help feed and care for the stray and abandoned animals in our surrounding communities.

Once again this year there are two routes to choose from. The shorter route includes a relaxing stroll around the park and the longer route includes a more challenging scenic hike. Both walks will begin at the main parking lot at the M.A.R.C. in Dayspring. Maps will be provided for both walks and you may go at your own pace. Checkpoints will be set up along the way just in case you or your dog would like a drink of water.

There will be a registration fee of \$10 per dog **OR** a minimum of \$20 in pledges per dog. Dog walkers are welcome to sponsor their own dog. Pledges should be collected at the time of solicitation and cheques made payable to *S.H.A.I.D. Tree Shelter*. Please mark the appropriate box if a receipt has been requested, and full name and mailing address must be provided. ***Please print clearly!*** Receipts will be issued for pledges over \$10.00 only.

Pledge sheets and pledges will be collected the day of the event before the walk begins. The registration table will open at 1:30pm and will be open throughout the duration of the event.

The basic dog walk guidelines are as follows:

1. Dogs must be escorted by a participant over the age of 18.
2. Dogs must be on a leash and under control at all times.
3. Dogs must be spayed/neutered (with exceptions extended to kennel club members) and vaccines must be up-to-date. This guideline is for the health and safety of all the dogs participating in the event.
4. Dog owners must clean up after their dogs.

**WAIVER OF LIABILITY:** By taking part in this event, I understand that I am participating at my own risk and waive all claims of any nature against the organizers, officials, sponsors and any other parties connected with this event in any way, singly or collectively, from and against any blame and liability, for any injury, misadventure, harm, loss, inconvenience, or damage hereby suffered or sustained as a result of participating in the S.H.A.I.D. Walk and Wag fundraiser.

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Signature

Date