

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT OUR WEINER DOG RACES

When/Where is the Race?

Saturday, October 29, 2011 at the Laurel Fairgrounds located on Hwy 11 during the South Mississippi Fair. All owners and dogs should be pre-registered and signed-in on race day by 1:30 p.m. Sign-in table will be available starting at 12:30.

What do I do when I get there?

All entrants and their humans can enter the fair at the vendor/exhibitor gate. You will be allowed in through the front of the Magnolia Center and will be sent along the left side to the Tie Barn behind the building – that is where the races will be held. At the vendor gate, a guard will allow 2 people to get in FREE and any others will be charged the \$5 fair admission. There will a large area for your dog(s). Please be prepared with leashes, kennels, etc.

What will the race be like?

This is a fun event—nothing intimidating. You will need two handlers, one at the starting line and one at the finish. (If you need to a handler, we can accommodate you.) Three or four dogs will “race” down a 35-40 foot track into the hands of the handler at the other end. The dogs cannot get out of the track (it is walled on the sides). The handlers can use anything they want to entice their pup to make it to the other side. Most likely that will be balls and treats as Doxies love both! Please do not throw anything.

Dogs will be placed in heats and the winner from each heat will advance to the final championship race. All heat winners will win prizes. The Grand Champion will win a \$100 gift card to PetSense in Laurel along with other fun things and a Weiner Dog Race Trophy!! All racers will receive a “doggie bag” with treats and prizes brought to you by our wonderful sponsors. **For more information please email us at laureldoxieraces@gmail.com.**

Who benefits from these races?

This is a fundraiser for the Animal Rescue League located at 2511 Moose Drive in Laurel, MS. This shelter houses up to 70 dogs and cats at any given time. Its’ goal is to find loving, forever homes for these precious animals. This no-kill facility is a non-profit center and is run by a volunteer board of directors, a manager and wonderful volunteers from around the community. Your cash donations along with food, bedding, cleaning supplies and other needs have been instrumental in the lives of these animals. Some struggle to find homes and will be at the ARL for the rest of their lives, but many, both young and old, capture the hearts of our good citizens and become companions. Please visit our website at www.laurelanimalrescueleague.com or friend us on Facebook.

2011 ARL DACHSHUND RACES Saturday, October 29, 2011 South Mississippi Fairgrounds Registration Form

Owner _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Dog’s Name _____

Dog Size: Standard _____ Mini _____

Age of Dog _____ Weight _____

Vet’s Name _____

Vet’s Phone _____

T-shirt Size _____ Med _____ Lg _____ XLg

1 shirt FREE with entry, Addtl T-shirts (\$15 each)

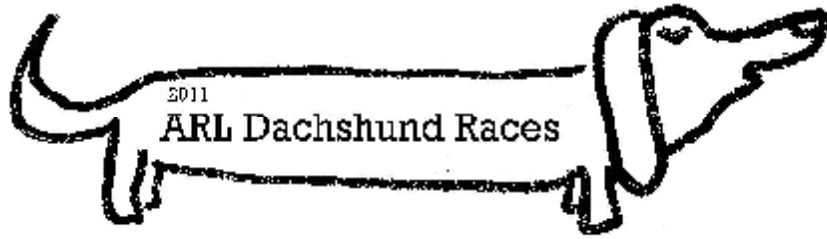
ENTRY FEE: \$15/first dog \$10/additional

Please write check: Animal Rescue League

Mail to: P.O. Box 2671, Laurel, MS 39442

In consideration of my participation in the ARL Dachshund Races, I hereby waive the ARL, the South MS Fair Commission, all sponsors and competitors for damages or injuries to myself and/or my dog during the event. I also permit free use of any pictures, videos, etc. for future broadcast, newsletters, websites that are appropriate.

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**FAMILY FUN at the
SOUTH MISSISSIPPI FAIR
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29
2 P.M.**

