

**The Thunder of Paws... The Thrill of Victory...The Whine of Defeat!**

**2nd Annual Scarecrow Festival Canine Corner  
WIENER DOG RACE REGISTRATION/ENTRY FORM  
WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

**1:00 P.M. Saturday, October 8th, 2011, St. Charles, IL**  
Check in closes at 12:30pm

**Owners/Handlers Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **City/State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF DOG(S)	AGE	WEIGHT	WIENER	WIENER MIX? (list mix if known)

**Waiver and Release of Liability:**

In consideration of being permitted to take part in the “Weiner Dog Race”, I expressly agree as follows: I hereby acknowledge that the activity set forth herein contains some dangers and risks and may result in injury to myself, my animal or family members. I will not hold any party responsible if another dog injures my dog or me. I certify my dog has had all required shots and that as the dog owner I am responsible for controlling my dog at all times. I agree to keep my dog on a leash except when racing and abide by the race rules. In consideration of my participation in the Wiener Dog Races, I waive and release the organizers, property owners, sponsors & all competitors for damages or injuries to my pet or myself during the event including but not limited to Midwest Dachshund Rescue, St. Charles Visitors and Convention Bureau, City of St. Charles and the Scarecrow Festival Committee. I hereby assume all risks of personal injury, death, and property damage from any causes whatsoever arising while my child, animal, or I, are participating in the activity. I, my child or animal, are in good health and are physically able to participate in such activity. I further agree that my private insurance will be the only insurance coverage available to me. I will permit free use of pictures in broadcasts, newsletters and other media coverage.

I the undersigned verify that I have read and will abide by all of the rules and the waiver and release of liability. I further verify that am eighteen (18) years of age or older. Please Sign (must be over the age of 18):

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

**(Registrations without signature will not be able to participate in the race.)**

## **Race Rules and Info**

**The Purpose of this Event is to Have Fun!!**

PLEASE READ THROUGH THESE RULES THOROUGHLY BEFORE REGISTERING

1. Only Dachshunds may enter the race event. This does not mean they have to be AKC registered. If it looks like a wiener, it will be considered a wiener. We will accept dachshund mixes, but long legged mixes will be put in their own heat to make it fair.
2. You must be registered to race. Registration will be accepted until all race spots are filled up or until 12:30 p.m. Registration donation is \$5.00 and goes to Midwest Dachshund Rescue.
3. All dogs must be current on all vaccinations.
4. All dogs must have 2 people to race, 1 as a releaser and 1 as a catcher.
5. Number of heats and heat assignments will be determined by number of entries received.
6. Minors may participate, but they must be accompanied by a parent or guardian for the check in procedure.
7. Humans at the finish line must remain entirely behind designated line until all dogs have crossed the finish line.
8. Per the city's leash law, please keep your pet on a leash in the outdoor area at all times until it is your turn to race!
9. Owners are required to clean-up their dog's accidents.
10. Dogs should be on their best behavior (i.e. no fighting or biting) and will be asked to leave if unruly.
11. You may bring your dog's favorite toy or treats. No waving blankets or other large items.
12. Dogs not involved in the race are not permitted within the race area.
13. These rules may be modified at any time by event organizers.
14. Judges' decisions are final and not open to discussion. Please remember this event is for fun!

\*\*\*\* For the safety of everyone concerned, event organizers reserve the right to refuse participation to humans who cannot follow the rules.\*\*\*\*

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