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**CLAUSEN PLUMBING
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HAAS CHIROPRACTIC
M A S O N C I T Y

Registration 11:00
Contests 11:15
Walk 12:00

Speakers:

1:00 Clear Lake K-9 Unit Officer
Ryan Eskildsen & Abby
1:30 Julie Humburg & Therapy dog
Breezy

Micro chipping being
offered on site at the
cost of \$30

Contests:

(with prizes and certificates)
(only those registered may enter contests)

Fastest Tail Wag
Cutest Smile
Best Look Alike

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Concession Stand
Bake Sale
Flealess Market
Don't forget the Nature Center too!

*I can't attend, but I'd like to
help the animals?... you can
send your own donation.*

Humane Society of North Iowa

Bark
in the
Park

Sunday
June 7, 2009

Lime Creek
Nature Center

Mason City, IA

(Rain or Shine)

All proceeds benefit the animals under the
care of the Humane Society of North Iowa

Come join us **with or without a dog** at the Lime Creek Nature Center just north of Mason City. (Highway 65 past 25th Street to Lime Creek Nature Rd.)

Main Trail for Bark in Park Walk
Brewery Loop 0.62 miles
Badlands Loop 1.04 miles
 1.66 miles

There are several other trails to go on too!

Entry/pledge forms may be photocopied.

Pre-registration forms must be in to the shelter at 1520 North Federal Avenue by **May 22nd** to pre-qualify for a T-shirt and bandana.

If you pre-register, you may bring more pledges the day of the event.

All pledges must be turned in at time of registration to count.

Tips:

Set \$ goal for yourself and ask sponsors to help you reach it.
Ask at least one person a day to sponsor you.
Collect donations from your sponsors when you sign them up.
Get a team of walkers together.
Spread the word about the walk in creative ways (email, voice mail).
If your company has gift-matching the donations can be doubled!
Call us at 423-6241 for posters or brochures to place where you work or shop.

DOOR PRIZES will be given out throughout the event day.

Each pre-registered entrant receives one event T-shirt and bandana.

Same day registrants receive same while supplies last.

Person raising the most for this event will receive a \$100 savings bond donated by Clear Lake Bank and Trust.

Entry Form

One entrant per form

Minimum Pledge \$25

(Donations to HSNI are tax-deductible)

Name _____

Address _____

City, State _____

Phone _____

T-Shirt size: Sm Med Lg XL XXL XXXL

Total amount of money: \$ _____

Number of dogs to register: 0 or 1 or 2

If pre-registering, please send or bring entry and check to HSNI

1520 N. Federal Ave.

Mason City, IA 50401

Deadline May 22nd, 2009

Small Paw Print

I understand that participating in Bark in the Park on June 7, 2009, includes an element of risk for myself and my dog(s). I should not participate unless the dog(s) and I are physically able and properly conditioned. I agree to abide by any decision of an event official relative to the dog's and my ability to complete this event safely, and I further agree that event officials may authorize emergency treatment of me and my dog(s). I also understand that vehicle traffic and spectators may be present along the course, and I assume any and all other risks associated with participating in this event including, but not limited to, illness, falls, contact with spectators, other participants or dogs, the effects of weather, and the surface conditions of the roads and trails, all such risks being understood and appreciated by me. **I also affirm the dog(s) I will be participating with has a current rabies vaccination.** I agree to abide by all the rules of this event.

Having read this waiver and knowing these facts, and in consideration of my acceptance of my entry, I hereby for myself, or anyone else or claim on my behalf, covenant not to sue, and waive, release and discharge the Humane Society of North Iowa, Lime Creek Nature Center, event officials, volunteers, speakers, sponsors, suppliers, vendors, or other personnel in any other way assisting or connected with this event from any claims or liability of any kind whatsoever arising out of my participating in this event, even though the liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or parties named in this waiver.

I also understand that my name or pictures of me or my pet may be used without liability or obligation to me.

Signature _____

Signature of parent or legal guardian required for participants under the age of 18

RULES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Walk will be rain or shine, dress for weather.

Limit two dogs per walker. Dogs must be at least 4 months old to walk.

Keep your dog(s) on a six-foot or shorter leash.

Take your time on the walk; there are no prizes for finishing first. Take as many trails as you like. Lime Creek has 10 trails covering over 8 miles.

Please do not bring other animals to the event.

Use good judgment with your dog. Please do not bring a dog which may be dangerous to other dogs or humans.

Please be sure your dog's vaccinations are up to date and that current ID tags are worn.

Please be responsible and clean up after your dog. Plastic bags and trash bins will be provided at several locations.

Do not bring dogs in heat.

Walkers under 14 years old must be in the company of parent or guardian.

Be sure to join us for post-walk speakers.