

Permit your Pet
for the



Pet Parade

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What: A Dog Parade at the Summer Solstice Fest in Downtown Blacksburg

When: 4:30pm on Saturday, June 19 2010

Where: Meet in the Dog Park in front of Tech Bookstore on Main Street.

Registration starts at 3pm. Parade will kick off at 4:30pm

Who: Dogs (costumes welcomed!) and their people.

How much: \$5 per dog

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- ❖ Dogs must be on a leash less than 6 ft; no retractable leashes
- ❖ The pet's behavior is the responsibility of the owner, and control of animals must be maintained at all times. Participants will be asked to leave if dog shows any signs of aggression toward people or other animals.
- ❖ All children must be accompanied by an adult
- ❖ Maximum 2 dogs per person
- ❖ Owner is responsible to pick up after their dog
- ❖ No dogs in heat

Dog's Name: _____ Circle one: MALE OR FEMALE

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Owner's First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: (Optional) _____

Makes checks payable to: DBI
Cut form in half; keep top portion for your records.
Sign and return registration form and waiver by mail
to: DBI, P.O. Box 233, Blacksburg, VA 24063
OR: on the day at the dog registration area from 3pm.

Green Event!

In 2010 the Summer Solstice Fest will be recognized as an official GREEN Event by the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (D.E.Q.) In order to achieve this status we are required to meet specific standards which relate in particular to your participation in the following ways.

- 1) **ABSOLUTELY NO STYROFOAM** products- If you must use disposables use products that are bio-based, made of recycled-content, compostable, or recyclable.
- 2) **Minimize Use of Printed Materials.** Recycled-content, soy-based inks, and 2-sided copies -- and quantities should be minimized whenever possible!
- 3) **Reduce Overall Wastes.** Participants should make a general commitment to reduce the amount of waste generated by their booth. Please do not bring any plastic bags into the festival.
- 4) **Encourage recycling and food composting-** We will provide the recycling/composting stations throughout the festival area and display signage to remind customers to use those facilities. Please make sure you set a good example in making use of the recycling and composting facilities.



**NRV Varmints
Pet Sitting Agency**



www.VirginiaGreenTravel.org

Questions? Call 540-961-1710

WAIVER:

I am at least 18 years old and I own or have permission from the owner of my registered dog to participate in the Summer Solstice Fest Dog Parade. I can prove that my dog's(s') rabies vaccination records are current. I acknowledge that I am responsible for my dog's health and well-being while participating in the Dog Parade. I hereby agree to be responsible for the actions of my dog and myself during the parade and further agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless The Summer Solstice Fest Dog Parade, its sponsor, its organizers, and the Town of Blacksburg from any liability arising out of the participation, actions or omissions of my dog or myself. I give permission to Downtown Blacksburg, Inc. to use photos taken during the Summer Solstice Dog Parade for promotional purposes. I agree to have my dog leashed and under control at all times. I acknowledge that I am responsible for picking up all of my dog's waste.

Dog Owner's Signature: _____
Date: