



Fundraising Events

2009 Issue

Save
the
Date

- April 25, 2009
Spring Bark in the Park
- August 22, 2009
Wag N Wine

Spring Event:



The Spring Bark in the Park is our annual dog and people fundraiser. Held at Hefflinger Dog Park each year in April, the event features exhibitors, vendors, rescue groups and dog activities.

Sponsors of this event allow us to provide each participating dog with a goodie bag filled with treats, toys and product samples.

In 2008, the Spring Bark in the Park had approximately 25 exhibitors and vendors and over 300 participants.

Vendors offer participants the opportunity to discover and purchase specialty treats and products for the special dogs in their lives. Vendors also may choose to host a game for dogs by becoming a Premier Vendor. At the

2008 event, games included Paw-casso and Bobbin' for Dawgs.

The Rescue Roundup allows local rescue groups a chance to educate participants about their great work and the breeds they specialize in.

Spring Bark in the Park 2009 is scheduled for April 25th. The Omaha Dog Park Advocates is looking for exhibitors, vendors, donors and event sponsors. Please see the inside of this newsletter for additional information on becoming an exhibitor, vendor or donor!

Fall Event:



2009 will be the third year for the Wag N Wine event. Held at Corkscrew Wine and Cheese, located in Rockbrook Village at 108th and West Center Road, the Wag N Wine is a people only event.

A wine tasting of six wines accompanied by light hors d'oeuvres is a great way to spend an afternoon browsing the silent

auction items and listening to live music on the patio. The event also features a raffle for a variety of items.

This year the Wag N Wine will be held on August 22nd. For this event, the Omaha Dog Park Advocates is seeking donations for the raffle and silent auction as well as event sponsors.

Please visit our website at www.omahadogpark.org for more information!



Wag N Wine 2008



Online Groups

There are two Yahoo! Groups related to the Omaha Dog Park.

Omaha Dog Park Advocates Group: This online group allows members to stay up to date on meetings, events, activities and the latest news concerning the Omaha Dog Park.

Join this group at: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/OmahaDogPark/>

Hefflinger Dog Park Group: This online group is a discussion forum for Hefflinger Dog Park patrons. Here members discuss park issues, share photos and stories and so much more!

Join this group at: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Hefflingerdogpark/>

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Join our online community!

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Ongoing Improvements



**Water Fountains
have been installed!**

The purpose of the Omaha Dog Park Advocates is to maintain and improve Hefflinger Dog Park. During 2008, the dog and people water fountains were installed on each side of the Dog Park. The water is on from approximately Memorial Day to Labor Day. These new fountains are the continuation of the ongoing improvements at the Dog Park.

Support of our two annual fundraiser events assists us in attaining our goals of continually improving the Dog Park for our two and four legged patrons.

The Omaha Dog Park Advocates look forward to continuing the improvement of the Dog Park. In 2009 we hope to install landscaping around the

fountains and entrances.

Monetary gifts or items from our wish list may be donated to the Dog Park.

Omaha Dog Park Advocates is a non-profit organization and donations are tax deductible!

Wish List

- Trees
- Landscaping (Paver stones and smooth rock)
- Shelters (gazebos)
- Permanent Waste Bag Dispensers
- Agility Equipment