Tri-State Basset Hound Rescue 2022 BOARDWADDLE



FRIDAY, APRIL 8th & SATURDAY, APRIL 9th

OCEAN CITY, NJ

THIS PACKET AND THE TSBHR WEBSITE HAS ALL THE INFO!

What is the BoardWaddle?

This is a Friday & Saturday event, which is the largest annual fundraiser for Tri-State Basset Hound Rescue (TSBHR). Events open with the Basset Hound Olympics on Friday afternoon followed by a fabulous Country Club dinner and "Pawction" in the evening. Saturday is the big day! Ocean City's Doo Dah Parade kicks off at noon. TSBHR has the largest brigade in the parade consisting of you and all your hounds! What sight to see...hundreds of Basset Hounds strutting down the streets and boardwalk of Ocean City, NJ. Immediately following the parade, join us for a picnic with food, vendors, games and awards. We hope you can come to all of the fantastic events on April 8th & 9th!

This Year's Grand Marshal is JANEY!

Janey came to TSBHR in May 2020 weighing only 28 lbs. She was skin and bones, found wandering in a rural Mississippi neighborhood where she had been visiting a back yard to steal cat food. Janey was starving. One of our wonderful MS fosters took her in and our local MS vet nursed her back to health. Her medical journey was a long one...anemia, high WBC counts, spay, 14 teeth removed, a mass on her gums and if that was not enough, Janey has "buck shot" in her...yes, she was shot with a shotgun! She was fostered and adopted by Steve Rodia and Donna Testa. However, Janey's health issues did not end there. She has had mammary cancer twice requiring radical mammary chain removals and chemotherapy. Janey is a survivor whose spirit has never been broken. She is one of the sweetest dogs we have ever saved and a true example of what a rescue dog is. Steve and Donna have volunteered for TSBHR for many years, have adopted 11 dogs from us, have fostered 4 hospice dogs, and have raised tens of thousands of dollars for the hounds in need. They have most recently taken in our famous boy Barney, who survived for two weeks on his own after his owner had passed away. Steve has a vivid imagination and likes to tell tall tales about Janey to make up for her unknown past. He gives her colorful and entertaining stories. Due to her unsurpassed beauty, his favorite story is that Janey is a retired beauty queen who has won many pageant crowns! It is a loving way to soften the blow of all this dog has been through. Congratulations, Janey, our 2022 Grand Marshal for TSBHR's BoardWaddle in the 35th annual Ocean City Doo Dah Parade!



WHY YOUR PLEDGES MATTER!

YOU can make the difference for hundreds of homeless hounds! It is because of your donations that TSBHR continues to save more hounds in need year over year.

GENERAL RULES & TIPS

- EVERYONE and EVERY DOG BREED is welcome to join the parade!
- All dogs must be current on vaccines (bring a copy of your dog's records).
- Bassets & Basset-Mixes can participate in the Olympics.
- Owners must be responsible for their dogs (please clean up after them).
- TSBHR is not responsible for damage/ harm incurred to any dog/person.
- Sales of animals of any kind are not permitted.
- If your dog gets tired during the parade, hitch a ride on our "Pooped Pup" Truck!
- All of the events are rain or shine! Check our socials for real time updates: Facebook: @tsbhr Instagram: @tristatebassethoundrescue
- Register for events on our website or mail in a paper form:
- ✓ Submit your donations online via PayPal or credit card
- √ Register for the Dinner/Pawction
- ✓ Pre-order your t-shirts & hoodies (or buy them at the Olympics and Parade - popular sizes sell fast!)

2021 TOP 10 BOARDWADDLE DONORS

Dell & Linda Cromie
Donna Testa & Steve Rodia
Jay & Connie Lieberman
Dawn VanKeuren, Gaby & Lili
Sally Long Dog
Phil & Angela Villari
Nancy Ganen-Bond
Denise Mattia
Krista Beck
Glen Gibbs, Leigh Meunier and
Victor Stango (3-way tie)

HANDY CHECKLIST

- ✓ Put together a list of potential donors (family, friends, coworkers, etc.). Remember, it doesn't hurt to ask them to support the rescue!
- ✓ Set a fundraising goal and continue to raise it right up until the Waddle!
- √ You and your donors can submit donations online, mail them or bring them to the Parade.
- √ Make your hotel reservations.
- ✓ Make your costumes & parade floats to enter in the Picnic contests!
- ✓ Check the weather and prepare for the possibility of cooler temps!
- ✓ Bring water and bowls for your Waddlers and blankets/chairs for the Picnic!
- ✓ Sign up for the "Senior Express" if your older hound can't walk the parade! Details on our website.

EVENTS TIMELINE

FRIDAY, APRIL 8th

Basset Hound Olympics

- When: Registration starts at 12:00pm & the games begin at 1:00pm
- Where: Ocean City Tabernacle grounds (corner of E. 6th Street & Asbury Avenue)
- Events: 10-Meter Sprint, 15-Meter Hurdles, High Jump (set at 6" to start) & Obstacle Course. Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals Awarded to the Winners!
- Snacks/drinks available or bring your own food

Dinner & "Pawction"

- When: 6:00pm
- Where: Greate Bay Country Club | 901 Mays Landing Road, Somers Point, NJ 08244
- Cost: \$30 per adult or \$15 per child (must be paid in advance)
- The "Pawction" includes one of a kind **Basset-themed items!**
- We will also have a Raffle table with some fabulous items and a 50/50!
- Casual attire, cash bar
- Note: Dogs are not permitted at this venue.



*Shirt styles include: crewneck short sleeve, long sleeve, zip-up hoodies (colors: true royal blue or ash grey). Adult sizes range from S to 5XL and youth sizes available too!

SATURDAY, APRIL 9th

BoardWaddle Parade Registration When: Registration is 10:00am to 11:45am

- Where: Ocean City Tabernacle grounds (corner of E. 6th Street & Asbury Avenue)
- Head to the Registration table to hand in your pledges and check in with our volunteers
- Purchase your t-shirts & hoodies*!
- Snacks/drinks available or bring your own food

BoardWaddle Parade

- When: The parade begins at 12:00pm
- Where: Line up at Asbury Avenue & E. 6th Street (in front of the fire house)
- Parade Route: Walk down Asbury Avenue from 6th Street to E. 12th Street; turn left on E. 12th Street and go to the Boardwalk; turn left on the Boardwalk and head back to E. 6th Street for the Picnic!
- Show off your hounds and strut your stuff down the streets and boardwalk!

Picnic

- When: After the parade 1:00pm to 4:00pm
- Where: Football field next to the Civic Center (840 E. 6th Street)
- TSBHR store selling NEW branded merch!
- Arts/crafts vendors and dog rescues with a variety of merch available
- Snacks/drinks available or bring your own food
- Live music! Live search dog safety demos!
- Contests for best parade floats & costumes
- Basset games and more!

OUESTIONS?

- Visit our website: www.tristatebassets.org
- Email: boardwaddle@tristatebassets.org
- Visit our FB: www.Facebook.com/TSBHR

DOG FRIENDLY HOTELS

Sonesta ES Suites

900 Mays Landing Rd Somers Point, NJ 08244 609-927-6400

www.sonesta.com/somerspoint

Call them for group rates (press 0 and mention

TSBHR or BoardWaddle when you call)!

Coral Sands Motel

709 E. 9th Street Ocean City, NJ, 08226

609-399-4540

www.thecoralsandsmotel.com

Tide Winds Motel

231 E. Davis Avenue Wildwood, NJ 08260

609-553-3048

www.tidewindsmotel.com

Other Dog Friendly Housing Options:

www.homeaway.com

www.vrbo.com

www.airbnb.com

www.bringfido.com/lodging

DIRECTIONS

To Ocean City from the North — Take the Garden State Parkway to Exit 30. Go straight, including around the circle and over the bridge. The bridge becomes 9th Street. Turn left onto Asbury and travel to 6th Street. The Tabernacle is located on the corner of 6th & Asbury. (spot for the Olympics and Parade start)

To Ocean City from the South — Take I-95 North to Route 40 East, then to Route 55 South. Take Route 55 South to Route 49 East and follow signs to Ocean City.

To Ocean City from the West — Take the Atlantic City Expressway to Exit 7S, onto the Garden State Parkway South. Follow directions for North, above.

To Greate Bay Country Club from Ocean City — Go back over the bridge into Somers Point going around the circle and onto Mays Landing Road. The Country Club will be on the right-hand side (the Sonesta ES Suites is on the left).

2022 BOARDWADDLE PACKET



DEEPWATER, NJ 08023

2022 BoardWaddle Registration



Visit our website to register for the Pawction/buy shirts:

www.tristatebassets.org/boardwaddle

BASSET OLYMPICS - FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2022 - 12:00pm*

No registration needed for your competing hounds. Basset Hounds and Basset Hound mixes are welcome to compete. We do not have a hoagie lunch option this year, but will have snacks/drinks available or bring your own food.

*In the event of inclement weather, we may opt to have the Basset Olympics at the Picnic following the Parade on Saturday. Please check our Facebook page for real-time updates: https://www.facebook.com/TSBHR

DINNER/PAWCTION - FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2022 - 6:00pm

Registration is <u>REQUIRED</u> for the Dinner/Pawction! We need the head count to give to the restaurant in advance. Dogs are not permitted at this venue. Attire is casual. Registration due by March 27th!

PURCHASING T-SHIRTS & HOODIES

Purchase t-shirts (crewneck) & hoodies (zip-up) online featuring the logo to the right. Pre-orders due by March 27th! Also available for purchase at the Basset Olympics, Parade Registration and the Picnic. Note: Popular sizes tend to sell out quickly.

Submit your dinner registration/buy shirts at <u>www.tristatebassets.org/boardwaddle</u> or do it the traditional way by completing and mailing the form below:

DINNER/PAWCTION - FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2022 - 6:00pm

Greate Bay Country Club | 901 Mays Landing Road, Somers Point, NJ 08244

Dinner Type	Price	Quantity	Total		
Adult Dinner	\$30.00		\$		
Child Dinner	\$15.00		\$		
Note: Attire is casual. Dogs are not permitted at this venue.					
	TOTAL		\$		

<u>T-SHIRTS (Crewneck – Logo on the Front) & HOODIES (Zip-Up – Logo on the Back)</u>

Item Type	Size	Color	Price	Quantity	Total
Adult Short Sleeve T-Shirt Sizes:					
S, M, L, XL, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X			\$25		
Color: Ash Grey			(Includes Shipping)		
Style: Gildan, 100% Cotton					
Adult Short Sleeve T-Shirt Sizes:					
S, M, L, XL, 2X			\$25		
Color: True Royal Blue			(Includes Shipping)		
Style: Bella & Canvas, Triblend					
Youth Short Sleeve T-Shirt Sizes:					
S, M, L			\$25		
Color: Ash Grey			(Includes Shipping)		
Style: Gildan, 100% Cotton					
Adult Long Sleeve T-Shirt Sizes:					
S, M, L, XL, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X			\$30		
Color: Ash Grey			(Includes Shipping)		
Style: Gildan, 100% Cotton					
Adult Zip-Up Hoodie Sizes:					
S, M, L, XL, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X			\$40		
Color: Ash Grey			(Includes Shipping)		
Style: Gildan, 50% Cotton/50% Poly					
		TOTAL			\$

GRAND TOTAL (for all items)

Item	Total		
Dinner/Pawction Tickets	\$		
T-Shirts & Hoodies	\$		
GRAND TOTAL	\$		

Mail to: Amy Allen, P.O. Box 471, Deepwater, NJ 08023

Name				
Shipping Address				
Phone		Email		
Payment Method (Check or Credit Card)	Check (Payable to TSBHR)		Credit Card Type (Visa, MC, AMEX)	
Total Amount Charged to Card	\$		CVV Code (3 or 4 digits on the back of the card)	
Card Number			Expiration Date	
Billing Address				
Print Name on Card			Signature	



2022 BoardWaddle Pledge Sheet

Visit our website and make your pledges online: www.tristatebassets.org/boardwaddle

WHY YOUR PLEDGES MATTER!

The BoardWaddle is TSBHR's biggest fundraiser of the year. And <u>YOU</u> can make the difference for hundreds of homeless hounds! By giving a personal donation and collecting pledges from your family, friends and coworkers you allow TSBHR to continue to save more hounds in need! Thank you so much for your support!

Collect your pledges and submit your contribution at www.tristatebassets.org/boardwaddle or do it the traditional way by completing the form below. Checks payable to TSBHR. **Your Name Your Address Your Phone** Your Email **Dollar** Pledger's Name Pledger's Email **Amount Pledged** \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ **GRAND TOTAL**



2022 BoardWaddle FAQ's

Have additional questions?

Visit our website: <u>www.tristatebassets.org/boardwaddle</u>
Email us: boardwaddle@tristatebassets.org

Are dogs allowed at all of the events?

The only event that dogs are not permitted is the Pawction Dinner on Friday night. Only Basset Hounds and Basset Hound Mixes may participate in the Basset Olympics. Every dog breed is welcome at the Parade and Picnic!

Can I purchase tickets to the Pawction Dinner at the door?

No. You must purchase Pawction Dinner tickets in advance (via our website or paper registration form).

Are all outdoor events rain or shine?

In the event of inclement weather, we may opt to have the Basset Olympics at the Picnic following the Parade on Saturday. Please check our Facebook page for real-time updates: https://www.facebook.com/TSBHR. The Parade and Picnic will go on rain or shine.

Will there be food to purchase at the Basset Olympics, Parade Registration and Picnic?

There will be snacks/drinks available for a small donation to TSBHR. You can also bring your own food or visit one of the many places on Asbury Ave and the Boardwalk: https://oceancityvacation.com/places-to-eat.html.

How do my BoardWaddle pledges help the rescue?

Pledges go to the rescue fund to pay for the dogs currently in our care (e.g., spay/neuter, monthly flea/tick and heartworm preventatives, all veterinary bills, transport costs, medications, etc.) and to save more dogs in need.

Have a senior dog who cannot walk the entire parade route?

Sign them up in advance for a spot on the "Senior Express" so they can ride in a truck/trailer, walk the parade until they get tired and hitch a ride on the "Pooped Pup Truck" or pull them in a wagon!

Do I need to sign up in advance for the costume/parade float contests and Basset games?

No. Just show up to the Picnic after the Parade and sign up at the contest/games registration table.

