



KYKZ 96 17th Annual Krewe of Barkus Parade

OFFICIAL RULES AND ENTRY FORM

Saturday, February 18th, 2012 @ 3:00pm

1. All animal entrants in the Krewe of Barkus parade must be on a leash and under the control of a human companion AT ALL TIMES.
2. All animal entrants in the Krewe of Barkus parade must have proof of current rabies vaccination in accordance with State and Parish law **NO EXCEPTIONS**. Current tags or medical records will be accepted as proof of vaccination.
3. Entry fee for the parade is \$10 per dog if registered BEFORE 12pm on Friday, February 17th. 12pm-5pm February 17th and at the event prior to 2:30pm February 18th will be \$15 per dog. **CASH ONLY**-includes commemorative t shirt and entry into costume contest. A portion of all entry fees will be donated to Calcasieu Parish Animal Services. **ALL ENTRY FORMS AND FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE KYKZ 96 offices- located at 425 Broad Street (or "day of" entrants pay to KYKZ representative at the registration table located near the KYKZ van).**
4. All waste deposited by an animal must be immediately picked up and disposed of by the human companion.
5. The Parade will begin at 3:00pm behind Arcade Pavilion. Check in will be from 2pm - 2:45pm, show up no later than 2:45pm.
6. Dogs in "season" or "heat" are not allowed to participate in the parade.
7. All Human companions must wear the number issued to them at parade line up at all times during the parade and costume contest.
8. All dogs must be maintained and **UNDER CONTROL** at all times. Dogs that are deemed excessively aggressive will be ejected from the parade.
9. At the end of the parade, a costume contest for the dogs will be held. Costumes are judged by a panel of judges on overall appearance and creativity. Trophies will be awarded for the first 3 places, and a monetary prize will be awarded to the first place winner. Costumes are not mandatory, but are encouraged.
10. No motorized vehicles other than those of KYKZ 96 and official parade sponsors, KYKZ 96 and Krewe of Barkus sponsors, will be allowed in the parade.
11. No signs or banners containing any commercial or promotional message will be allowed in the parade without prior approval of Cumulus Management.
12. All entrants in the Krewe of Barkus Parade assume all risk and responsibility for any damages or injury incurred themselves or their animal, and by signing this agreement will hold harmless KYKZ 96, Mardi Gras of Southwest Louisiana, and all participating sponsors. All entrants will also be responsible for any damages caused by themselves or their animal.
13. **All entry forms and fees IN CASH must be dropped off at KYKZ 96's business office no later than 12 p.m. on 2-17-12 for a \$10 rate. Entries turned in AFTER 12pm on 2-17-12 OR on event day will be \$15.**

Name: _____ Dog's Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Breed of Dog _____

By Signing I understand that I assume all responsibility for any damage or injury to myself, my property or my animal while participating in the Krewe of Barkus Parade, and hold harmless KYKZ 96, Cumulus Broadcasting, Mardi Gras of Southwest Louisiana, and any and all parade sponsors, officials or employees. I also understand that I am responsible for any damage or injury caused by my action or those of my animal.

Signature _____ Date _____

