



Hot Diggity Dog Walk

Feb. 21, 2025

**Start/Finish: Tampa Riverwalk
(Adjacent to the Tampa Convention
Center Front Drive & Sail Pavilion)**



DOG WALK INFORMATION

Registration: \$30

Includes: (1) human and (1) dog, a personalized human/dog race number, two bandanas, two glow sticks, a Human Finisher's Medal with a Finisher Dog Tag and a Finisher's Certificate.

- Additional dog is \$15.
- No more than 2 dogs per human.
- Pepperjack's Hot Diggity Dog Walk 'Human' Shirt Purchase—\$15

Due to Tampa Riverwalk Capacity Restrictions, additional humans without a dog are not allowed.

Start/Course Information

- Wave #1: 6:30 p.m.**
- Wave #2: 6:50 p.m. or once Wave #2 finishes**
- For safety, Wave Starts are limited to 250 human/dog combinations. Waves will be split according to order of registration.
- Half mile course: Tampa Riverwalk to Cotanchobee Park & back
- Packet Pick-up: Begins at 5:30 p.m. at the Tampa Convention Center's Sail Pavilion
- Event runs from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

** Please remember traffic on Friday evening can be a challenge. Please allow time for parking and walking to the event. Dogs **WILL NOT** be allowed in the ABC Action News Health & Fitness Expo, presented by TampaWell.

Dog Rules

- Old enough to be around other dogs and people (at least six months of age)
- Able to walk half mile
- Does well on-leash (no retractable leashes allowed) and is not aggressive toward other dogs
- Friendly toward humans and not excessively fearful
- Able to mix with a big crowd

Required Vaccinations

When registering you will sign a waiver confirming your dog's vaccinations from a licensed veterinarian are current. This waiver holds you (the owner) liable in the event of an incident. We recommend you contact your veterinarian regarding other vaccinations that may suit your dog's needs.

- **Rabies** – given annually, but sometimes can be three years.
- **DHLP** (Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parainfluenza) – all given annually, sometimes referred to as the Combo Vaccination, mainly when it includes Parvo.
- **Parvo** – given annually; many times, this is included in the DHLP and indicated as DHLPP.
- **Bordatella** – given either every six months or yearly. Sometimes referred to as Kennel Cough or Tracheobronchitis

The Gasparilla Distance Classic Association, Inc. reserves the right to deny any dog or human entrance to the Pepperjack's Hot Diggity Dog Walk, presented by Nutri+Vet event, for any reason they may see fit.

Participants are expected to practice responsible pet ownership. All dogs must be leashed (no retractable leashes) and licensed. Please come prepared to clean up after your dog.

- For the health & safety of all dogs, we will not offer on-course or Finish Line water. Please bring water for your dog(s).
- Please keep this in mind for your dog's participation in the Peppperjack's Hot Diggity Dog Walk.

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