



## Join us for the Sixth Annual Pawdi Gras Parade!

Don't miss the annual Pawdi Gras parade rolling through the streets of Downtown Gretna on Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup>! The streets will be filled with costumed dogs and their human escorts throwing a myriad of throws, beads and parade favors. Additionally, a King and Queen will be chosen from the Royal Court!

Pawdi Gras music will fill the air as our canines pass by the Gretna Farmers' Market. The parade will truly be the premier canine event on the Westbank of the Mississippi River.

Can't wait for you and your "Pawdi Animal" to join us!!



*Sponsored by the Gretna Economic Development Association*

For information call:  
(504) 361-1822, (504) 361-7748  
or P.A.W.S. (504) 392-1601

or visit

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[www.gretnala.com](http://www.gretnala.com)

Register every Saturday at the  
Gretna Farmers' Market - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

### *\$500.00 - Pawdi Gras Top Dogs*

Ride in parade in convertible & name and/or business included in advertising for the parade.

*Sponsor deadline Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011*

### *\$300.00 - Pawdi Gras Corporate Sponsor*

Ride in parade in your own golf cart float, name and/or business included in advertising for the parade.

*Sponsor deadline Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011*

### *\$100.00 - Gretna Pawdi Gras T-Shirt Sponsor*

Name and/or Business advertised on back side of official T-Shirt.

*Sponsor deadline Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011*

### *\$50.00 - Vendors Tables*

Vendors are welcome to sell/display doggie items such as clothing, photos, or doggie advertisements at the Parade Grounds and/or Gretna Farmers' Market.

### *\$35.00 - Official Krewe Member*

The Official Krewe Members will be eligible to participate in the drawing for King and Queen. Includes parade pass for dog and one parent escort.

### *\$20.00 - "Pawdi Animal"*

Includes parade pass for dog and one parent escort.

### *\$15.00 - P.A.W.S. Adoptees "Pawdi Animal"*

Special for P.A.W.S. adoptees! Includes parade pass for dog and one parent escort.

### *T-Shirts, Beads, Photos &*

*Pawdi Gras 2011 memorabilia will be sold !*

### *Awards presented to:*

*Pawdi Animal Costume*

*Best Decorated Float/Stroller*

*Best Group of Pawdi Animals*

### **Rules and Regulations:**



- 1) Dogs must be in costume (or extremely decorated with beads, feathers, etc.) to participate.
- 2) Dogs must have current vaccination status.
- 3) Dogs must not have vicious tendencies or need to be muzzled (aggressive dogs & owners will be asked to leave).
- 4) **Dogs must be on a non-retractable leash and must not be "in season".**
- 5) Escorts are encouraged to join in the festivities with costumes, floats and throws. Floats can be made out of wagons, baby strollers, shopping carts, battery operated children's vehicles, etc. No motorized vehicles will be allowed.
- 6) Escorts are strongly encouraged to have a supply of throws.
- 7) Escorts are deemed "Official Pooper Scoopers". Bags will be available along the parade route.
- 8) All minors must be supervised by an adult.
- 9) Each dog who wishes to parade must be registered.

### **Waiver & Release of Liability (please read & sign)**

Participants in the events associated with Gretna Pawdi Gras 2009 acknowledge that they will be surrounded by and parading with other animals along the streets of the City of Gretna which are intended for vehicular traffic and as such, participants may interact with other animals as well as encounter standard vehicular street features, including, but not limited to, potholes, cracks, dips, etc. as well as street features which result from the participation and parading of other animals along the parade route. Participants in the events associated with Gretna Pawdi Gras 2011 including, but not limited to pre-parade events and the parade itself within the city limits of the City of Gretna shall indemnify and save harmless and defend the City of Gretna, Gretna Economic Development Association and P.A.W.S., their agents, servants, volunteers and employees from and against any claim, demand or cause of action of every name or nature arising out of participation in any of the events associated with Gretna Pawdi Gras 2011. Any other Gretna Pawdi Gras 2011 events beyond that which is specified will also be covered by this agreement.

I further acknowledge that I have read the Rules and Regulations and fully understand same.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

2011 Registration Form (Please print - must be completed in full)

Participants are encouraged to register in advance. Please make copies for additional dogs.

Name (Dog) \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Name (Human/Owner) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Night) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be walking dog? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If no, other means of transportation \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 500.00 **Pawdi Gras Grand Marshal** - Ride in parade, name and/or business included in all advertising for the parade.
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 300.00 **Pawdi Gras Corporate Sponsor** - Ride in parade in your own golf cart float, name included in all advertising for the parade.
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 100.00 **Gretna Pawdi Gras Sponsor** - Name and/or business advertised on back side of official T-Shirt.
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 35.00 **Official Krewe Member** (Royal Court Eligible) - Eligible to participate in the drawing for King and Queen. Includes parade pass for dog and one human escort, and Official Krewe Member gift.
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 20.00 **Pawdi Animal** - Includes parade pass for dog and one human escort in the Kanine Krewe.
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 15.00 **P.A.W.S. Adoptees "Pawdi Animal"** - Special for P.A.W.S. adoptees! Includes parade pass for dog and one parent escort.
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 10.00 **Official Gretna Pawdi Gras 2011 T-Shirt - # of Shirts** \_\_\_\_\_ Size: **XXL** \_\_\_\_\_ **XL** \_\_\_\_\_ **L** \_\_\_\_\_ **M** \_\_\_\_\_ **S**
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 5.00 **Parade Walker** - Walk in the Parade without a dog!
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 50.00 **Vendor Table** Vendors are invited to sell/display doggie items such as clothing, photos or doggie advertisements.

*Sponsorship deadline - Tuesday, March 1, 2011*

**OFFICIAL USE ONLY:**

**REGISTRATION**

No. \_\_\_\_\_

*Please make check payable to Gretna Farmer's Market*

*Return application & check to Gretna Pawdi Gras 2011, 739 Third St., Gretna, LA 70053*

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2011 Pawdi Gras  
739 Third Street  
Gretna, LA 70053



# "Canines in Candyland"

## Saturday March 12, 2011



benefiting  
**P.A.W.S. - A no kill facility for our  
homeless & abused 4 Legged friends**

Gretna City Hall  
Second & Huey P. Long Avenue

9:30 - Registration

10:00 - Costume Contest Judging &  
Crowning of the Royal Court

10:30 - Pawdi Gras 2011 Parade

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