## **HEALING HEARTS OF THE BLACK HILLS**

## JOIN US AT THE ANNUAL WAG 'N' WALK 5K FUN RUN/WALK!

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Put your tennis shoes on, pull out your pup's leash, and sign up for the Annual Wag 'N' Walk 5K Fun Run/Walk. This family friendly event will be taking place at the beautiful Herrmann Park in Belle Fourche, SD on October 26 from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. The event will benefit and raise funds for Hobo's Healing Heart.

Hobo's Healing Heart helps community members who need assistance with emergency funds needed for their pet's medical attention. With the help of Hobo's Healing Heart pet owners in the Black Hills do not have to decide between helping their pet or paying debts. Since 2014, Hobo's Healing Heart has assisted 58 families and has paid over \$16,000 in grants for emergency veterinary costs, diagnostic testing, and cremations with the majority of funds allocated to emergency care. For Hobo's Healing Heart to continue to help pet owners, community support and involvement is a must!

The race will follow along the beautiful River Walk and end back at Herrmann Park in Belle Fourche. Pre-register by October 20, 2019 to receive the discounted price of \$20 per individual. After October 20, registration \$30 per individual. Race day registration will run from 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m., with the race starting at 8:00 a.m.

And don't forget your furry buddy! Friendly dogs are welcome to run with their humans. All dogs must be up-to-date on vaccines and must be on a leash NO LONGER than 6 feet with NO retractable leashes allowed, due to safety. Humans must pick up after their pooches if needed and bags will be provided.

All participants will receive post-race refreshments and there will be a door prize drawing following the run. In addition to the door prize drawing, awards will be given for best-dressed 2-legged and 4-legged team! So, bring the whole family (strollers are welcome too) and dress up to participate in this family fun event, where everyone can enjoy the Black Hills!



## **RACE DAY DETAILS**

OCTOBER 26, 8AM-10AM
Beginning at Herrmann Park in Belle Fourche

Pre-register before October 20 to receive a discounted rate! https://www.active.com/belle-fourche-sd/running/distance-running-races/wag-n-walk 5k-fun-run-walk-2019

Through donations and active volunteerism, Hobo's Healing Heart will be able to continue serving those who need it most in the Black Hills. We hope to see you at the Annual Wag 'N' Walk 5K Fun Run/Walk!



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