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World Rabies Day

September 9, 2007

Cico Park

Wreath and Kimball Ave.

12:00 pm to 4:00 pm



**Help us celebrate
World Rabies Day**

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For more information and to volunteer contact:

Event Organizer:

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World Rabies Day Mission



The mission of World Rabies Day is to raise awareness about the impact of human and animal rabies, how easy it is to prevent it, and how to eliminate the main global sources. Even though the major impact of rabies occurs in regions of the world where many needs are present, rabies should no longer be neglected. The tools and technology for human rabies prevention and dog rabies elimination are available. Through the World Rabies Day initiative, partners will be.....*Working Together to Make Rabies History!*

Rabies in humans is 100% preventable through prompt appropriate medical care. Yet, more than 55,000 people, mostly in Africa and Asia, die from rabies every year - a rate of one person every ten minutes. The most important global source of rabies in humans is from uncontrolled rabies in dogs. Children are often at greatest risk from rabies. They are more likely to be bitten by dogs, and are also more likely to be severely exposed through multiple bites in high-risk sites on the body. Severe exposures make it more difficult to prevent rabies unless access to good medical care is immediately available. This major source of rabies in humans can be eliminated through ensuring adequate animal vaccination and control, educating those at risk, and enhancing access of those bitten to appropriate medical care.

In 2006, a group of researchers and professionals formed the Alliance for Rabies Control. They began inviting partners to join the World Rabies Day initiative. The inaugural World Rabies Day initiative now involves human and animal health partners at the international, national, state/provincial, and local levels, veterinary, medical and other specialized professional and student organizations, and corporate and non-profit partners. The goal of this outreach is to mobilize awareness and resources in support of human rabies prevention and animal rabies control. We hope to engage at least 55,000 people to take action on World Rabies Day, one for each person whose death each year can be prevented.








List of Events and Scheduling:

September 7, 2007

For staff and students- race packet pick up from 1-3 pm in the Junior Lab on 1st floor of Trotter (packets may also be picked up on race day starting at 1pm.)

September 9, 2007

World Rabies Day Celebration from 12pm- 4 pm in Cico Park, including:

-  -free children's Octabounce (donated by Waters True Value)
-  -children's face painting, games, and juggling workshop
-  -Humane Society Adoptions
-  -Massages on-site from Body First with a donation to the Rabies Alliance
-  -food vendors
-  -live music from local bands and musicians
-  5K run (certification course):
 - registration at 1pm
 - run start at 2pm

2007 FIRST ANNUAL WORLD RABIES DAY 5K RUN

Entry Form

Race Registration:

1. Entry Fees: \$20 per race for adults 16 years and older
\$5 per race for children under 16 years old
2. Entry fees are non-refundable and must accompany an entry form.
3. Entry fee pays for race materials and short-sleeved event t-shirt.
4. Make checks payable to:
KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
5. Write "WORLD RABIES DAY" on the memo portion to ensure that the funds go to this event.

Mail or hand deliver Completed Entry Forms and Entry Fees to:
World Rabies Day
Veterinary Medical Library; Trotter Hall 4th floor
1800 Denison
KSU College of Veterinary Medicine
Manhattan, KS 66506

Please complete a separate entry form for each participant.

Name

(print): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Age: _____

Circle One: Male Female

T-Shirt Size: youth XL S M L XL 2XL

In consideration of your acceptance of this entry, I hereby, for myself, my executors and administrators, waive any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against sponsors, coordinating groups, and any individuals associated with the event, their representatives, successors and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by me in connection with said event. Also, none of the above are responsible for the loss of personal items or any other form of aggravation in connection with said event. In filling out this form, I acknowledge that I am an amateur in such events. I also give my permission for the free use of my name and picture in any broadcast, telecast, or print media account of this event. In filing out this form, I acknowledge I have read and fully understand my own liability and do accept the restrictions.

Signature:
