



# Carnival Canines on Parade Information and Registration

The Carnegie Visual Arts Center presents the area's first Mardi-Gras-style celebration. Partnering with other area organizations, we will host the first annual Carnegie Carnival. Promoting art and creativity, family fun, and downtown revitalization, February 17 and 18, 2012 will be two days of celebration with parties and parades. Proceeds will benefit the Carnegie Visual Arts Center and other non-profit organizations in the Decatur area.

The Carnival Canines on Parade is for dogs, preferably in creative and festive costumes, and will be held Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 11:00 AM. The parade route will begin on 2nd Avenue at Gordon St. and continue onto Lee Street/Bank Street, ending at Founder's Park near the Old State Bank. The parade will benefit and be run by *Animal Friends Humane Society* of Decatur Alabama.

Registration is \$10 for the first dog and \$5 for each additional dog walked by the same owner. Registration form and fee must be turned in at the Carnegie Visual Arts Center by Tuesday, February 7, 2012 at 5 PM. Information sheets, with parade line up and parade route map, will be available on February 10, 2012 at 10 AM.

Carnival Canines on Parade participants must purchase approved parade "throws" or objects from The Carnegie in advance if desired. Only approved "throws" will be allowed in the parade. Please see the attached order form to purchase approved objects to be handed to the parade crowd by walkers. Order form and payment is due on February 7, 2012 at 5 PM.

For more information, please see our website at [www.carnegiearts.org](http://www.carnegiearts.org), or contact the Carnegie Visual Arts Center at 256-341-0562 or [admin@carnegiearts.org](mailto:admin@carnegiearts.org).

## Schedule of Events

**11 AM - Carnival Canines on Parade**  
*Sponsored by Animal Friends Humane Society*

**10 AM - 6 PM - Red Beans and Rice Cookoff at Bank Street Green**

**1 PM - Prince and Princess Parade**  
*Sponsored by Parents and Children Together*

**2 PM - 4 PM - Children's Activity Tent at Founders Park**

**6 PM - Carnegie Carnival Parade**

**Registration Deadline is February 7, 2012 at 5 PM**

Tear off and return registration form and payment by February 7, 2012 at 5 PM to the Carnegie Visual Arts Center

Dog Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\$10 for first dog     \$5 each for \_\_\_\_\_ additional dogs walked by same owner    Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to the Carnegie Visual Arts Center or charge to:     Visa     MasterCard     AmEx

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Deadline is February 7, 2012, at 5 PM. Mail or drop off registration form and applicable fees to:**

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