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# Emerald Greys

Greyhound Pets of America/Emerald Coast

## *It's Time For Howliday!*

The annual fund raising event, Hound Dog Howliday, is just around the corner. This years event promises to be bigger and better then ever. GPA/EC is celebrating Howlidays tenth anniversary with new events, games, and activities. Watch for old favorites that will be returning like the Memorial Wall. As in years past, the fun filled weekend starts in Defuniak Springs, Florida at the Best Western Motel on Friday, with the finale on Sunday at Ebro Greyhound Track. The dates are March 19-21, with registration starting at noon on Friday March 19.

New on Sunday, Howliday King and Queen drawing. With every registration you will receive a ticket for entry into the king and queen drawing. We'll draw tickets at the beginning of Sunday's events (11:20) so that the reigning King and Queen can show off their lovely new royal collars to all their subjects. (Hounds must be present to win)

Another exciting attraction, Linda Evans the wonderful and very talented artist who designed this years t-shirts, will be giving art classes for beginners and intermediate artists. For a very reasonable fee of \$35 which includes all supplies you will need and a framed greyhound piece of art you did yourself. ! A portion of the fee goes to GPA/EC.

For the fashion conscious among you, be sure to catch the fashion show on Saturday night. The models are among the most beautiful in the world, your greyhound! Yes we will be scouting the audience for the curvy girls and buff boys, to model some of the latest fashions. Of course what would a fashion show be if you couldn't purchase the latest fashions? You will have the opportunity to purchase your favorite fashion by staying for the fun filled, action packed auction following the fashion show.

We will have games for you and your hound, the Easter egg hunt on Friday has a new twist. This year we will look for eggs with monopoly money inside. The monopoly money can be redeemed at the end of the egg hunt for real money donation checks to be made out to the greyhound adoption group of your choice! There will be \$500 total cash donations made from this event,

A parade for your groups affiliation, dress your hound to represent your group. For example, GPA/EC's theme for this tenth anniversary is tin, aluminum and the beach A beachy blingy thing! So dress those hounds with a fun theme for your group affiliation. And what could be better? Pictures after the parade with David Hughes.

These are just a sampling of things going on throughout the weekend. A schedule of events is posted on page two and all the necessary forms can be found on the website (gpa/ec.com) and in this newsletter.

This is one Howliday you don't want to miss. If you have never attended a Howliday, make this your first, I'm sure it won't be your last!

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# Hound Dog Howliday 2010

## Event Schedule

### Friday March 19--March 21

To make motel reservations for this event

Best Western Crossroads Inn

2343 Highway 331

Defuniak Springs, Fl 32435

Phone 850-892-5111

#### **Friday: Best Western Motel**

Registration -----12:00pm

Easter Egg Hunt-----3:00pm

Spaghetti Dinner GPA/LA---6:00pm

Followed by

Ice Cream Social for humans & hounds, GPA/Tri State

Scavenger Hunt

#### **Saturday Best Western Motel**

Walk in Historic Defuniak Springs-----8:45am

Art Class w/ Linda Evans, intermediate 10:00am & beginners 1:00pm-----\$35 each

Box Lunch, sandwich, chips, cookie & drink-----\$7 pre pay w/registration

Doggie First Aid Class w/ Skip Bollens, 1:00 - 3:00pm-----\$15

Wine Tasting 3:30pm-5:00pm (this event subject to availability)

Dinner, chicken or beef w/sides, or vegetarian salad bar 6:00pm --- \$20, veg \$10

Followed by

Fashion Show, bidding on fashions

**ALL EVENTS AND TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

# Hound Dog Howliday

## Ebro Greyhound Track Schedule

### March 21 11:00am-4:00pm

Crowning of King and Queen-----11:20am

Senior Stroll-----11:30am

On Going Events, Memorial Wall, Bake Sale, Barks-a-Million, GPA/EC Store, Food, Beer and many more vendors at your service

Games

Mike Shamp presents Bark Busters Dog Training -----12:30pm-2:00pm -----free

Raffle drawings begin at 2:00pm

Followed by Group Theme Parade & Group Theme Pictures after parade w/ David Hughes

Live Auction 3:00pm

**You can access all this information and use pay pal to pay for registration, t-shirts, and classes on the GPA/EC website [gpaec.com](http://gpaec.com)**

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# Howliday Pre-Registration

Pre registration must be received by 3/12/10

Make checks payable to GPA/EC

Mail to GPA/EC

PO Box 64

Gonzalez, Fl 32560-9998

Or visit our website [gpaec.com](http://gpaec.com) and order by using pay pal

REGISTRATION FOR ONE PERSON----\$10

FOR ENTIRE WEEKEND-----\$25

REGISTRATION FOR FAMILY OF THREE OR MORE -----\$25

FOR ENTIRE WEEKEND-----\$65

CHILDREN UNDER TWELVE ADMITTED FREE

(REGISTRATION INCLUDES GOODY BAG, FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER, ICE CREAM SOCIAL, FASHION SHOW AND RAFFLE TICKETS FOR FASHION SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT)

NAME(S)-----

GROUP AFILLIATION-----

TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTRATIONS-----AMOUNT \$-----

DINNER SATURDAY NIGHT-----\$20

VEGETARIAN MEAL-----\$10

CHOOSE ONE

BAKED CHICKEN, MASHED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, ROLL, TEA, DESSERT

OR

ROAST BEEF, MASHED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, ROLL, TEA, DESSERT

NUMBER OF CHICKEN----- NUMBER OF BEEF-----

NUMBER OF VEGETARIAN-----

# Order for T-Shirts, Art Class & Doggie First Aid Class

Make Checks payable to GPA/EC

Mail to GPA/EC

PO Box 64

Gonzalez, FL 32560-9998



## T-Shirt Order

Size S, M, L, XL-----\$18  
 Size 2XL, 3XL, 4XL-----\$20

THIS IS THE DESIGN THAT  
 WILL BE ON THE 2010  
 T-SHIRTS

## Color

Natural

White

Number and color of t-shirts-----

Total amount for t-shirts \$-----

## Linda Evans Art Class

Intermediate class-----\$35 includes all supplies

Beginners class-----\$35 includes all supplies

## Doggy First Aid Class w/Skip Bollens

Don't miss this one-----\$15

Linda Evans class-----Intermediate----- Beginners-----

Skip Bollens class-----

Total amount for classes \$-----