

# 2017 HOTO Sertoma Oktoberfest

## Wiener Dog Race

Expo Center Field  
735 E. St. Louis Street  
Springfield, Missouri 65806  
Saturday, September 30, 2017



**A portion of the proceeds to benefit the Humane Society of SW Missouri**

### Schedule

5:00 p.m. Registration/Check-In  
6:00 p.m. First Heat Start  
7:00 p.m. Finals  
Awards after Finals

### Entry Fee

\$25.00 (includes Oktoberfest entry tickets for two (2) race handlers, use of Dachshund bun costume, and 1 t-shirt)

Each Dachshund will have their provided hot dog bun costume, and will run approximately 75 ft. from one handler to the other handler at the finish line. The winner of each heat will compete in a final race to determine the winning wiener! Prizes will be awarded to the top 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers.

**Participation will be limited to the first 50 registrants** who deliver their completed entry form, proof of rabies vaccination, and entry fee to either the HOTO Sertoma Club office (address noted below) or at the site of the race by 6:00 p.m. However, **advance registration is encouraged.**

### CONTEST RULES

- **Current rabies vaccination record (rabies certificate from a veterinarian) must be presented at time of check in.**
- **Two (2) race handlers (provided by entrant) are required for each Dachshund dog entry.**
- **Keep your dog on a 6 ft. or shorter leash at all times, except when racing.**
- **Handlers and owners will be responsible for cleaning up after their dog.**
- **Dogs must be socialized with other dogs and people.**
- **Dogs in heat should be left at home**
- **Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older).**
- **Owners must remove their dog and leave the race if their dog acts aggressively towards people, other dogs, poses a safety risk to others, or appears to be unhealthy.**

### **Official Entry Form**

**Make Check Payable To: HOTO Sertoma Oktoberfest**

1717 E. Republic Rd., Suite A  
Springfield, MO 65806

[becky@clubmanagementservices.com](mailto:becky@clubmanagementservices.com)

**(417) 886-8606, Ext. 102**

### **Owner/Handler Information**

Name (Handler #1) \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Handler #2) \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Phone \_\_\_\_\_ and Email \_\_\_\_\_

### **Dog Information:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Gender M \_\_\_ F \_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Spayed/Neutered Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Dachshund Type (please circle): Miniature or Standard

In consideration of your accepting this entry, we hereby, for ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and other personal representatives, waive, release, and covenant not to sue Heart of the Ozarks Sertoma Club, Inc., or any of its members, members of the HOTO Sertoma Oktoberfest Committee, any sponsoring or other participating organizations and their employees and other representatives, or any other individuals or entities involved, and any successors and assigns of any of the above-noted entities or individuals, *from any and all liability for any actual or claimed injuries suffered by me or to my dog or other property while we and our dog participate in said event, or while I engage in any other activities in connection with said event, that are caused by the NEGLIGENCE or FAULT of said above-noted entities or individuals.* We further attest that we and our dog are physically fit to participate in, and have prepared for this event. We also hereby authorize and permit the use of my name and/or pictures of me and my dog in any HOTO Sertoma Oktoberfest publication or promotion. We also agree to abide by all of the rules of participation, and acknowledge that if we do not do so, the HOTO Sertoma Oktoberfest Committee may cancel this entry, and refuse to return the entry fee at its discretion. We further agree that this release and waiver is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by applicable law, and that if any provision hereof is held to be invalid or unenforceable: (1) the balance hereof shall continue in full force and effect; and (2) in lieu of such invalid or unenforceable provision, there shall be automatically added as part hereof a provision as close in terms to the invalid or unenforceable provision as to then make it valid and enforceable and accomplish the original intent and purpose of this release and waiver.

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Signature of Handler #1

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Signature of Owner (if different)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Handler #2

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Date