



Saturday, Feb. 14, 2026

1:00 PM Lineup - 2:00 PM Start

Trophy Awarded



**Grass by the  
Plaza Area  
NO FEE REQUIRED**

**THIS RACE IS FOR DACHSHUND AND SMALL BREED DOGS**  
***Dachshund's will compete against Dachshund's  
and Small Breed will compete against Small Breed***

**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED – ADVANCE OR ONSITE - ONE ENTRY FORM PER PET**

- All registration's come with 1 free admission ticket and a treat bag for your pet
- Advance registration may be returned in person to the Mardi Gras Office, faxed to 409-721-8700 or emailed to [laura@mardigrassetx.com](mailto:laura@mardigrassetx.com)
- Pets must be fully vaccinated. This includes DHLPP, Rabies and Bordetella, Influenza is not required.) A copy of current vaccination records is required at registration
- Pets may be costumed. Handlers may be costumed also (need not be elaborate)

**All pets must be on a leash**

**Entry for parade will be by the amphitheater at 1:00 PM. Upon arrival, check in and report to the staging area to sign up. Trophies and awards will be presented immediately follow all races.**

Owners Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Pet Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Participants Liability Release**

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the rules and I am aware that my dachshund must have the specific breed characteristics as stated by the AKC in order to race. I will not hold any party responsible if another dog bites my dog or me. I understand that MGSETX will not be responsible for any cost incurred for misbehaved dogs. I agree to abide by all rules and regulations with regard to our participation in "The Wiener Takes All" dog race.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the rules and I am aware that my dog must have the specific small breed characteristics in order to race. I will not hold any party responsible if another dog bites my dog or me. I understand that MGSETX will not be responsible for any cost incurred for misbehaved dogs. I agree to abide by all rules and regulations with regard to our participation in "The Wiener Takes All" small breed dog race.

**I will not hold MGSETX members, agents, officers, or volunteers responsible in the event of accident or property damage. MGSETX will comply with all federal, state and local guidance related to Covid-19; however, due to the highly contagious nature of Covid-19 a gathering of any size is not without risk. MGSETX can't guarantee your personal or your dog's safety or health. All attendees voluntarily assume all risk related to participation in MGSETX events.**

**Owners Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ MGSETX Official: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Mardi Gras Southeast Texas reserves the right to accept or decline any application.**

# Wiener Takes All & Small Breed Dog Race

## Rules and Regulations

### May the best wiener & small dog win!

1. Dachshund's dogs must be certified dachshunds – This does not mean they have to AKC registered but must have the specific breed characteristics as stated by AKC. Mixed breeds can only race in the Mixed Breed category. Chi-weenies are considered a mixed breed. MGSETX has the right to disqualify any dog if there is a question of the breed or size.
2. Everyone must check in after entering the festival grounds and be nearby the staging area no later than 15 minutes before race time.
3. All entries must have a current copy of the dog's shots record. Be prepared to produce the shot record at the staging check in area.
4. Races are assigned in the order of completed registrations at arrival.
5. You may bring your dog's favorite toy. (Toy may not be bigger than 8 inches)
6. No food (human or dog food), bags, purses, lights or other pets are allowed in the racetrack area. Only the dog handler and toy in the racetrack area. Family and guest may watch from the sidelines.
7. Only one owner/handler allowed in the racetrack area at any time. If your child is racing the dog make sure they can handle the dog without a parent.
8. All dogs MUST be on a leash.
9. Owners are required to clean up after their dog business should it happen.
10. Dogs should be on their best behavior – no fighting, biting or aggressive behavior
11. No waving blankets, flags or other large items at the start of the race.

The first and second place winners will be announced immediately following both races. Trophies will be awarded at the same time. Photo's will be taken so make sure to not leave before everything is complete.

MGSETX has the right to disqualify dogs and owners who violate or do not cooperate with the above rules.

#### Prizes

**First Place Trophy Dachshunds**  
**Second Place Trophy Dachshunds**  
**Third Place Medal Dachshunds**



#### Prizes

**First Place Trophy Small Breed**  
**Second Place Trophy Small Breed**  
**Third Place Medal Small Breed**

*Judge's decisions are final and please remember this is for fun and there is always next year if your pet does not place. Unsportsman like conduct will not be tolerated.*

**Mardi Gras Southeast Texas reserves the right to accept or decline any application**