

# Annual Grateful Dog Rescue Run/Walk August 26 at Rocklin's Springview Park

*Charity event major part of Woofstock Weekend*

The fifth annual Grateful Dog Rescue Run/Walk will take place Sunday, Aug. 26 at Johnson-Springview Park in Rocklin. The event includes a free 1/8<sup>th</sup> mile Kids Fun Dash, along with the 5K Run/Walk.

The Grateful Dog Rescue Run/Walk is a part of the Run Rocklin Series and is managed by Larry Osborne and Elephant Ideas, a Rocklin-based event management company. The goal of the event is to support the RRUFF Healing Heroes Program.

RRUFF is partnering with 4Paws2Freedom to provide service dog training to disabled military veterans. The fundraising goals for this program are providing scholarships to deserving veterans to help them find a dog, and supply the training from puppy to adult certification.

The 5K Run/Walk, which begins at 8 a.m., costs \$40 for adults and \$20 for ages 18-under. Seniors 65-older pay \$35. The free Kids Fun Dash starts at 7:45 a.m. All 5K paid participants who sign up before Aug. 10 receive a free T-shirt.

To register, visit [www.thegratefuldogrescuerun.com](http://www.thegratefuldogrescuerun.com).

The flat, dirt trail course has mile markers and will be timed. Everyone who finishes the 5K run/walk will receive a special dog tag medal. Leashed dogs are welcome in the 5K Run/Walk.

For more information about the event or to become a sponsor or volunteer, e-mail Osborne at [elephant@eaward.com](mailto:elephant@eaward.com) or call 916 997-1808.