

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## **Huonville to host RSPCA Million Paws Walk for first time**

Huonville will be hosting its' first-ever RSPCA Million Paws Walk at the Huonville recreation ground on Sunday 17 May at 11am, and early bird registration is now open.

There will be three different dog walks available at the Huonville recreation ground – short, medium and long – as well as a BBQ, competitions, demonstrations, high-jump and show-jumping for dogs, and dog-focussed market stalls.

People can register online at the RSPCA's website or use registration forms available at the Council's Customer Service Centre in Huonville. Registration will also be available at the Huonville recreation grounds on the day of the walk. The early bird registration cost is \$15 for adults, \$8 for children under 16, and \$10 for concession card holders. There are also cheaper options for families and teams to register together.

A range of organisations from the Huon will be helping out, including the Huon Valley Dog Walking Association, Rotary, Kingborough/Huon Rural Youth, Huon Pony Club, Woolworths, Bendigo Bank, and others. The RSPCA uses funds raised during the Million Paws Walk to support their animal shelters around Tasmania.

To register early for the Million Paws Walk, or for more information, please visit the Council's Customer Service Centre in Huonville or the RSPCA's Million Paws website at <a href="https://www.millionpawswalk.com.au/Tasmania">www.millionpawswalk.com.au/Tasmania</a>



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