‘Paint the Island Pink’ Events at Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi Continue with ‘Paws for a Cause’ Dog Walk

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas — Four-legged friends and their owners will take a scenic stroll down the hike-and-bike trail at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi during the “Paws for a Cause” dog walk Friday, Oct. 10, from 6-7:30 p.m.

The dog walk, which will be held at the trail near the Natural Resources Center, will wrap up the University’s “Paint the Island Pink” events for breast cancer awareness.

There will also be contests and prizes for the Pinkest Pooch (the best-dressed pinkest dog) and the Pinkest Pair (best-dressed, pinkest dog and owner).

The $5 entry fee will benefit First Friday, a non-profit program which underwrites free mammograms for uninsured and underinsured South Texas women. For people who don’t have a dog, the Gulf Coast Humane Society, Coastal Bend Small Breed Rescue and the Corpus Christi Care Shelter will provide people-friendly dogs to be walked, as well as information on pet adoption. All participating dogs must be vaccinated, have rabies tags, be people and pet-friendly, and be on a leash.

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