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Buckeye DockDogs jump into Avon Lake Municipal Pool

Third Annual Dog Swim/Party on September 6, 2008

GRAFTON, OH — Ball chasin' Chessie or toy-fetching terrier. Petite Poodle or sleek Saluki. Lively Lab or mellow mutt.

Every dog can be a Buckeye DockDog when Love-A-Stray Animal Rescue holds the Third Annual Dog Swim/Party at Avon Lake Municipal Pool, 32850 Electric Blvd., Avon Lake, OH 44012. The fun for all dogs and humans begins at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, September 6, 2008, and ends at 6:00 p.m., when the pool closes for the summer.

As part of the day's activities, Buckeye DockDogs will demonstrate dock jumping, and coach those new to the sport during *Let's Try DockDogs!* sessions. The club will also hold a competition to see which pooch jumps the longest—and the shortest! Buckeye DockDogs has donated two "easy out" ramps so every dog, no matter what breed, size, shape, or ability, will be able to exit the pool with ease. Anyone who wants to participate should bring their dog's favorite floating toy.

Along with dock jumping, the day will be filled with many fun events and contests, treats for dogs and humans, and special Bow Wow ice cream, too. Gift bags will be given to the first 200 families to register. The complete schedule is;

12:00 Noon	Event starts
12:30 p.m.	Big Splash contest
1:00 p.m.	Little Splash contest
1:30 p.m.	Bobbing for Tennis Balls contest
2:30 p.m.	Buckeye DockDogs Longest and Shortest Jump contests
3:00 p.m.	Bow Wow Bathing Suit contest*
4:00 p.m.	Smallest, Tallest and Biggest Dog contests
4:30 p.m.	Judge's Choice Award
5:00 p.m.	Best in Show Awards

* Bathing Suit Categories: Small dog, Medium dog and Large dog

Admission

The admission fee for this event is \$5.00 individual and \$8.00 Family, which benefits Love-a-Stray, a non-profit all volunteer animal rescue located at 445 Avon Belden Road, Avon Lake OH 44012.

For more information, visit www.buckeyedockdogs.com or the Love-A-Stray website at www.petfinder.com/shelters/love-a-stray.html.

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