

DAYS END FARM HORSE RESCUE

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Lend a Helping Hand This Year

As we look forward to a busy year ahead, we'd like to thank our countless volunteers for devoting so much time and energy to helping things run smoothly at Days End Farm Horse Rescue over the past three decades. Volunteers are truly the lifeblood of most non-profit organizations and DEFHR is no exception.

Our volunteers provide over 55,000 hours of service each year helping to rescue and rehabilitate horses, educating the community about equine abuse and neglect, and raising funds to provide for future horses in need. We are always in need of individuals who are dedicated and dependable to lend us a helping hand. In fact, we offer a wide variety of opportunities, allowing people of all ages, abilities, and experience levels to help be a part of DEFHR's all-important volunteer base.



Volunteers are an integral part of the team at Days End Farm Horse Rescue!

Work Together

Are you looking for a volunteer project for your coworkers, riding club, scout troop, or community group? Consider a group volunteer day or a corporate service day. Whether it's helping paint a new run-in shed, pitching in with barn chores, or any other necessary task around the farm, we can find something right up your group's alley. These types of activities make a difference in the lives of our horses while also promoting team spirit and a community feel amongst your group!

Help Spread Our Mission

Or if you're looking for more of a commitment, you could join our Ambassadors Team or Community Education Leadership Team. You can share DEFHR's mission with the local community and chat one-on-one with the public about our organization and its programs. You will also get the opportunity to represent DEFHR at various events throughout the year including booths at expos, trade shows, and other community outreach programs. We're always happy to have more of these types of volunteers help spread the word about DEFHR!

Roll Up Your Sleeves

And, of course, we are so thankful to those volunteers who are devoted to helping out with the daily needs of our 70+ horses. We could not accomplish this without the help of the Barn Chore Team! Participating in the Barn Chore Team allows volunteers the opportunity to interact directly with DEFHR horses, learning about horse care first-hand, and developing horse-handling skills. Our horses love the personal attention they get, and our volunteers enjoy getting to know all of these special animals.

Won't you join us? Visit our Volunteer page on our website to learn more or email outreach@defhr.org or volunteer@defhr.org to find out what type of opportunity would be best for you!



New Job Alert: Join our Team

DEFHR has three new positions available. Check out the listings below and get in touch to learn more about each one! Which job might be the right fit for you?

- [Summer Youth Program Leader](#)
- [Development Coordinator](#)
- [Community Outreach Coordinator](#)

Register Now for Summer Camp

Registration is open for our 2020 Legacy Camp season!

We offer three different programs varying by age for youth ages 7-17. Our Legacy Programs are a great way to jumpstart your child's volunteer experience while enjoying a full day of learning, fun, and friendship at DEFHR! Last year, we were voted the Best Summer Camp in Frederick County by thousands of people!

[More Info](#)

In the News



From Starvation to Show Ring

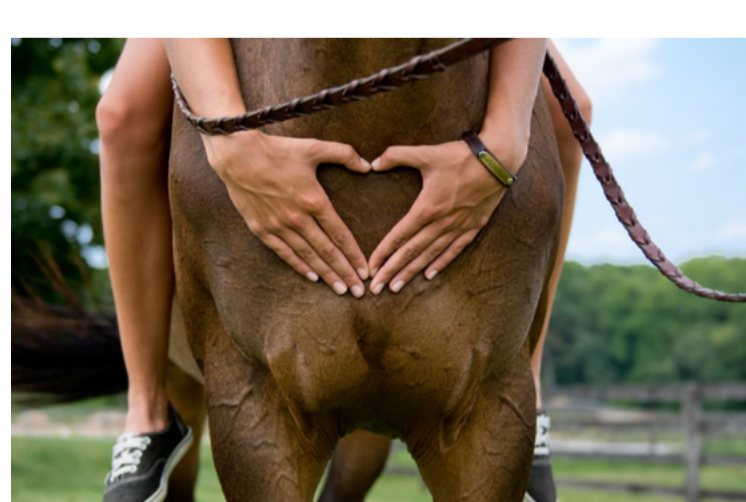
Horse Network shared the story of DEFHR alumni, Mika, who overcame the odds to become a beloved partner for Kim Ellis.

[Read Now](#)

Kathleen Howe Helps Horses Heal

Local publication, Frederick Lifestyle, highlighted DEFHR's history, including founder Kathleen Howe's first foray into horse rescuing and rehabilitation 30 years ago, and also showcased the farm's mission of outreach and education.

[Read Now](#)



Featured Horse of the Month: Lover's Lane

"Laney" is a sweet and sensitive 14-year-old, 15.1-hand Paint mare who would love to do lower-level dressage or trail riding!

Click the link below or email adopt@DEFHR.org for more information.

[Learn More About Lover's Lane](#)



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