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Providing hope, one hoofbeat at a time.

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Spring Into Action With Us!

As spring blooms around us, it's a time of renewal and hope —not just for the season, but for the horses we've already rescued this year. Thanks to your incredible support, we've welcomed several horses into our care in 2025, each one beginning their journey toward healing and a brighter future.

But with spring also comes one of the busiest rescue seasons of the year, and the need is urgent. Every day, more horses in desperate situations need our help—but we can't answer the call without you. Resources for medical treatments, feed, and safe shelter are stretched thin, and every donation makes an immediate impact.

Donate now and be a part of their second chance. Thank you for standing with us and making a difference this spring—and throughout the year ahead.

-Ashley Ford

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Story of Hope

LaJolla's journey began at just three days old. Rescued with his herd of 25, he stayed close to his mother, Laguna, as they faced uncertainty, hunger, and fear. Thankfully, LaJolla never saw too many days without hope. While his early days were touch-and-go, his mother's care and resilience helped him thrive, becoming one of Horse Haven's many success stories. We're thrilled to share that LaJolla has recently been adopted into a loving home, where he's been given a new name, "Dutton." Even more heartwarming, his new family includes his half-brother, Rip! We couldn't be happier for Dutton and his new chapter filled with love, companionship, and security.

Building a Stable Future

Exciting progress is happening with our barn construction! Each step brings us closer to a new and improved space for the horses and programs at Horse Haven of Tennessee. We can't wait to share more updates with you soon! To stay informed and find ways to get involved, visit <u>www.horsehaventn.org</u>. Together, we're building a brighter future for the equines in our care!



Save the Date! Dancing for the Horses

Get ready for an unforgettable night at Horse Haven of Tennessee's Dancing for the Horses on May 9, 2025! This year's event will feature an all-star lineup of celebrity dancers paired with talented professionals from Go Dance, bringing energy and excitement to the dance floor.

Tickets are on sale now at horsehaventn.org don't miss your chance to support our mission while enjoying an evening of entertainment and friendly competition. Mark your calendars and secure your spot today!





Cristina Hendricks - Volunteer

Cristina's diverse background spans design, architecture, construction, weightlifting, and a newfound connection with horses. A former figure skater, she shared her passion by teaching inner-city kids while attending the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City. She now enjoys life with her husband, Seth, while embracing new opportunities to make an impact.

As a Horse Haven volunteer, Cristina is dedicated to creating a safe and nurturing space for horses in need. From assisting with barn tasks to building trust with the animals, she finds joy and purpose in witnessing their transformation and helping restore their dignity.

Dr. Kady Powell, DVM - Board of Directors



Dr. Kady Powell has dedicated her life to horses. Growing up in the panhandle of Florida, she knew from an early age that she wanted to be an equine veterinarian. In 2019, she graduated from Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine and completed an equine internship in upstate New York. Her passion is not only helping horses but owners as well. Dr. Kady was practicing in Western North Carolina for the last four years and served on the board of directors for Hope for Horses, a non-profit horse rescue. From there, she and her husband, Wesley, moved to Tennessee to take a job at The University of Tennessee vet school. Dr. Kady and her husband have a farm in Maryville and love it there. She continues to want to help her community and is excited to be joining Horse Haven.

In Honor Of:

Peggy Cate Harrell

By: Zach Perry

Cheryl Malagon's Birthday By: David Adelman

Camber McDaniel By: Brenda McDaniel

Russell Kear By: Carole Folta

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Loxley Scott of Kingston, **TN** By: Virginia King

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Mark Gately

Jerri Cable's Volunteer Time Chan McCullough "**Red**" By: Jerri Boskat

The boarders at Massar Stables By: Massar Stables

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Ways to Support

There are so many ways you can help make a difference in the lives of the horses we rescue and care for!

- **Donate:** Every dollar helps provide food, shelter, and medical care for our horses. Make a one-time or recurring donation at horsehaventn.org.
- Volunteer: Join our team and lend a hand with horse care, events, or administrative support.
- Adopt: Give a deserving horse a forever home!
- **Planned Giving:** Leave a lasting legacy by including Horse Haven of Tennessee in your estate plans.

No matter how you choose to give, your support helps us continue our mission to rescue, rehabilitate, and rehome Tennessee's horses in need. Thank you for being part of our journey!

