



2018

## **SAFETY • PROFESSIONALISM • COMPASSION • RESPECT • FUN!**

## **OUR MISSION:**

**Horse and Buddy** enriches the lives of children and adults with special needs through equine assisted therapies and activities in a safe and caring environment.



## **OUR RESULTS:**

Riders time in program:

16%

33%

51%

Less than 1 year

than 1-3 years

4+ years

86%

Physical Improvements/ Core Strength

82%

increase in rider's overall self-confidence

Improvements based on parent/caregiver survey responses.

# **OUR RIDERS:**

140 RIDERS SERVED

**3625**RIDES GIVEN



WE SERVE KIDS AS YOUNG AS

AND ADULTS UP TO

86

**YEARS YOUNG!** 

Would you recommend the program to others?

100%

## **OUR VOLUNTEERS:**

5700 VOLUNTEER HOURS

150-200

# OF VOLUNTEERS

How long have you been a volunteer at Horse and Buddy?

36%

40%

21%

3%

Less than 1 year

1-3 years

4-9 years

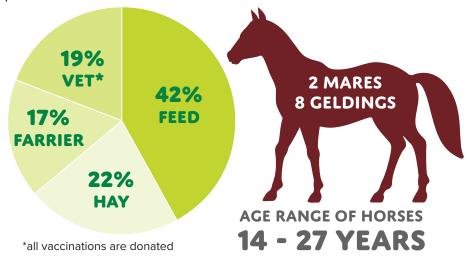
10+ years

Would you recommend the program to others?

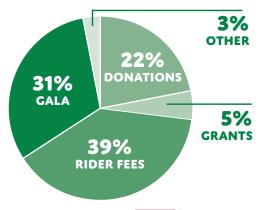
100%

## **OUR HORSES:**

Our "equine staff" were donated by generous horse owners who wanted to give back to the community and also wanted to be sure their horses were safe and had the quality care **Horse and Buddy** provides. Here is a breakdown of our equine fees and horse attributes.



## OUR FUNDING SOURCES FOR BARN AND PROGRAM OPERATIONS:



## **OUR LEADERSHIP:**

Our Board of Directors is made up of local business leaders from the wireless services industry, insurance industry and the small business community. Our staff represents all aspects of the community we serve. Each has a very strong personal connection to the Horse and Buddy cause – including some whose children are riders!

**5** FULL-TIME

12 PART-TIME **7**BOARD
MEMBERS

AUTISM
CEREBRAL PALSY
DEVELOPMENTAL
DELAY

OTHER PHYSICAL & COGNITIVE DISABILITIES



"The first time my son smiled was on the back of a horse."

—Parent

"Everything about Horse and Buddy is an inspiration. I often think I get more than I give."

-Volunteer

# **OUR NEXT GOAL:**

In 2020 we will launch the **\$1,000,000 "Possibilities:** *Unlimited!*" capital campaign to purchase our current property.



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