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HORSEPOWER Newsletter

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Important Forms

New and Returning Client Forms

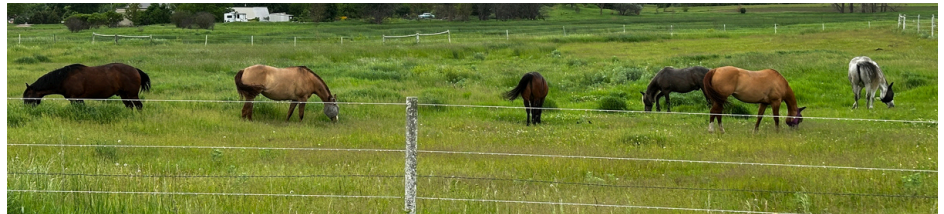
Under Resources Tab:

<https://horsepowersf.com/resources>

Volunteer Forms

Under Get Involved Tab:

<https://horsepowersf.com/get-involved>



Blue Jeans & Bling

Our Blue Jeans & Bling fundraising event took place on May 23rd at the Minnehaha Country Club, where we successfully raised \$19,000 towards our matching gift. Our generous donor has agreed to keep the match open until we reach our \$25,000 goal. **There is still time to contribute to our match, please refer to the QR code on page three.**



It was a pleasure meeting and chatting with our supporters; your presence is invaluable to us. This year, **we raised \$62,382 at our event this year**, which will be allocated to our scholarship fund to ensure that no rider is turned away due to financial constraints. The funds will also be used for horse care, new equipment for our riders, volunteer initiatives, and other financial requirements at the barn.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all who donated, sponsored, or attended our event in person to show their support. **THANK YOU!!**



Wish List

- **NEEDED!**
 - Bottled water for our volunteers
- For the office
 - Epson 822 xl printer ink
- Miscellaneous
 - Dry Cat Food

We have a new wish list portal!!! You can find it at:
<https://www.myregistry.com/giftlist/horsepowersfwishlist>

Or scan the QR code below



DONATIONS

You can donate on our website
 (<https://horsepowersf.com/donate>) by clicking the donate button in the upper right hand corner.

All physical donations can be dropped off at the farm M-Thurs. 9 -5 or mailed to us.

Thank You!

Blue Jeans & Bling 2024 Sponsors

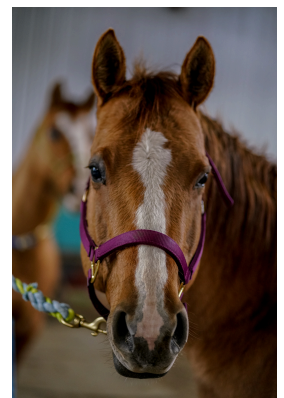
Thank you to our 2024 Blue Jeans & Bling Sponsors!

- **Grand Prix Sponsors**
 - Sanford Health Plan
 - G&H Distributing
 - Shaykett Appraisal Company, Inc
 - Natural Grocers
 - First Premier Bank
- **Polo Classic Sponsors**
 - Edward Jones
 - Culver's
 - Julie Rentschler/Hegg Realty
 - RER
 - Flier Properties
 - Keith Thompson - Step by Step - Just a little more
 - Tracy Wilbeck - Acendas Travel
- **Showmanship Sponsors**
 - Ophthalmology LTD
 - OsteoStrong
 - Mitchell Counseling & Consulting
- **In Kind Sponsors**
 - Culver's - Custard for dessert
 - Jayne Solberg - Minnehaha Country Club
 - Goebel Printing - Ticket Printing
 - Dakota Digital - Banner Printing

Our 4 - Legged Friends

It takes a very special horse to be a therapy horse.

Dunny, an 18-year-old mare, was generously donated to HorsePower in 2021. Known as our boss mare, Dunny takes charge to ensure all her equine companions are well-behaved. To her human friends, she is a big cuddler and enjoys belly scratches. Dunny remains unfazed by anything and is our top choice for all therapeutic riding lessons.



Important Dates

- Summer session is June 10th - August 9th
 - We will be closed July 4th
 - We will not have lessons July 15th - 19th
- Registration Deadline for Fall 2024 is July 4th 2024

2024 Schedule

- New Year
 - January 22 - March 8
- Spring
 - March 25 - May 17
- Summer
 - June 10 - August 9
- Fall
 - August 26 - Oct. 18
- Winter
 - November 4- Dec. 20

Match Donation

THERE'S STILL TIME TO GIVE!

- Scan QR code below to donate
- Visit: <https://givebutter.com/2024MatchGift>
- For other ways to donate contact: coordinator@horsepowersf.com



Client Spotlight

In this section we will put focus on some of our wonderful clients and their stories. We are in awe everyday by the strides our clients make.



Nathan has been a participant at HorsePower for the past two years, having been referred by LifeScope. Throughout his time at the facility, Nathan has developed a deep affection for all the horses he has ridden, making it challenging for him to select a favorite. Particularly fond of the obstacle course, Nathan finds solace and enjoyment in horseback riding, describing it as a calming and enjoyable experience. One of Nathan's most cherished memories involves his participation in the Special Olympics, where he achieved a gold medal. Encouraging others to join HorsePower, Nathan believes that many individuals would appreciate the joys of horseback riding. Nathan's parents express gratitude for the positive impact the program has had on their son, noting his increased confidence, empathy, and pride in his accomplishments at the Special Olympics.

Note from the staff



We are incredibly grateful to everyone who supported us at our Blue Jeans & Bling fundraiser. This event would not have been possible without the generous contributions from our sponsors and supporters. A special thank you goes out to our dedicated Event Committee, who worked tirelessly for months to organize a fantastic event. As we start up our busiest session, we are filled with excitement for what's to come

Craig, Kim, Sierra, Lacy & Brody

