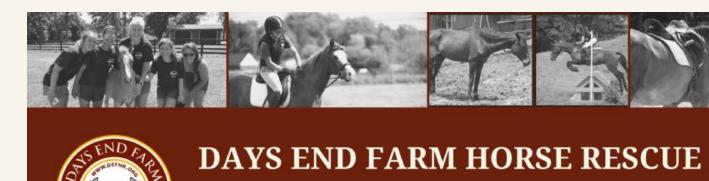
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Upcoming Events

August 3 - Horse Care Education Series: Building a **Bond Through Groundwork**

August 21-22 - Two-Day Equine Cruelty Investigator Series

September 11 -2018-2019 Homeschool Educational Program Begins Learn more here!

September 27 - 6-11 p.m. -Kick Off, Kick Back Celebration

A fun night on DEFHR's front lawn to kick off our Fall Festival celebrations. Free for all to attend! Come enjoy great food, drinks, and a band! It's fun for the whole family! <u>Details here!</u>

September 28 -11 a.m.- 4 p.m. -Fall Festival

There is fun to be had for all ages with our Hops for Horses Beer Garden, DEFHR alumni horses returning, arena demonstrations, a contest with the horses in costume, pony rides for the kids, a band on the front lawn for all to enjoy, a petting zoo, face painting, and lots of great local vendors! Admission is \$2 for adults, \$1 for children under 18, and children under 5 are free.

Details here!

Celebrating 30 Years and More Than 2,300 Horses Saved!

Thirty years ago, Kathleen Howe first noticed Toby, the neglected buckskin gelding that would ultimately change her life and lead to the saving of more than 2,300 neglected and abused horses.

Toby was the first horse taken in by what is today Days End Farm Horse Rescue (DEFHR), our internationally known non-profit humane organization, based in Woodbine, MD, which is now celebrating three decades of devotion to the care of horses!

on DEFHR's work – both past and present – here in our new, 30th anniversary e-newsletters!

In honor of our 30th anniversary, we're shining a spotlight





Ensuring the quality care and treatment of horses is the core of our mission, and ever since Kathleen first founded

the rescue, we've approached that mission with a threeprong process—intervention, education, and outreach. We hope that through this e-newsletter, we're able to offer

education not only on what DEFHR does, but also on

issues of horse care, equine abuse and neglect, and more! Learn More About Days End Farm Horse Rescue

A SPOTLIGHT ON: EDUCATION



to provide the community outreach and education necessary to prevent further abuse and neglect. We also believe that horses can play a valuable role in educating children, which is why we offer a number of youth programs that we're shining the spotlight on this month! **HOMESCHOOL EDUCATION SERIES** LEGACY PROGRAMS

It's important to us to not only rescue and rehabilitate suffering horses, but also



designed exclusively for homeschool

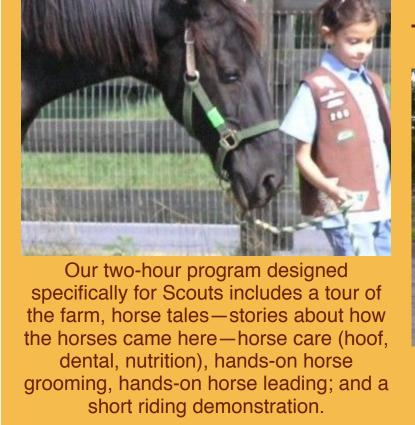
students and allows participants the

opportunity to learn about equines by working hands-on with our horses. Topics are different each month, but in each session, students participate in classroom instruction followed by handson activity to reinforce the lesson, with possible topics including grooming, leading, hoof care, the digestive system, dentistry, psychology, and more! Our next session starts September 11, and spaces are limited, so find out more

Learn More

today!

SCOUT DAYS



for each of the following badges: Girl Scouts: Junior Animal Habitats Badge, Senior Voice for Animals Badge, Make Your Own Badge (any level)

Participants will earn a Days End Farm Horse Rescue Badge. Additionally, this

program meets some of the requirements

Citizenship in the Community Badge Learn More

Boy Scouts: Horsemanship Badge,

Animal Science Badge,

Featured Horse of the Month:



volunteer experience at DEFHR! Participants spend five to six hours each day learning about a variety of topics

relating to horse care and handling,

delivered through classroom instruction and reinforced through hands-on learning activities. Participants will also be given the opportunity to participate in one riding activity during each session. Our Legacy Varsity program is for volunteers ages 14-17 who have a love for equines and want to continue to

advance their equine knowledge through volunteer service that includes hands-on experiences and professional

supervision. Volunteers in this program have volunteered for more than 80 hours at DEFHR previously either through our standard volunteer program or Youth Legacy program. Learn More

FIELD TRIPS



Students are divided into groups to move through a series of learning activities around the facility, with topics covered including: a facility tour, minimum standards of care for horses, grooming a horse, leading a horse, and a riding

demonstration. Learn More View All Educational Programs

Here!

Olly Olly Oxen Free

Dressage, jumpers, eventing - he could do it

"Olly" is a 14.2 hand, flashy large pony ready to hit any show ring!

all! Olly recently went out on his first cross-country schooling day where he went over ditches, through water crossings, and up and down bank jumps. Olly enjoys trailering out for trail rides and hopping over logs. Olly needs a

confident, strong intermediate rider to continue his training and confidence building. He has three excellent gaits with a nice, forward trot. Olly also has experience with basic obstacle work such as going over tarps and bridges. Olly cannot wait to find his next partner!



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Volunteer

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