

Brook Hill Farm Horse Donation Packet



Brook Hill Farm, a non-profit horse rescue organization, exists to provide rehabilitation focused services and safe haven for unwanted horses, as well as offers a therapeutic riding program for personal growth and equine education for the community

Requirements to Enter Brook Hill Retirement Center

- Horses remain the property of Brook Hill Farm. They cannot be bought, sold or traded.
- Each horse is initially evaluated by a vet, farrier, trainer and staff to determine its future.
- Horses may be placed in a rehabilitation program and remain on the property. Once the horse has completed his rehabilitation it is re-evaluated by the vet, trainer, farrier and staff and placed accordingly.
- Horses may be used in the United Neigh program. These horses remain on property and are used by the members in activities, such as trail riding, 4-H, pony club or competitions.
- Many horses are free leased out to adoptive homes. These horses are placed according to their diagnosis and are checked upon annually.
- Horses may become temporary babysitters or companions to other horses off property.
- Horses are periodically reevaluated and based on the results they either remain in their current job or can be reassigned to a new job appropriate to their abilities.
- Horses are retired here on the farm.

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- The horse must be safe to work with on the ground. If applicable, an evaluation of the horse's temperament is performed by a Brook Hill Farm representative to determine suitability.
- Each horse at Brook Hill farm is evaluated individually. If applicable an assessment of the horse's disposition under saddle may be requested.
- Current negative Coggins.
- Up to date worming and shot records signed off by vet. (Please send copies of all medical records)
- Removal of shoes unless required for medical purposes.
- If horse has registration papers, they must be turned over to Brookhill Farm.
- Transportation to the farm must be provided by the horse owner.
- If the owner is taking a tax deduction of \$5,000 or more IRS form 8283 provided by the donor must be completed and filed with the IRS. Included should be attached an appraisal summary. This is made on Schedule B IRS Form 8283, and needs to be signed and dated by the charity, signed and dated by the qualified appraiser, and contain information specified in Schedule B relating to the donor, the horse, the donee, and the appraiser. The burden of proof of the horse's value lies with the original owner.
- References may be required.
- Approval by board 14 days following receipt of required information.
Required shots for horses being donated to BHRC:
Rhino Flu, Tetanus, Eastern Western Encephalitis, Coggins, West Nile, Rabies, Strangles, Potomac Horse Fever
- Stallions need to be gelded before coming to Brook Hill Farm.

Brook Hill Retirement Center for Horses, Inc, a 501(c)3 organization relies entirely on donations to provide care for the rescued horses on property in addition to providing education services to underprivileged youth. Please consider making a tax deductible donation of 10% of the horse's market/appraisal value to the farm so we can continue aiding the horses and youth that come through the program.

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Mission

Brook Hill Farm, a non-profit horse rescue organization, exists to provide rehabilitation focused services and safe haven for unwanted horses, while maintaining a unique opportunity for personal growth and equine education for area youth and adults.

Donation Application

Date Submitted: _____

Horse Owners Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State and Zip: _____

Resident: City County (Check one) County of Residence: _____

Phone Number: (H) _____ (C) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Horse Vital Statistics: (please include a picture of the horse)

1) Name: _____ Barn Name: _____

2) Breed: _____

3) Sex: _____

4) Height: _____

5) Age: _____

6) Color: _____

7) Markings: _____

8) Market or Appraisal Value at time of donation _____ (horses over \$5000. will require an appraisal by a person qualified and current with the American Society of Equine Appraisers)

9) Registration Number _____ Registered with _____

10) Tattoo number _____

11) Current location of horse? City/County: _____ State: _____

HEALTH RECORD AND EQUINE HISTORY

Current Veterinarian: _____ Phone No _____

Current Blacksmith/Farrier : _____ Phone No _____

List Current Feed - type, amount, and schedule (include hay):

List all medications or supplements the horse is receiving:

How is the horse presently kept? (I.E. turnout on lush grass, turnout no grass, in stall, turn out alone, turnout in herd, turn out with same sex): _____

Fill in the last date that each was completed:

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Vaccinations:

Strangles _____

Rabies _____

West Nile Virus _____

Eastern Western Encephalitis _____

(Botulism _____)

Coggins test (EIA) _____

Rhino-Flu _____

Tetanus _____

Potomac Horse Fever _____

Influenza _____

Last Vet examination _____

Wormed _____ Type of wormer used _____

Describe Worming schedule? _____

Last Dental exam _____ Please check: Teeth floated _____ Wolf teeth pulled _____

Last Farrier visit: _____ Please check: Trim _____ Shoes: Full Set _____ Front Shoes _____

Type of shoes worn _____

Describe any special shoeing or trimming requirements?

Describe reason for donation:

List and describe in detail any behavioral, mental, emotional, training or physical quirks that the horse has:
