



**Therapeutic Horsemanship:
Changing the Lives of
New Yorkers with Disabilities**

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Dear Friend:

Spring is almost here! GallopNYC is holding our beloved Barn Dance, our largest annual fundraiser supporting therapeutic riding, on May 14th at The Foundry in Long Island City, New York. We are in the process of acquiring items for our auction, and I am writing to request your assistance in making the auction a successful component of the 2019 Barn Dance.

GallopNYC's therapeutic horsemanship (horseback riding, groundwork, and horse care) creates harmonious bonds between horses and children and adults with disabilities in NYC. Therapeutic horseback riding provides measurable benefits for people with developmental, emotional, social, and physical challenges through weekly sessions with PATH International certified instructors. (PATH Intl. is the credentialing organization for accrediting centers and certifying instructors and equine specialists.) Through this we achieve our mission, which is "to inspire riders to walk, talk, and learn, helping each one to live life as fully, productively, and independently as possible."

Our reach is expansive and impactful:

- GallopNYC serves over 550 riders a week across our four NYC locations
- Our riders represent all five boroughs of NYC
- We have a special commitment to working with those from low- and middle-income families, who otherwise might not have the opportunity to participate in such programming
- The majority of our riders receive tuition scholarships

By donating an item for auction, you will be helping individuals with disabilities experience the many therapeutic benefits of partnering with horses. You will benefit from exposure of your name/your company's name to our full email list, event guests, on our social media, and if appropriate, the item(s) will be on display at the event. A donation form for the auction item(s) is attached. Simply fill it out and return - we will handle the rest!

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of our request for an auction item to help provide therapeutic horsemanship to individuals with disabilities in New York City.

Warmly,

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GallopNYC Barn Dance Auction

DONOR INFORMATION		
Contact	Name	
Mailing Address	Company Name	
Street		
City/State		Zip
Phone		Email
DONATION INFORMATION		
Detailed Description of Donation		
Estimated Fair Market Value:		
Number of Guests:		
Blackout Dates:		
Restrictions:		
DONATION DETAILS		
Delivery	Certificates	
<input type="checkbox"/> I will deliver	<input type="checkbox"/> I will provide gift certificate	
<input type="checkbox"/> Please contact me to arrange pickup	<input type="checkbox"/> Please create gift certificate	

**Please return this form by April 15, 2019 to:
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On behalf of all of us at GallopNYC, thank you!