

2024 IMPACT REPORT

SANCTUARY HORSES

WORKING TOGETHER, HEALING TOGETHER

OUR PURPOSE

1. Rescue horses from situations that are abusive, endangering, or neglectful.
2. Provide a home for horses seeking a new purpose.
3. Rescue horses in danger.
4. Place rescued horses into forever homes if possible.
5. Educate and promote the importance of caring for horses.
6. Educate the public on how to help prevent animal cruelty.
7. Once rescued, we will work to restore the health of the horse.
8. Prepare rescued horses to assist with therapy services within our community.
 - a. Educate the public on equine therapy benefits. These benefits can be helpful for a variety of different mental health conditions. Because horses demonstrate the ability to make personal connections with individuals, they are valuable in individual, family, or group therapy.



FUN FACTS

- WE HAVE 13 HORSES WITH ALL VERY DIFFERENT PERSONALITIES
 - 6 QUARTERHORSES
 - 2 MUSTANGS
 - 1 APPALOOSA
 - 1 PERCHERON
 - 1 MULE
 - 1 ARABIAN
 - 1 THOROUGHBRED
- 61 DONORS IN 2024, UP FROM 38 IN 2023
- WE FED OVER 1,300 BALES OF HAY IN 2024

2024 HIGHLIGHTS



A YEAR OF COMPASSION AND PROGRESS

As we look back on the past year, Sanctuary Horses is excited to celebrate the remarkable milestones and achievements that have shaped our mission to provide a safe and loving home for equines in need. In our second full year of operations, the strides we've made are a true reflection of the unwavering dedication of our team, the hard work of our volunteers, and the generosity of supporters like you.

GRANT SUCCESS

We are excited to announce that Sanctuary Horses has been awarded 2 grants throughout the year. These grants have empowered us to expand our capabilities, enhance our facilities, and broaden the scope of our rescue and rehabilitation efforts. We extend our deepest gratitude to the grantors who recognize the importance of our mission.



WELCOMING NEW EQUINE RESIDENTS

This year, we were privileged to welcome three new additions to our Sanctuary Horses family. Juniper, a gentle mustang with a heart of gold. Luna, who loves to be as close to her human friends as possible, and Tilly, our one and only Arabian horse with a “catch me if you can” attitude. All three horses are a joy to be around and get along well with the existing herd.

INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

Thanks to the incredible generosity of our donors, we were able to make significant improvements to the ranch this year. New fencing, which was desperately needed, has been constructed, ensuring the safety and well-being of our equine residents. Additionally, we were gifted a tractor, which has become an invaluable tool for maintaining the Winter Homes for the horses and keeping the arena in top condition. These advancements have greatly enhanced our ability to care for the horses and create a functional and welcoming space for all.



2024 DONORS



Our ability to make a positive impact on the lives of equines is made possible through the generous support of a diverse group of donors. We are incredibly grateful for the financial backing we receive from various sources, including grants from foundations that share our commitment to animal welfare. The contributions from individual donors form the backbone of our funding, reflecting the deep compassion of those who believe in our mission. Additionally, the support of local businesses has played a pivotal role in our growth, demonstrating a shared responsibility for the well-being of our four-legged friends. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all our donors who make our work possible. If you know individuals, businesses, or organizations passionate about supporting the welfare of horses and would like to connect them with our cause, we would greatly appreciate your help in expanding our network of caring supporters. Together, we can continue to provide a sanctuary for horses in need.

Thank you to our Business Sponsors this past year: Morehouse USA, The Cowboy Shop, Bison's Bounty, Heart and Soul Restaurant, Lakeside Lodge, Jae's Place, Rim Realty Inc., Melson Realty Inc., Bank of Jackson Hole, and Rim Station

Thank you to our Foundation Donors: Dave Durbano Family Foundation, Reclaiming Hope, and the Hughes Charitable Foundation.

A huge thank you to the 61 individual donors throughout 2024. Each gift, no matter the size, has made a meaningful impact on the lives of our rescue horses and the people they touch. Your generosity has helped us provide care, shelter, and love to our herd while ensuring the sanctuary continues to be a place of healing and hope. We couldn't do this without you—thank you for believing in our mission and supporting Sanctuary Horses.

And a Heartfelt Thank You to Jason and Melinda Moyes. Sanctuary Horses would not exist without the unwavering generosity and vision of Jason and Melinda Moyes. Their early and continued support has been instrumental in creating a safe haven for rescued horses and facilitating meaningful connections through equine therapy.

Beyond their contributions to Sanctuary Horses, Jason and Melinda are making an extraordinary impact with The Sanctuary, their visionary trauma center for girls under 18. This center, currently under development, reflects their deep commitment to healing and empowerment, creating opportunities for transformation, healing and hope. All of your dedication, compassion, and belief in our mission inspire us every day. From everyone at Sanctuary Horses, and on behalf of the horses and individuals whose lives have been touched by your generosity, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

LOOKING AHEAD

As we celebrate this year's accomplishments, we remain deeply committed to the welfare of every horse in our care. This year, we have dedicated significant effort toward becoming an accredited sanctuary – a milestone that will not only affirm our high standards of care but also open doors to additional grants and funding opportunities. Accreditation will strengthen our ability to sustain and grow our mission for years to come.

Looking ahead, we aim to continue expanding our outreach efforts, forging stronger partnerships within the community, and making an even greater impact on the lives of equines in need.

These goals are only achievable because of the unwavering support of our donors, volunteers, and advocates. Your belief in our mission drives our dedication and inspires us to do more for horses in crisis.

Thank you for being an essential part of the Sanctuary Horses journey. Together, we are creating a brighter, safer future for equines who need it most.



Ways You Can SUPPORT

- **Make a Donation:** Your financial support is instrumental in providing care, shelter, and rehabilitation for our equine residents. Contributions, large or small, make a meaningful difference in the lives of the horses we rescue.
- **Volunteer Your Time:** To help with one of the many projects. Your hands-on involvement is invaluable in creating a nurturing environment for our equine companions.
- **Spread the Word:** Raise awareness about Sanctuary Horses and our mission within your community. Share our stories on social media, participate in awareness campaigns, and encourage others to join our cause. The more people who know about us, the greater impact we can have.
- **Connect Us with Potential Supporters:** If you know individuals, businesses, or organizations that share a passion for animal welfare, consider introducing them to Sanctuary Horses. Your network can help us expand our support base and reach more people who are eager to make a positive difference in the lives of horses in need.

Your support, in any of these ways, contributes to the well-being and sustainability of Sanctuary Horses, and we appreciate every effort made to ensure a brighter future for our equine friends.

STRENGTHENING LEADERSHIP THROUGH OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Building on the foundation laid last year, our Board of Directors has continued to play a pivotal role in our growth and success. This dedicated group of individuals, united by their diverse expertise and shared commitment to equine welfare, has been instrumental in advancing our mission. Their strategic guidance and steadfast support have helped us navigate challenges, seize opportunities, and ensure the sustainability of Sanctuary Horses for years to come.



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