

Mane Stream eCurrent

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310 Pounds Donated So Far!

Take one last look in your closest and then bring the shoes you just aren't wearing anymore to Mane Stream.

If you have been collecting shoes the past few weeks, please bring them to Mane Stream BETWEEN the 10TH & 14th so that we can sort, box and postmark everything before the deadline.

Thanks for keeping the Mane Stream Herd in shoes all summer long!

Mane Stream will receive \$1.00 per pound for all SNEAKERS collected. All other styles of shoes donated at this time will bring in the usual \$.50 per pound.

ADDITIONAL HELP IS ALSO NEEDED... Help sort & box on 3/11, 3/13, 3/14 so we can get everything out the doors by the 15th.

Contact Emily Seguine at volunteer@manestreamnj.org

It's more than just the horses & clients.
Your skills are needed in many ways!



Adaptive Horsemanship & Equine Assisted Therapies

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Start the Bidding!



Awesome BBQ
Silent Auction items
Southwest Tickets,
Golf Packages,
Toulouse Saddle,
and MORE!!

Each week we will be adding to the <u>Boot</u>
<u>Scootin' BBO webpage</u>
where you can preview and bid on auction items, purchase sponsorship packages, event tickets, and make donations all in one place.

Needed now:

Help sort & box shoes starting 3/10. They all must be postmarked by 3/15. **Barn only volunteers**. We know some of you REALLY just want to spend time working with the horses!

Creative & Administrative:

We need your artistic eye and keen photography & graphics skills. We also need detailed oriented people to assist with data entry and general office tasks.

Community Outreach:

Spread the word...put up flyers, help at local fairs and the Mane Stream Open Houses.



Work Group Volunteers: We need your help ensuring corporate groups have a positive experience and we hope you'll share your stories about volunteering at Mane Stream. Spring days already booked. We need YOU!

<u>Volunteer Orientation & Training Committee:</u> Help make our soon to be volunteers feel well trained and ready for anything!

Any time spent volunteering at Mane Stream is supporting our mission! We look forward to hearing how you would like to donate your time to Mane Stream!

Contact Emily Seguine at volunteer@manestreamnj.org

A Presentation for Everyone The Importance of PLAY



Come learn from Alison Palko,

Occupational Therapist Assistant Intern as she gives a presentation on the "Importance of PLAY" and how it is used as a tool in Occupational, Speech and Physical Therapies.

You'll learn how...

...activities are chosen for Mane Stream Clients.

...play enhances a child's health, growth and development through movement and exploration.

...YOU can help them achieve their

goals!

Come next Thursday, March 16th 5:30-6:30pm Let us know if you plan to attend.

Contact Gina at gina@manestreamnj.org

New & gently used name brand... Bridles, Saddles, Blankets and More!

Looking for some riding boots, britches, or a saddle, perhaps? We just might have what you need!

Our tack sale on April 8th from 8am to 6pm will include NEW and used items, such as tack, riding apparel, blankets, stable equipment, and much

START BIDDING NOW

even if you won't be able to make it the night of the event.

Helmet Deal @ Dover 1 WEEK ONLY!



Time to Update Your Helmet?

Every 5 years your helmet should be replaced and if you've hit your head while wearing your helmet you need to replace it right away!

For every 2 helmets that are purchased starting Friday Dover will donate 1 to Mane Stream.

Mane Stream needs to replace several every year. This year we need even more due to an increase in clients.

Dover has great prices on a wide variety of helmets for you and for Mane Stream!

Promotion Starts Friday, March 10th. (1 WEEK ONLY)



Volunteer Birthdays



more.

We have brand name items, such as Ariat, Dover, Baker, Tailored Sportsman and Essex, to name a few.

All proceeds from the sale will benefit Mane Stream's equine assisted programs and horses.

Did you know that Mane Stream accepts horse-related donated items year-round? Help make the Spring Tack a success!

HELP SPREAD THE NEWS: Share the <u>Spring Tack Sale Flyer</u> (print and post at your barn, school, church, gym, etc.)

Contact Holland at Holland@manestreamnj.org

Grab an internship while you can... Summer Day Camp Needs YOU!

Interviews Start Next Week
Camp Assistants (14-18yrs.) & Summer Interns (19+)

Mane Stream loves to work with motivated and enthusiastic teens and young adults!



Summer Camp Opportunities

Applicants should be flexible, self-motivated, mature, interested in horses and in working with our diverse group of campers. CAs & CIs will spend their time working directly with our campers helping to ensure that our camp program is successful. This group of leaders will collaborate with camp staff to develop activities for campers and will help organize and manage other program volunteers.

Other Internships Available

Choose from a variety of other areas such as Therapy Services, Adaptive Riding, Farm & Equine Management, Office (Administrative, Marketing, Development),

and Volunteer Management.

An internship at Mane Stream provides a chance to personally develop and explore career possibilities. Those interns who are able to see a challenge or opportunity and jump in with a solution without being asked will be a huge asset to Mane Stream.

Find Out More

See what all the fun is about! SPRING OPEN HOUSE

We invite the community to the **Open House on Sunday, April 9th from 10AM - 3PM**, to learn about our extensive programs and services, including summer day camp, equine assisted therapies, and

adaptive riding.

If you know someone who might benefit from one of the many programs that Mane Stream offers, be sure to let them know about the Mane Stream Open House and encourage them to swing on by!



Happy Belated Birthday!

Julia Greifeld 3/1 Jacqueline De Raismes 3/2 Nancy Cunningham 3/7 Jaclyn Russo 3/7 Kathy Kamine 3/8

Happy Birthday!

Alexandra Lilly 3/10 Giselle Wong 3/11 Jenna Lancellotti 3/11 Nikki Marks 3/17 Kayla Morriello 3/18 Lynn Ruck 3/23 Nelson Morales 3/25 Colleen Melilli 3/26 Robert O'Brien 3/29

Make sure to say Happy Birthday when you see someone.

Volunteer Corner

Have YOU self scheduled for sub spots yet?

Check weekly to see what is available.



Click here to log in.

Donate Your Car





Children of all ages and abilities will have the opportunity to participate in a sampling of activities and crafts planned for our 2017 Summer Day Camp, while parents can learn more about the camp schedule, which offers 8 week-long sessions to fit every schedule.

No prior horse experience is necessary. All attendees who register for camp at the Open House will receive a \$25 discount.

DID YOU KNOW VETERAN'S KIDS COME FOR FREE?
The week of July 31-August 4 is FREE to all children of veterans.

Find Out More

SHARE THIS NEWSLETTER

Help us find participants who could benefit from ALL the Mane Stream programs by sharing with your friends. Thank you!

Wondering what to do with your used car or truck?

Donating your old vehicle to Mane Stream is convenient, easy, and may qualify you for a tax deduction.

And best of all, your donation of a used car or truck will make a big difference in supporting Mane Stream.

Why not donate your vehicle today?

All you need to do is to complete the simple online form by clicking the button below.

The organization that handles it, Vehicles for Charity, will take care of the rest.

They will pick up your vehicle, arrange to have your donation towed, and provide you with a tax-deductible receipt, all at no charge to you!





Sign Up for Summer Camp NOW!

Fun for ALL Abilities

8 Week-Long Sessions Starting 6/19 & Ending 8/18

Mane Stream's summer day camp is known for organized activities that promote independence, self-confidence, team building and socialization while allowing each camper to explore and discover new skills. We also understand that working with and riding horses can help campers to find success with a challenging and rewarding activity in a safe, fun, and affirming atmosphere. Sign Up Today

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OFFERING 2 EXCITING WEEKS!!

"Horses, Horses and More Horses" (JULY 17-21 & 24-28)

A camp for the horse crazy kid that just can't get enough of horses in his/her life! This camp is geared towards the more experienced horse enthusiast with independent riding skills who is interested in learning and advancing their riding and horsemanship skills.



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