

DAYS END FARM HORSE RESCUE

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An Update on the 19 Horses From St. Mary's County

It will be one year this coming January that we took in 19 horses from St. Mary's County, Maryland. These horses were declining rapidly and in desperate need of help.

Law enforcement called us for assistance and because of you, we were able to answer that call. We took in these horses and promised to end their suffering and give them a new beginning.

Almost a year later, their day in court is almost upon us. Our hope is that their voice is finally heard and they will soon be moving into loving forever homes. As we wait for justice, we wanted you to see for yourselves the impact you helped make possible.

To see how your donations made a difference, click the image below to watch a short video documenting the transformation of these horses. Your support makes these second chances possible, and for that, the horses cannot thank you enough.



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Sponsor a Horse for the Holidays



If you're able, please consider helping us accomplish our goal of having all 70 horses in our care sponsored for the holidays. We are so thankful for everyone's support so far, and the horses are thrilled to be receiving sponsors of their very own. We still have horses in need of sponsorship, including Latte, pictured above. Holiday sponsors will receive an exclusive DEFHR print by [Kelcey Christine Photography](#) and a personal letter from our equine ambassador Vinni the Mini.

To sponsor a horse, click the button below and write the horse's name in the "Note" section during checkout. Not sure who to sponsor? That's okay! We will make sure your sponsorship goes toward a horse in need this holiday season.

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Thank You to Our Fall 2021 Interns, Abby and Emma

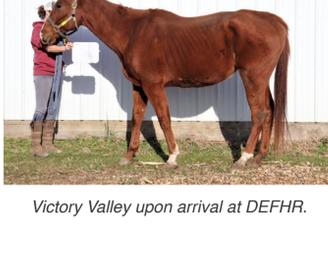


We're extending a big thank you to our Fall 2021 interns, Abby and Emma. We're so grateful for their contributions during the past three months and we can't wait to see what the future holds for both of them.

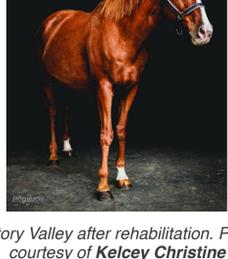
To learn more about our internship program or to apply for our Spring 2022 Equine Care and Rehabilitation Internship, click the button below.

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Victory Valley's Glow Up



Victory Valley upon arrival at DEFHR.



Victory Valley after rehabilitation. Photo courtesy of [Kelcey Christine Photography](#)

Victory Valley, a 13-year-old Warmblood gelding, came to DEFHR just under a year ago as a neglect case from Carroll County, Maryland. He was underweight and suffering from overgrown feet with ill-fitting shoes, causing lameness and discomfort. "Valley" has since made a full recovery and an incredible transformation, and is now available for adoption.

Click the button below to see all horses currently available for adoption, including Valley, and horses in rehabilitation.

[Meet the Horses](#)

Congratulations, Nashville Noah



Nashville Noah found his forever home just in time for the holidays. This sweet gelding was adopted by one of our favorite adopters who think to enjoy trail riding with "Noah." This is one of Noah's favorite activities, so we think he hit the jackpot. We wish Noah and his new adopter many years of happiness together.

In the News



"Hand-in-Hand: Rescues and Law Enforcement Work Together for Horses in Need"

When horses are rescued from neglect or abuse situations, oftentimes they're relocated to a local or nearby equine rescue facility. However, when rescue organizations are burdened with limited staff and funding, or an influx of horses, they may need to look across state lines for support.

Such was the case with Holland's Hustle, a mare that came to us from a rescue organization in Texas. Our recent column in Horse Network highlights how rescues and law enforcement worked together to give "Holland" a bright future. Click the button below to read the article.

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Featured Horse of the Month: Farrah's Fortune & Fame

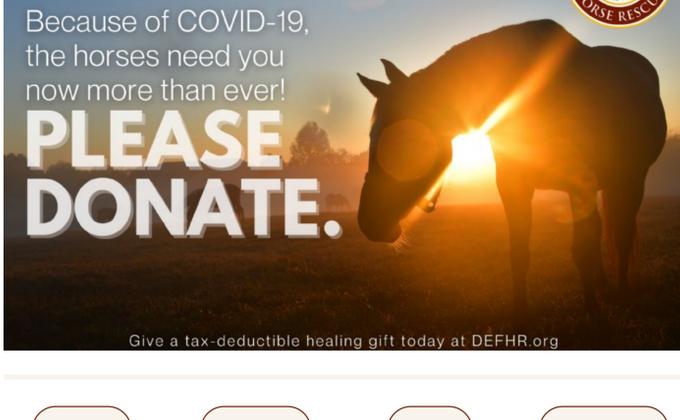


28-year-old Quarter Horse mare, 15hh

Farrah's Fortune & Fame is an older mare, but you would never know it when you meet her. Even at 28, "Farrah" has made it clear to us that she enjoys having a job and would love to continue doing light trails or pleasure riding. Farrah has a kind, quiet presence and would make a great addition to any barn.

Email adopt@DEFHR.org for details about Farrah.

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