

Summer 2017 Newsletter

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\$10,000 Matching Gift Challenge

A wonderful long time supporter has offered a **Matching Gift Challenge of \$10,000** through August 31st and we could not be more grateful. Horse Protection has only one months' operating funds remaining and we need your help to meet the challenge.

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con't from front cover.....Horse Protection's greatest need is help with fund raising, especially with major gifts which are what will enable Horse Protection to continue on into the future. In 2015 one bequest from Carol Kiefer provided the funds for eight months of operation and the construction of a barn for the geldings.

Horse Protections' long term goal of a qualified Parelli Horse Development Professional to train the horses and match them up with their perfect partner has been realized. Lauren Barwick and husband Fabian Brandt joined Horse Protection in November and Lauren is doing a superb job of addressing each horse's specific training needs with 11 horses placed in loving homes since November.

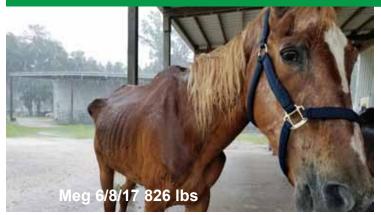
This past summer I began working on a book about the horses after years of envisioning the project. Then in November it became necessary for me to come to Miami to care for my parents, Robert, age 92 and Doris, age 90. The farm is now being expertly managed by Farm Manger Sharon Byrne, and Office Manager Julie Osborne who have each been with Horse Protection for nine years. Grant writing and working on the book are my focus with the goal of reaching more supporters for Horse Protection.

Bless you for being a member of the Horse Protection family. Because of you, Horse Protection is able to take in and care for horses in peril and give them a new lease on life. Please email or call me if you would like to discuss a major gift or to include Horse Protection in your estate planning.

Morgan Silver

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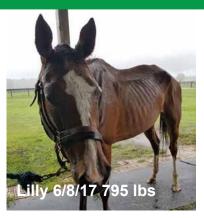


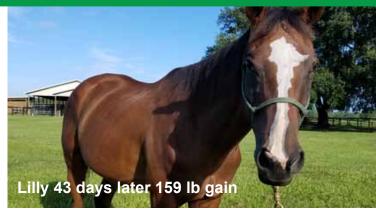


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Updates to come!







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Thanks to **Dr. Siobhan Ellison** of Pathogenes in Reddick for her expertise and help with developing a comprehensive database for our horses. **Pathogenes.com**





We were very fortunate this year at vaccination time. **Teresa Van Wagner** of Henry Schein, worldwide distributor of veterinary supplies, suggested we call **Gretchen Hill** a representative of Boehringer Ingelheim, a large pharmaceutical company. Gretchen was able to get us vaccines for 60 horses at no cost, saving us over \$2700! The vaccines were delivered to us through Dr. Natalie Mercer. We cannot thank these people enough for their help.

Thank you to **Jill Beatty**, The Salt Rock Queen, for keeping the horses in Natural Salt Rocks. All 60 horses at Horse Protection have their very own thanks to Jill.



We are very lucky to have **Dr. Natalie Mercer, DVM** of Mercer Veterinary Services. She is always willing to go above and beyond when we need her at a moment's notice. Her expertise has been invaluable.

MercerVet.com

A big thank you to **Dr. Brendan Mangan, DVM, DACVO,** Opthamologist with Affiliated Veterinary Specialists (AVS) in Gainesville for donating his services to help Moo Moo recover from a serious eye infection.

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Dr. Brendan Mangan



Dr. Natalie Mercer



THANK YOU HORSE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION OF FLORIDA!

I his is a photo of Peaches at a recent endurance ride. It's been just over five years since Peaches and I were united by Horse Protection Association of Florida. The first couple of years were challenging, but she has turned into a lovely endurance horse.

Let me start off by giving credit where it's due. The horses that make it to Horse Protection are the lucky ones. Horse Protection takes them in and rehabilitates them physically and emotionally, and there are so many more that never get that opportunity.

Peaches is the fourth horse that I've adopted from Horse Protection, and they've all been awesome horses. Thank you to all the Horse Protection Team!

Physically, Peaches is built square and a hearty horse. Her brain wasn't quite so perfect. Peaches needed more time than the others to trust me. She had built up a wall against humans, probably as a coping mechanism. It would be too painful to know why.

Peaches has become a wonderful endurance horse, but it took much patience for her to get there. Like most Thoroughbreds, she hadn't spent a lot of time outside a ring or racetrack, so there were many monsters. She didn't understand why it was important to trot—why trot when you can gallop?

Riding Peaches in a group isn't a recipe for success. She needs 100% of my attention, and I enjoy her so much better that way anyway. When she's unsure (what are all those little beings in the distance with brightly colored backpacks???)



she looks to me for guidance to reassure her that they won't eat her

Fast forward five years, and this is Peaches today. She is in great shape physically and mentally, and more importantly, she loves endurance riding. There's nothing like running through the woods on a Thoroughbred from Horse Protection!

Jo Harder

Wish List

Summer Necessities

Cashel, Roma Fly Masks: Cob & Horse Sizes

Cashel Long Nose: Horse Size Mosquito Halt: Gallon containers Show Sheen: Gallon containers Cowboy Magic Detangler Aluminum Wound Spray

Blue Lotion

Farm Supplies

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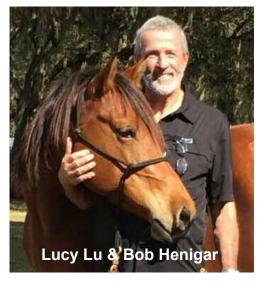
























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