Food For Thought

If your horse says no, you either asked the wrong question, or asked the question wrong. ~Pat Parelli

Horses - if God made anything more beautiful, he kept it for himself. ~Author Unknown

There is something about the outside of a horse that is good for the inside of a man. ~Winston Churchill

Welcome New Members!

Ann Allen          Brian Hale          Mary Racal
Jill Avila         Dean Hansen, DVM     Michael Reed
Susan Bates        Casey Hart          Nell Reed
Michael Beyer      Rodney Harvey       Barbara Reeves
Tamara Black       Frances Herbert     Janet Ross
Ray & June Brown   Deanna Higgs        Mary Ann Rothert
Bud Bugialli       Connie Huff         Ron Dean Scott
Alberto Cardenas   Jennifer Huner-Peikert
Jalna Carey        Jessie Johnson
Michelle Casella   Linda King          Rafael Serrano
Patricia Cellius   Jerry & Billie Knittig
Curtis Clark       Nicole & Brandon LaMora
Cindy Clemons     Dianne Law          Barbara Siebunhaosun
Janelle & Rick Cobbs
Dennis Coleman     Kathy Lawson
Alcala Cruz        Laurie Benton Lewis
Karen Kay Dean     Magdalena & Bob Long
Timothy De la Hoossaye
Jacqueline & Evan Dixon
Sarah Rogers       Lynn Lipford
Pauline Doig       Shelly Mares
Russell Duckworth  Floyd Maxwell
Theresa Kay Farmer  Peggy McCoy
Dory Fernandez     David McKim
Carolee Frampton   Sharon McNamara
Sherri Gayfield    Renee Miller
Tim & Janis Gilbert
Ivy Gilmore        Sammy Miller
Janice Glover      Joe Mitchell
Maxine Gschwend    Jimmie Newsom
Stephanie Gusmeri  Natalie O’Brien
Sharon Redmon      Kelly Pegg
Dr. Kay Queen      J.D. Pickering
Robert Youngblood  Kimberly & Joe Vowell
Gerald Welch       Adoree White
Chereese White     Kathy White
Donna Whitelock    Tammy Williams
James Williamson   Jennifer Young
Megan Zaccarello
Thank you to our Lifetime Members!

Cat Ballew
Jan Loveless, PhD
Catrina Swenson
Jennifer Williams, PhD
Spencer Williams, PhD
Jodi Mullins

Thank you to our Renewing Members!

Courtney & Regina Anderson
Pam Archung
Dianne & Charles Baker
Enes Balandran, Jr
Alice Beam
Eli Benson
Elizabeth and Harlan Beverly
Jane Blasberg
Susan Brown
Kim and Dam Cimino
Dottie Clower
Nan Conkle
Kristin Cooke
Nancy Coyle
Bobby and Denise Crosthwait
Leslie Davis & Joe Schelder
Kristy Deslatte
Roger Douglas
Pamela Dountas
Craig & Tonya DuBois
Suzanne Elmer
Al & Sherry Fayard
Heidi Fowler
Tricia and Michael Gilbreth
Patti Glass
Ann Goolsby
Kelley & Chester Harbert
Norma and Gordon Hatch
Lane Hatcher
Melba Higgins
Katrina Hock
Greg Holt
Sharon Kent
Barbara Kowalski
Barb and David Lucas
Richard & Marie Manning
Janet Mittag
Debra and Nichole Mussett
Michael & Patti Oestrich
Gaye & Mike Patrick
Mad Poarch
Catherine Pomerleau
Jeanette Ratcliff
Cindy & Bob Rodocker
Laura and Scott Senseman
Marianne Skarpa
Lawrence Smith
Jim & Ann Souders
Timothy Stephens
Michelle Stockton
Sue Torney
Chandra Volkmar
Ricke Weinhauf
Paula & Michael Weisskopf
Michael White
Bernadette Wiley
Tifney Wilford
Bruce, Linda, June and Lorna Windsor

Bluebonnet 2008 Fundraising

October 11 - Bluebonnet Horse Expo – Will post much more in a separate email.

November - Virtual Horse Show

November - December 2nd BEHS Donation letter. I’m hoping to have envelope stuffing parties here in Alvin or Rosharon and also up in the DFW area. More will be posted as the time draws closer.

You Can Help Horses When Buying Tack!

Shop at any of the affiliates listed at the link below and Bluebonnet Equine Humane Society will receive a portion of the proceeds from your purchase. http://www.bluebonnetequine.org/help/shop.htm
The Bluebonnet Horse Expo is Coming....

Bluebonnet Horse Expo  October 11, 2008
7311 Decker Lane          9:30 AM – 6:00 PM
Austin, Texas             www.bluebonnethorseexpo.com

Join the rescue for a day of fun, family, learning and shopping! The 2008 Bluebonnet Horse Expo will include clinics and demonstrations on desensitization, Noavel headstall, trick horses, drill teams, Grand Prix Dressage, Vaulting, body work, trailer loading, Ttouch and more. We’ll have vendors selling art-work, clothing, horsey items, home décor and more as well as an exciting Parade of Breeds including Sport Horses, Gypsy Vanners and other exciting breeds. The rescue will be selling new and gently used tack, and plenty of rescue horses will be on hand to greet the public.

To make this a successful event, we need you!

- Hang flyers at feed stores, tack stores, horse barns, and other community bulletin boards. Email Jenn at jenn@bluebonnetequine.org to request a flyer.

- Volunteer Friday for set-up or Saturday during the event or clean up. Anyone who volunteers for at least two shifts gets into the rest of the event free. Email Cheryl at cmmutt70@aol.com to sign up to volunteer.

- Foster homes – bring your foster horses! This is a great chance to get foster horses out in the public and help them find adopters. Each year many horses get adopted as a result attending the Expo. Email Laura at laura@quickco.com to add your horse to the list.

- Donate items. We need tack, horse/ranch items, horse/ranch-themed art-work, clothing or home décor. Donations are tax-deductible and proceeds from the sales help support the horses.

- Become a vendor. Vendor space starts at just $50 and is a great way to support the rescue while getting your products in front of people.

- Become a sponsor. Sponsorships start at $25 and help cover the costs of putting on the event, making it possible for the rescue to use all proceeds from the event to help horses.

If you would like more info on the rescue, please email Jenn at jenn@bluebonnetequine.org. We hope to see you there!