



Barn Buddy Volunteer

Position Title: Barn Buddy

Reports To: Equine Program Director

Availability Needed: Monday-Friday

Time: Restricted to time when horses are not in service or at pasture

- Must be an agreed upon schedule with Equine Program Director

Volunteering Summary: Barn buddies are paired up with one animal from our herd. They are responsible for grooming, mucking and spending quality time with their barn buddy.

Volunteer Duties:

- Thorough groom of barn buddy
- Maintain safety and maintenance of barn buddy's pen
- Miscellaneous projects as warranted

Volunteer Qualifications:

- Barn buddy time commitment - we ask that barn buddies are able to commit to 1x per week for at least 3 months
 - If you cannot commit to a regular time, we ask you to coordinate with the Equine Program Director to see if we can accommodate a schedule for you.
- Individuals 16+ are welcome to join but must be in supervision of a caregiver the entire time they are on property.
- Ability to safely work with horses in consistency with Iron Horse training procedure.
- Complete farm orientation and general safety training upon the first volunteer day.

This is not an exhaustive list of Barn Buddy duties, expectations or qualifications. This list is intended to demonstrate the general aspect of work being performed by volunteers in this position.