



HAPPY TRAILS RIDING ACADEMY

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Dear Rotary Members,

On behalf of everyone at Happy Trails Riding Academy, I would like to thank you for your generous grant in the amount of \$4500 for our drainage project. Thanks to supporters like you we are exceeding all our goals! At Happy Trails Riding Academy, gifts are given every single day. They are gifts of....

A **SMILE** - given by a rider who transfers from his wheelchair to mount his horse.

A **WORD** - uttered by a child with autism as he verbalizes for the first time, "Hi Clue" to the horse he's been riding.

A **STEP** - taken by a little girl with cerebral palsy whose balance improves after months of strengthening exercises on the back of a gentle, patient horse.

Donations make a direct impact on our riders, volunteers and staff. Your contribution is tax deductible, as Happy Trails Riding Academy is an IRS certified 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization. Our tax ID number is 94-2882855.

It is through the generosity of people like you that we can help our riders gain self-confidence, increase muscle development and experience the thrill of riding a horse. With the support of the community, we will continue to grow our program and increase the number of riders.

Again, thank you very much.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Leslie Gardner', written over a faint circular stamp.

Leslie Gardner
Executive Director

All our thanks!