

**We are seeking donations of unique and exciting auction items for River Valley Riders 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Round-Up Virtual Gala and Auction streaming online Saturday evening, November 14, 2020.**

*Our mission is to enrich the lives of children and adults with special needs by providing equine assisted activities and therapies. As a non-profit organization, we rely on the contributions and goodwill of individuals and businesses for support.*

People with special needs can make meaningful contributions to their schools, workplaces and neighborhoods. Only with community support can we provide greater responsiveness to some of the challenges faced by children and adults with disabilities. River Valley Riders remains committed to advancing community inclusion and increasing the sense of overall well-being.

COVID-19 has impacted the River Valley Riders Family, as our riders, volunteers, staff and special therapy horses are missing each other and the benefits of our services. **And here is where you can help!** Your auction item donation will support our ongoing expenses and the preparations we are making for resuming lessons next year. Our programs impact the lives of not only our riders and families but also our 200+ volunteers.

Our Round-Up Virtual Gala and Auction will be a special and uniquely entertaining event. The names of supporting individuals and businesses will be featured during our online program, on our website and in our newsletter. We respectfully request donations by October 31<sup>st</sup>.

We hope you will join us the evening of Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> by visiting [www.rivervalleyriders.org](http://www.rivervalleyriders.org) as together we will achieve our goals. Thank you for supporting our community.

Best regards,



Cheryl A. Holt  
Executive Director



**RIVER VALLEY RIDERS**  
EQUINE ASSISTED ACTIVITIES & THERAPIES



*Building confidence is at the heart of River Valley Riders and what we do.*

*River Valley Riders is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.*

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