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Job Description

POSITION TITLE: Equine Care Team Volunteer

REPORTS TO: Lindsey or Kassie Schuerr

CURRENT AS OF: January 2019

POSITION SUMMARY: Assist Kingman's Healing Hooves team with training our therapy equines to increase fitness, balance, and suppleness and help to prepare them for success.

JOB DUTIES

- Assist with massage and stretching sessions as directed by the Equine Manager.
- Learn appropriate techniques to assist with lunging, long lining, hand walking and other ground training activities.
- Give relief treatment (icing, cold hosing) and wash/bath the equines.
- Assist with tack fitting, sorting and organization of tack room and tack donations, maintenance of grooming boxes, and cleaning and storage of additional equipment.
- Provide general assistance to the Equine Team
- Maintain safety outside of the arena by keeping equine at a safe distance from other equines, people, fences and other objects.
- Follow all instructor and staff directions.
- Ensures compliance with all Kingman's Healing Hooves policies.
- Work as a team with staff and volunteers.

QUALIFICATIONS

- **Time Commitment:** Be able to commit consistently to at least one shift a week of at least 1.5 hours a shift. Shifts are available in the morning and in the afternoon, each day of the week, including weekends.
- Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age, unless an exception is made for maturity.
- All volunteers must participate in a Horse Handler training and pass Horse Handler Assessment prior to volunteering.
- Able to frequently sit, stand, walk, bend and lift up to 50 pounds.
- Able to walk or jog for more than 1 ½ hours over uneven surfaces
- Able to physically react with agility and swiftness to maximize safety of the rider.
- Able and willing to perform job duties under extreme weather conditions.

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed and are not intended to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and/or skills that may be required. Kingman's Healing Hooves holds the right to terminate volunteers if not meeting requirements and responsibilities set forth in this job description, or if a volunteer violates the volunteer policies or code of ethics.