

**Animal Guardians Horse Rescue, Inc.**  
**Volunteer Application**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home / Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name / Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_

**Write Your Service Schedule Times:**

Mondays                      A.M. \_\_\_\_\_                      P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesdays                      A.M. \_\_\_\_\_                      P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesdays                      A.M. \_\_\_\_\_                      P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Thursdays                      A.M. \_\_\_\_\_                      P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Fridays                      A.M. \_\_\_\_\_                      P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Saturdays                      A.M. \_\_\_\_\_                      P.M. \_\_\_\_\_

Please select from the following choices:

1.) \_\_\_\_\_ I want to be a Direct Horse Care (horse grooming / barn care) Volunteer.

2.) \_\_\_\_\_ I want to serve on the Leadership Team / Board of Directors in the following role(s):

a.) President \_\_\_\_\_                      b.) Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_                      c.) Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

d.) Director of Development \_\_\_\_\_                      e.) Director of Operations \_\_\_\_\_

e.) EAL Program Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_                      f.) Donor Relations Manager \_\_\_\_\_

3.) \_\_\_\_\_ I want to be a General / Community Volunteer.

a.) Marketing / Social Media \_\_\_\_\_                      b.) Volunteer Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_

c.) Lead Horse Volunteer / Mentor \_\_\_\_\_                      d.) Foster Caregiver \_\_\_\_\_

d.) Community Outreach / Events \_\_\_\_\_                      e.) Newsletter Publishing \_\_\_\_\_

- 6.) \_\_\_\_\_ I want to serve as a pro bono Professional Volunteer in the following areas of expertise:
- a.) \_\_\_ natural horsemanship horse trainer
  - b.) \_\_\_ fundraising / bequests
  - c.) \_\_\_ donor management / record keeping
  - d.) \_\_\_ taxes filing / book-keeping
  - e.) \_\_\_ special education / reading specialist / math teacher / tutor / author
  - f.) \_\_\_ tshirts / promo items
  - g.) \_\_\_ community outreach / events / flyers / newsletter publications
  - h.) \_\_\_ editing
  - i.) \_\_\_ accounting / book-keeping / tax filing
  - j.) \_\_\_ construction / barn care / stable hand / ranch hand
  - k.) \_\_\_ kids crafts / creative arts
  - l.) \_\_\_ other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following questions:**

1. Why do you want to volunteer with our organization?  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. What experience and skills do you bring to our organization?  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. What will make a positive and meaningful volunteer experience and how will you contribute to making this a lasting relationship with the organization?  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Are you serving on probation / have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor / felony charge? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. Are you able to / willing to commit to a volunteer assignment for a minimum of 6 hours per month, 3 consecutive months, on varied days / times between the hours of 9am and 6pm Monday – Saturday? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you have any special physical / mental / intellectual challenges and / or requests for reasonable accommodations from our organization to perform your volunteer duties as assigned? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. This organization is non-discriminatory, but All Volunteers must read, understand, and abide by the Volunteer Safety Rules & Procedures and the Volunteer Handbook. Non-compliance is means for dismissal from service. Did you read, fully understand, and agree to these documents? \_\_\_\_\_

If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

8. For Direct Horse Care Volunteers Only, Please Complete This Survey:

What is your horse handling experience in the following areas:

a.) catching a loose horse: a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

b.) haltering a horse a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

c.) leading / stopping a horse a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

d.) horse grooming a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

e.) hoof handling a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

f.) 1<sup>st</sup> Aid / Emergency a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

g.) trailer loading a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

h.) natural horsemanship ground work a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

i.) equine behavior a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

j.) equine body language a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

k.) tying / ropes / knots a.) novice \_\_\_ / b.) intermediate \_\_\_ / c.) experienced \_\_\_

9. Are you able / willing to attend at least 2 Volunteer meetings, trainings, and events throughout the year, typically held on Saturday mornings?

If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

10. Are you able / willing to join with an annual tax deductible Membership dues donation of:

Golden Horseshoe \$100 / year: \_\_\_\_\_ Silver Horseshoe \$75 / year: \_\_\_\_\_

Bronze Horseshoe \$50 / year: \_\_\_\_\_ \$30 Volunteer Shirt: \_\_\_\_\_

If no, how will you help to fundraise \$50 per year for your annual Membership dues to cover the expense of your shirt, materials, and awards / gifts throughout the year?

\_\_\_\_\_  
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