



The **SheaCenter**
for Therapeutic Riding

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Whether volunteering your time, lending your talents or
sharing your treasures, you can help us accomplish our
mission **to improve the lives of people with
disabilities through therapeutic horse-related
programs.**

BE A VOLUNTEER

Volunteers are an integral part of all we do from participating in daily therapy lessons and activities to helping with events and other special programs. Visit The Shea Center website at www.sheacenter.org/volunteering.php to learn more about how you can contribute.

REFER A RIDER

The Shea Center serves children as young as two years old as well as teens and adults of all ages with more than 60 varying disabilities. With the completion of the Klein Family Education & Therapy Building and our equestrian facilities, The Shea Center currently has openings for new clients.

If you have a friend or family member with special needs who may benefit from our year-round therapeutic riding programs, please contact us. Many clients are referred by physicians, therapists and teachers, but "word of mouth" referrals from our client families and friends who know The Shea Center mission first-hand are equally important.

Riders must obtain a release from their physician and be evaluated by one of The Shea Center's licensed physical therapists prior to enrollment. Please visit our website at www.sheacenter.org/courses-enroll.php for an enrollment application or call (949) 240-8441 ext. 123 for more information.

SIGN UP FOR THE CENTER'S SPECIAL SUMMER CAMP SESSIONS

Friends and family members (ages 5 - 18) are invited to join our Shea Center riders for our annual S.H.E.A. Experience Summer Camp. The summer equestrian program includes weekly sessions during August and focuses on riding and all aspects of horsemanship. For information, call (949) 240-8441 ext. 123.

ATTEND A SHEA CENTER EVENT

■ Join us for our annual Gala on May 21, 2011. Held at The Montage Resort and Spa, Laguna Beach, "Sheafari, Rockin' on the Wild Side" will include live entertainment, a silent auction, and a gourmet dinner. Dinner will be followed by the 2011 Michael Lewis Friends of the Disabled Awards honoring Eden and George O'Connell and Debbie and Rhoads Martin, a live auction, music and dancing. Go to www.sheacenter.org/events.php for sponsorship and ticket information.

■ Mark your calendar for The Shea Center 33rd Annual BBQ and Family Faire on Saturday, September 24, 2011. Sponsor a table and invite your colleagues, friends, and family for the Center's largest fundraising event of the year. It's a festive country western event featuring a hearty barbecue dinner, rider demonstrations, silent and live auctions, country fair games for children, live country western music, and dancing. Go to www.sheacenter.org/events.php for sponsorship and ticket information.

FUND A SCHOLARSHIP

The Shea Center subsidizes fees for qualified riders, and we offer financial aid to riders who demonstrate a greater financial need. In fact, 30% of our clients receive therapeutic riding financial aid. We actively seek charitable gifts at all levels to meet this increasing demand from deserving clients and families. Call The Shea Center development office at (949) 240-8441 ext. 109 for details.

SPONSOR A THERAPY HORSE

For our programs to be safe, effective and successful, it is critical that our horses be healthy, happy and sound. You can sponsor one of our 18 wonderful Shea Center therapy horses at the \$2,500, \$5,000 or \$10,000 sponsor level to cover the cost of feeding and care for one year. Contact The Shea Center development office at (949) 240-8441 ext. 109 for details.

DONATE YOUR SEASON TICKETS, GOLF FOURSOME OR VACATION HOME

Unique and high quality donations make terrific silent or live auction items at our popular fundraising events. Your concert or sporting event tickets can generate important funding for The Shea Center programs. Call (949) 240-8441 ext. 109.

DOUBLE THE VALUE OF YOUR GIFT

Ask your employer's Human Resources department about "matching gifts." Many companies will match their employees' gifts to charitable organizations. Some companies will even make a donation to organizations where their employees volunteer or when their employees nominate the organization for grants.

JOIN THE REINS OF LIFE LEGACY CLUB

Make a donation through your estate and create a lasting legacy for The Shea Center while providing for your own future and realizing generous tax savings. Call (949) 240-8441 ext. 102 for more information.

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