

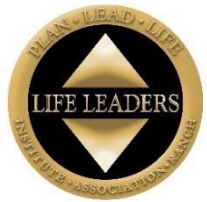


Compassion Ranch & Institute

Photos-Progress-People-Plan News / Edited by Dr. David Dyson, Trustee

Mission

1. **Compassion Ranch** (2008/2020-): care of animals, student development, education;
2. **Patriotism in Action** (2001-): publish & teach *Riderless horses*, *Veterans Day Started in Alabama*, *Pledge of Allegiance*, plus care for US military working equines from Arlington;
3. **Life Leadership** (1991-): plan for life, personal leadership, and character traits *Courage*, *Compassion*, *Patriotism*...mandated in Alabama schools 10 minutes daily since 1995.



Progress July 1-31

Photos / Progress-People-Plans-Possibilities

Military horses retired from Arlington Cemetery live in Alabama with us!



Hank (Tank) reunited with Reuben & Rowdy after 3 years. Reuben & Rowdy adjusting after move from Virginia.



Fan Merchandise Donated to Auburn and Alabama for Students and Alumni

Auburn University
Birmingham Auburn Club=>

University of Alabama
<=University Alumni Association

<=UA Shelby County Alumni Chapter

Chilton County Auburn Club+>

We could donate to benefit students and alumni because of a donation to us of merchandise, plus feeds and supplies, by **United Pet Fund (Ohio)**.



Progress and People

New Treasure Donated

Laura Bynum Tucker Trust: donation of funds to support student staff and improvements...plus brought baby pools for our pig and dogs, stirrups for children to sit on a saddle....

Rick Cleverton: hay bales for **Reuben and Rowdy**, plus supplies.

Martha Davis: help where the need is greatest.

Sandy and John Pegram: 35 square bales of hay.

A Home for Every Horse: Coupons to purchase Purina horse feeds.

Another Chance Dog Rescue: horse feeds donated to them shared with us.



Treasure Donated by Partners Monthly or Often

Anonymous (Texas): mails a check monthly to help us buy feeds, plus she sends horse "cookies."

Anonymous: (AL) donates *"In Loving Memory of Anna Nall."*

Joyce Cochran: *"use this check where you see the need."*

John Decker (Georgia): co-sponsors **Indy (Indian Legend)** to help with feed and care via bank autopay.

Dawn Dixon (Mississippi): still using her supplemental broth to help dogs with diet and skin care.

David Dyson: land, equipment, facilities, work as trustee-manager, plus \$ when needed.

Lutavia Heaton: "most pressing need."

Ramona Price: sponsors food for **Major** and **Bendi**.

Celeste Rodgers: sponsors food for cats **Daggers, Nat, Scarlet**.

Carol Schauffhausen: sends cans of wet cat food, adds donations, advises on cat care.

Caroline Uhl (Arizona): sponsors food for **Tessee** (kitten she rescued in Tennessee).

United Pet Fund & Dr. Zeke Zekoff (Ohio): truck load keeps helping us use items and donate.

Time Donated

Priscilla Daly: prayer warrior for animal recoveries and well-being, advocates us.

Diamond Dodson: grooms horses & dogs.

Dr. Doug Meckes: advising us on animal care and connections to **Auburn University Vet School**.

Ovie Powell and Katelyn Ayres: visit and volunteer periodically.

Ramona Price: visits **Major and Ripley** weekly to feed, groom, and play, plus cares for **Bendi**.

Kevin Reagor: helped submit a grant request to **Home Depot** for building materials.

Shelby Humane Society, Saundra Ivey: advising on tests and treatments for heart worms.

Laura Tucker: helping with rocking chair cushions for guests using the porch and toys for animals....

A Few Actions Taken

Star: getting wound care for an injury — she is almost well!

10,000+ pounds of hay purchased. =>

Dewormer treatments: **Rocky and Brogan**.

10 dogs: flea treatments, grooming.

Caregivers seeking help: advised those who call.

Land and shelters improvements: see page 4.



Compassion Ranch and Institute is a 501c3 nonprofit approved for charitable donations (63-1091241).

Personal Leadership (1991/1992-); Patriotism in Action (2001-); Compassion Ranch (2008/2020-).

Plans and Menu of Needs for Partners to Improve Care and Capacity

you are invited to [look for at least one action](#) we can take together.

Volunteer Service Invited to Improve Care

- ❑ **Veterinarian:** dedicated to animals in nonprofits to advise and serve quarterly.
- ❑ **Vet tech:** advise and assist guiding on treatments for worms, fleas, flies...monthly.
- ❑ **Farrier:** caring and competent to trim hooves quarterly or as needed.
- ❑ **Grooming:** assist groomer to brush coats and manes, bathe.
- ❑ **Land clearance labor:** limbs on ground to stumps to burn for horse pasture.
- ❑ **Web & tech:** 1-2+ hours weekly – advise and assist with equipment, software...
- ❑ **Grant coordinator:** advise and assist with funding for animals, shelters, students, programs.

Recurring Funding Needed

- ❑ **Horses:** worm treatments and exams.
- ❑ **Dogs:** checkups and medicine for [heartworms](#) plus [flea protection](#).
- ❑ **Cats:** dry food (wet food is donated).
- ❑ **Student workers:** sponsor teens weekly to help clean troughs, bowls, spaces, prep events...
- ❑ **Carpenter:** build and repair stalls, gates, doors, fences, machinery maintenance...weekly.

Funds to Build, Repair, and Add Capacity for Quality of Life for Horses

- ❑ **Hangar Barn:** shed roof, interior ceiling fan, clay packed on barn drives.
- ❑ **Bryant Barn:** ceiling fans for horses (8) and cat walks above hay racks.
- ❑ **Arlington Horse Pasture Fence:** 2000 linear feet of wood posts, rails, sakrete, with gates.
- ❑ **Pavilion Barn:** covered arena for events plus [hay storage](#) for 1 year food security.
- ❑ **Back pasture:** fence built/ repaired around 12 acres so horses can graze, guests picnic/hike.
- ❑ **Old Hog Barn:** repurposed to shelter horses with 8 stalls, space, dogs, cats. caregivers

Items you or your company may no longer need and could donate or discount

- ❑ **Saddle stands** to support kids/guests to sit on saddles during programs.
- ❑ **Water trough/s.**
- ❑ **Excavator or backhoe** for digging and maintaining watering ponds, prompt burials...
- ❑ **Trailer for hayrides:** to pull by 1949 Farmall tractor.

Online Address

www.CompassionRanch.org/Donate

Donors typically use the web site with PayPal or Venmo, send mail, or bank auto pay.

PayPal reduced fees on donations to us to 49 cents + 1.99%.

Postal Address for Mail / Bank Autopay / Shipping Goods

Compassion Ranch / 354 County Road 33 / Calera, Alabama 35040

[You can add to your will](#) to leave a legacy and help our sanctuary and programs sustain.

Silver
Transparency
2026

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Request the latest edition of our docs to introduce us to a

[]foundation []company []veteran organization []person looking for a mission like ours

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VOTED BEST of ALABAMA 2026!

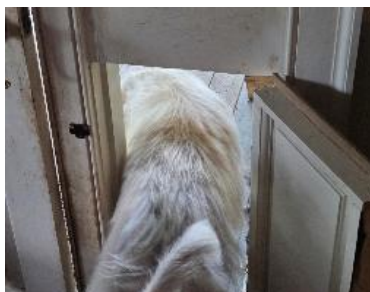


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Land Improved for Compassion Ranch by Triple D Ranch & Farm

Farmhouse

- ☆ Dog door built next to front door to add freedom for dogs. =>
- ☆ Doors built/installed for laundry room.



Garden, Greenhouse, Orchard Paddock

- ☆ Fan installed for Major and Ripley.
- ☆ Reinforced fence base with sakrete to protect Major from digging.
- ☆ Hay shed built to protect hay.
- ☆ Hay racks built in two stalls.
- ☆ Plums gone, apples and figs growing.



North Barn & Pasture

- ☆ Hay Shed built to protect hay.
- ☆ Tree fell on fence cut and removed.

Bryant Barn & Paddock

- ☆ Sakrete under gate to protect Wilburn and Ripley from digging.
- ☆ Reinforced fence section so Wilbur can graze safely.

South Barn

- ☆ US Flag added to porch, now 2 near our Arlington horses.



Mission: To provide land and facilities for Compassion Ranch and Institute animals, students, patriots, and programs.

Donations to the nonprofit pay for animal feed, supplies, care, students, programs and services...