

Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary

invites you to join us for

"A Night of Hope and Inspiration"



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Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary's biggest fundraiser of the year is designed to lift your spirits and to inspire you with stories of how Happy Trails and rescued farm animals have impacted and changed people's lives!

Saturday, March 22nd, 2014

Todaro's Party Center

1820 Akron Peninsula Road, Akron, OH

Doors Open 5pm

Heavy Hors D'oeuvres 5:30pm • Special Presentation 6:30pm

A Message From Yamka

Dear Friend of Happy Trails,

My name is *Yamka* the pot belly pig, and I wanted to let you know this fundraiser will help cover the expenses at the sanctuary to care for me and my 349 or so friends who were removed from some really bad situations not only in Ohio, but across the United States. **100% of the proceeds from this event will go directly to Happy Trails.** Our staff is putting this on all by themselves.

If you are interested in supporting me, the hundreds of other abused and neglected farm animals and Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary, please join us for this very special evening and bring some friends.

Happy Trails has brought peace and healing to a lot of us animals, and to many people as well. I know the sanctuary has made a huge difference in *my* life. Thank you for considering attending. My friends and I are extremely grateful for your support!

With kindness and compassion for all animals,

Yamka the pig



Charge cards will be accepted at this event!

Fun "Stuff" Going On!

Plan to join in the fun while attending "*A Night of Hope and Inspiration*" and look forward to...

- ...trying your luck with the **Chinese raffle!** Some REALLY great prizes are waiting for you to drop your ticket in their bag.
- ..."**stuffing the barn**" with hay bales. Each time you purchase a bale of hay, you "stuff the barn" that is on display. With each bale, you get a raffle ticket to see if you'll be lucky enough to win one of the many great prizes.
- ...the **lottery tree**, which will be loaded with tickets, any one of which may make your dreams come true!
- ... the **wine pull**. \$20 will get you your choice of a mystery wine to take home, which may just be worth a lot more than \$20!
- ...the **50/50 raffle**
- ...grabbing a **mystery grab bag!** For \$5 you're always a winner — you just don't know what you'll win!

Heavy Hors D'oeuvres

A special animal-friendly menu created exclusively for this event by the good folks at Todaro's Party Center will feature heavy vegan hors d'oeuvres. The scrumptious vegan desserts are donated by supporting restaurants.

Enjoy the Uplifting Music of Violinist Extraordinaire, Mary Beth Ions!

For your listening pleasure, Happy Trails is honored to present the incredibly talented violinist **Mary Beth Ions!**

For over twenty-five years Mary Beth Ions has been one of Cleveland's most active musicians. She performs with the Cleveland Pops Orchestra, Trinity Cathedral Chamber Orchestra, and Playhouse Square productions of touring Broadway shows such as Phantom of the Opera, Miss Saigon, Showboat, South Pacific, West Side Story, Titanic and The Color Purple. She regularly provides back-up music for Mannheim Steamroller, Barry Manilow, Johnny Mathis, Rod Stewart, Smokey Robinson, Yanni, Sarah Brightman, Jewel, Clay Aiken and Josh Groban. In July of 2003 she performed for Hillary Clinton and in July of 2004 she performed as a member of RED {an orchestra} at a fund raiser for President Bush. She performed with the Royal Canadian Ballet's Nutcracker productions at the Allen Theater, Playhouse Square. She collaborated on stage with celebrated Broadway performer Raul Esparza and has backed-up star of Broadway and TV, Kristin Chenoweth.

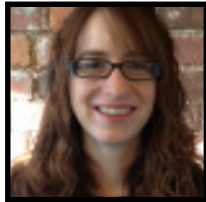


Special Guests

Inspirational stories will be shared with us by:



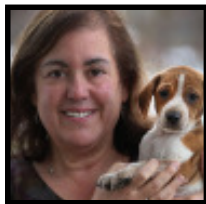
Thrity Umrigar
Author, Journalist, and Professor at Case Western Reserve University



Holly Butterfield
Team Leader for the Conditional Release Unit with Recovery Resources



Rachel Whitehawk-Day, CPC, CRC
Founder/Executive Director, Whitehawk Ranch, Inc. and Whitehawk Institute for Equine Life Coaching



Hope Brustein
Executive Director of Geauga Humane Society's Rescue Village



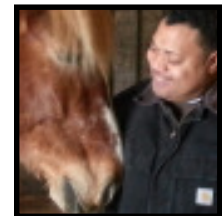
Willis Miller
From Frederickburg, Ohio, Representing Happy Trails Amish Horse Retirement Program



Ilona Urban
Retired Akron Public Schools Teacher, Veteran Volunteer with Happy Trails



Terri Flanagan
Nutrition Services Manager for the Cleveland Catholic Diocese; Proud Adoptive Mom of Rescued Farm Animals



Kerry Jackson
Vice President Happy Trails Board of Directors; Law Enforcement Officer for The University of Akron



Annette Fisher
Founder /Executive Director of Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary

TICKET INFORMATION

Tickets: \$55 per person or a table of 8 for \$440

- I am enclosing \$_____ for _____ tickets.
- I'm sorry but I am unable to attend, but I will be there with you in spirit! I would like to show my support of this fundraiser with my tax-deductible donation of \$_____.
- I would like to reserve an entire table (8 tickets) for \$440

Company or Organization _____

Name _____ Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

- Check enclosed
- Please charge my ___ VISA ___ Mastercard ___ American Express

Card Number _____

Exp. Date _____ CSC (3 digits on back) _____

Name On Card (Please print) _____

Signature _____

OTHER WAYS TO PURCHASE TICKETS or DONATE

- Tickets available on-line via PayPal at www.happytrailsfarm.org
- Call in your charge card information to Happy Trails at 330-296-5914.

Return to Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary
5623 New Milford Rd. Ravenna, OH 44266



So often supporters of animal welfare and animal rescue are overwhelmed with disturbing images of animal suffering. They hear terrible stories of animal abuse and the images leave supporters frustrated by what they see and hear. The good that is done is often overshadowed by the struggle to comprehend the enormity of these horrific situations.

This inspiring evening is created to focus on all the good and positive things that have come about through Happy Trails, and to highlight stories of how the rescued farm animals that have come through our sanctuary have impacted and have changed people's lives.

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This is definitely a “*don’t miss*” event!

Support the rescued animals and the work of Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary on Saturday, March 22nd, when people come together to celebrate all the good and positive things that are happening because of this unique, dedicated organization.

Check out details inside, share the information with others, and be sure to purchase tickets early — Happy Trails events normally sell out! Bring your friends and family for an inspiring, heart-warming, good-energy evening and show your support for Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary!



Aren’t able attend?

Consider making an “*I’ll be with you in spirit*” donation using the form inside to help make our biggest fundraiser of the year for Happy Trails a huge success!

Our Mission

Happy Trails Farm Animal Sanctuary Inc. is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that rescues, rehabilitates, and provides an adoption program for abused, abandoned, and neglected farm animals such as horses, ponies, potbelly pigs, farm pigs, chickens, ducks, turkeys, sheep, goats, and cows. Happy Trails serves the entire state of Ohio and any other state requesting our help, and works in cooperation with county humane societies, animal protective leagues, and local and state law enforcement officers. Animals in our program must have been removed from a situation of abuse, neglect or abandonment by law officials, and cruelty charges must be filed against the person(s) responsible for the crime.