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RAISE THE ROOF 2024! A CELEBRATION OF 30 YEARS



A record-breaking crowd attended MANE's annual Raise the Roof Fundraiser on October 10th, 2024. The generous event sponsors, **Region's Bank**, **Baptist Health**, **Chick-Fil-A Eastchase/ Vaughn & Taylor**, **MAX Credit Union**, and **Diamond C Ranch** made for an unforgettable evening of live music from **The Trotline Band** and a delicious seafood spread from **Wintzell's Oyster House**. MANE Volunteers and Joe

O'Hara, transformed the Poarch Creek Arena into a magical venue abundant with string lighting and shades of green to compliment the celebration of MANE's 30th anniversary. The MANE Staff and Board of Directors would like to thank each sponsor, guest, volunteer, and donor for making this event an astounding success!



CTF OF ALABAMA GRANT AWARD

The **Children's Trust Fund of Alabama** awarded a grant to MANE for the eighth consecutive year. This valuable partnership with **CTF of Alabama** provides essential program funding and invaluable knowledge towards the awareness and prevention of child abuse and neglect. Learn more about the Children's Trust Fund of Alabama by visiting: ctf.alabama.gov

Christmas Wishes

Christmas is almost here! Spread some holiday cheer this year by contributing toward the addition of new saddles and adaptive therapeutic riding equipment for MANE's students and horses.

To donate please visit: maneweb.org/support

Merry Christmas!

SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO MANE!

Santa is packing his sleigh with carrots and apples to visit MANE's festive horses and share a special photo opportunity with YOU on Friday, December 20th from 1:00-3:00PM! This unique event is open to everyone of all ages and abilities free of charge, with donations accepted for this year's Christmas Ask.



AN “AU” SOME ADDITION TO THE MANE HERD

Ledger, donated by the **Auburn Equestrian Team**, came to MANE in August of this year and quickly adapted to his new role as a therapeutic equine. Ledger is a tall, dark and handsome Quarter Horse that enjoys working alongside his fellow Auburn friends Chuck, Wyatt and Fred. This lovable gelding has a goofy yet willing personality that will bring smiles to the faces of MANE’s students, staff and volunteers for years to come!



LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS LEND A HELPING HAND

Team members from **Goodwyn, Mills, and Cawood, LLC**, as well as students and staff from **Faulkner University** and **Trinity Presbyterian School**, dedicated a day of service to MANE during the month of November. MANE is grateful for the generosity and service provided by these organizations!



RIVER REGION UNITED WAY

Thank you, River Region United Way, for awarding MANE with essential scholarship and outreach funding!



THANK YOU, FARMER'S FEED & AL PERFORMANCE HORSE SERVICES!

MANE extends a huge “Thanks” to Farmers Feed of Montgomery for generously donating Nutrena feed, barn supplies and supplements to keep the MANE herd happy, healthy and safe. Dr. April Andrews with AL Performance Horse Services is able to keep the herd on their (sound!) toes.





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