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A WARM WELCOME

Welcome to our first fully-digital newsletter, now called "Eye2Eye." And you can see what we mean by that...the horse-eye seeing deeply into the human eye and heart. That is what we are all about at Triple H Equitherapy... using the horse-human connection to heal.



And what do we mean by "fully-digital?" By that we mean we are producing the newsletter in a way such that it can be printed and mailed to you just like always. But we can also, at the touch of a button, produce the newsletter in a computerized form so it can be emailed to you.

YOU have full control over the method by which it is sent to you. IF we have your email address, we are sending this issue to you by email. If we don't have an email for you we have mailed it to you. But please keep in mind, mailing through US Mail costs dramatically more than emailing. So after receiving this issue by US Mail, if you are willing to try your next issue (April) by email, please send us your email address to bill@triple-h.org.) This is one great way you can help us save money!

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Jeannie B



Jeannie B & Charlie Horse

Everybody in the Hill Country calls her Jeannie B. Not only because her last name is so hard to figure out...but also because everybody feels like she's a friend and a

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fixture. She's a horsewoman par excellence, an unashamed cowgirl and after 25 years, she knows the trails of most of the area Dude Ranches, but more importantly, she knows the Hill Country State Natural Area and its trails better than most. She tells me (teaches me is more like it...) Texas is different from most trailriding states in that most of its land is "owned" and trailriding is limited. So the wonderful and precious Hill Country State Natural Area and its miles of trails is completely unique. Jeannie B. is the go-to trail boss for the Hill Country because she is so knowledgeable but also just so darn CLOSE to the Natural Area.

Jeannie B. is part of the Cowboy Trail Riders Association sanctioned by the San Antonio Rodeo. She tells of meeting the Harbaugh's soon after they moved here and she immediately became devoted to them and the mission of Triple H. Equitherapy. She waxes nostalgic of a trail ride two decades ago when a huge group did a long trail ride that started, she recalls, at Twin Elm, then to Tarpley, then back to overnight at Triple H, then on to the San Antonio Rodeo. To this day, she remembers fondly the campfire sing at Triple H.

Oh, and if you're curious, that last name is Beauxbeannes, pronounced Bo-beans.

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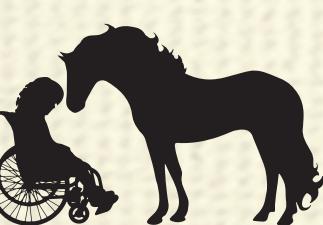
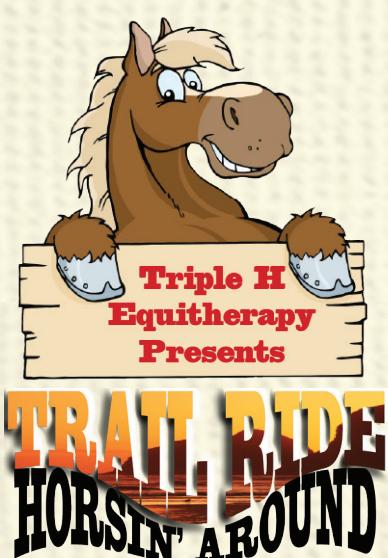
Kathy Harbaugh

Kathy traveled with her husband Kent, through many countries and many military assignments. One of her most memorable



Kathy & Her beloved horse Van

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assignments was memorable mainly because their military base was surrounded by horse country, and a dedicated horseman who was convinced horses were wonderful therapists to children with mental and physical challenges. Kent told Kathy to check it out. She did and she was hooked. She was so hooked, she got a Special Education degree so she could work the same magic with challenged kids and adults in America.

The couple first settled in Alabama where Kathy started her first equine therapy endeavor. They next settled in Pipe Creek and started Triple H Equitherapy Center 22 years ago.

Kathy is still actively involved with Triple H and serves as the Center's Equitherapy Director. Kathy and Kent have

hosted many long trail rides at Triple H. Seventeen years ago, in need of a fundraiser, Kathy was inspired by area trail rides and trail riders such as Jeanne B, and started Triple H's own Trail ride and Mounted Scavenger Hunt. It was conceived and executed as a "gentle and fun version for both the horses and riders, rather than a taxing and challenging trail ride. The ride traverses only a small portion of the beautiful 200 acre Triple H property, pictured below.

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Patricia Moore

Patricia Moore of the Bandera Convention and Visitor's Bureau knows more than most about Hill Country trail rides. And she has probably hooked up more

tourists and trail riders with "the perfect trail ride" than anyone else. So she may not be a trail guide but she is a trail concierge. As a loyal Hill Country travel professional she quickly gets to know the experience level of the visitors she's talking with. She knows what level of difficulty they can handle,

Patricia knows if visitors are, for example, lifetime seasoned horse riders and would love a long ride in the Hill Country State Natural Area with Jeanne B, or if they are beginners and would prefer one of the area's "City Slicker Rides."

Patricia knows and loves the work done by Triple H. She knows the Triple H Trail Ride is way more fun than challenging and that it's ideal for all ages and ability levels!

Triple H Equitherapy 17th Annual "Horsin' Around" & Mounted Scavenger Hunt

Saturday April 29, 8am to 4 pm



"Daisy In The Bluebonnets®"-- A dramatic digital photo of Triple H's gorgeous horse Daisy running through some early season bluebonnets on the beautiful Triple H Hill Country property. The photo is slightly enhanced with an "Oil Painting" filter applied using Adobe Photoshop™.

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