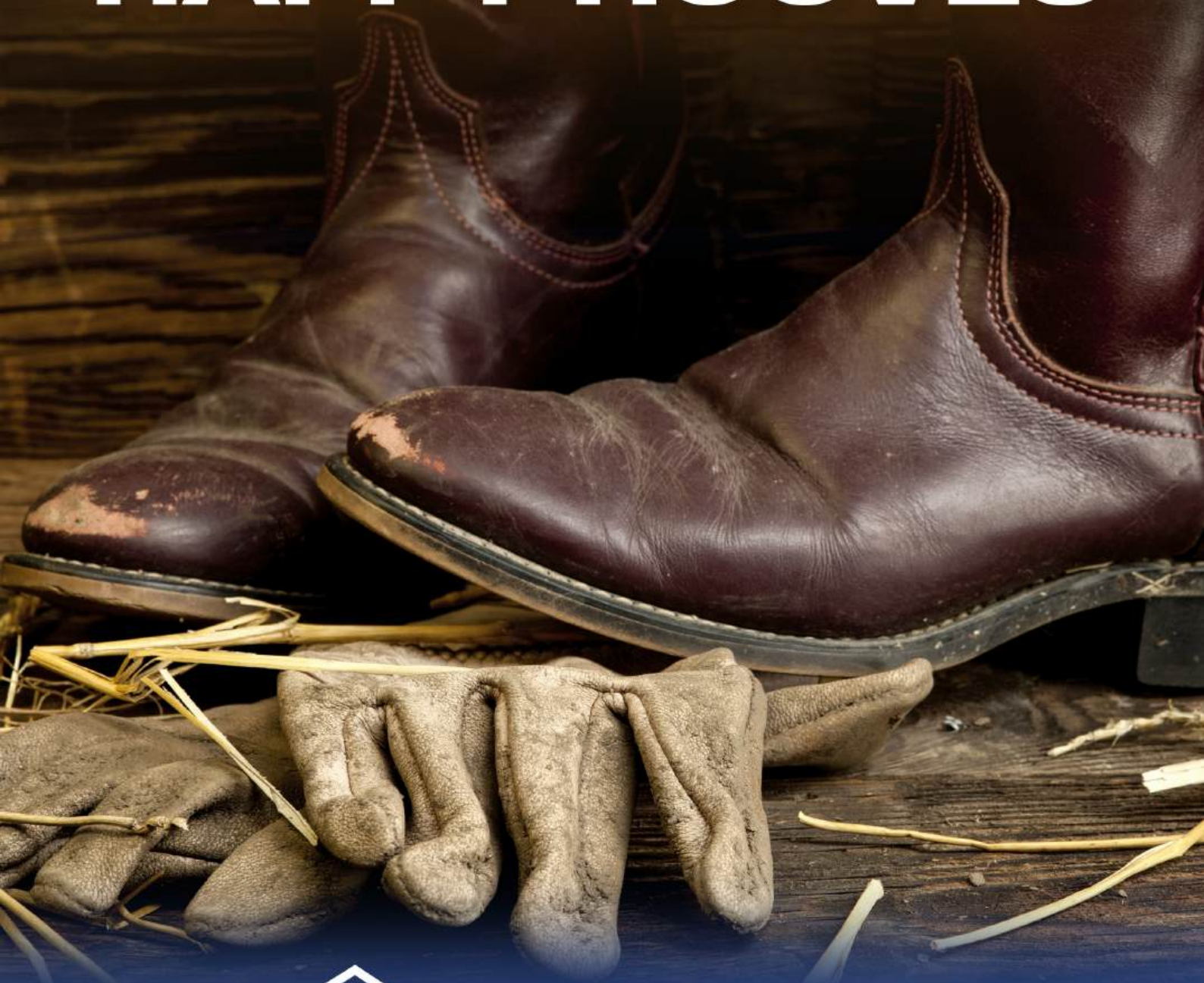


HARD WORK & HAPPY HOOVES



HENRY'S HOME
HORSE & HUMAN SANCTUARY

Labor Day Activity Book

Welcome to Henry's Home!

Every Helping Hand Makes a Difference

Labor Day is a time to celebrate the people whose hard work, dedication, and service help make our communities stronger.

At **Henry's Home Horse & Human Sanctuary**, there are many ways people work together to care for our horses, maintain the ranch, support our programs, and serve **Veterans, Retired First Responders, and their families.**

From feeding horses and filling water troughs to maintaining fences, welcoming guests, and volunteering at events, **every job matters!**



My Helping Hands

Write or draw 3 ways you can lend a helping hand at home, at school, at work, or in your community.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____



Think About It

Someone whose hard work I appreciate is:

I appreciate them because:



Henry's Home Reminder:

Great things happen when people work together!

RANCH CHORE WORD SEARCH

Can You Find the Helping Words?

Every day at the ranch takes teamwork! Find these 12 words hidden in the puzzle.

**HORSE • RANCH • SERVE • FEED • WATER • GROOM • TEAM • CARE •
FENCE • VOLUNTEER • WORK • HERO**

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C	A	R	E	O	O	F	E	N	C	E	M
T	E	A	M	M	M	H	E	R	O	P	S
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Bonus Challenge

Circle the words that describe something a volunteer might do at the ranch.

Then finish this sentence:

Teamwork is important because...

RANCH CHORE CHALLENGE!

Match the Job to Why It Matters

Draw a line from each ranch job to the reason it is important.

RANCH JOB

WHY IT MATTERS

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|------------------------------|--|
| 1. Refill water troughs | A. Keeps ranch spaces tidy and welcoming |
| 2. Muck stalls and paddocks | B. Helps horses stay comfortable and cared for |
| 3. Groom a horse | C. Makes sure horses have fresh water |
| 4. Clear branches and leaves | D. Helps keep the ranch safe and accessible |
| 5. Welcome visitors | E. Helps guests feel included and appreciated |

Your Turn!

If you could help with one ranch job, which would you choose?

Why?

Labor Day Challenge

Think of a job that may not always get noticed but is very important.

The job: _____

Why it deserves appreciation: _____

MISSION: RANCH TEAMWORK!

What Would You Do?

A great ranch community depends on communication, responsibility, kindness, and teamwork.

Read each situation and circle the best answer.

1. You notice a water trough needs attention. What should you do?

- A. Ignore it
- B. Tell the appropriate ranch team member
- C. Wait for someone else to notice

2. A new volunteer seems unsure where to go. What could you do?

- A. Welcome them and help them find the right person
- B. Walk away
- C. Tell them to figure it out

3. Your team has a big ranch project to finish. What will help most?

- A. Everyone doing whatever they want
- B. One person doing everything
- C. Communicating and working together

4. Someone finishes a difficult job at the ranch. What could you say?

- A. "That was your job."
- B. "Thank you for your hard work!"
- C. Nothing

Create Your Ranch Team Motto

Complete the sentence:

At Henry's Home, teamwork means...

Then create a short team motto:

A SALUTE TO SERVICE

Thank You to Those Who Serve

Labor Day celebrates the contributions of workers throughout our country. At Henry's Home, we are also proud to recognize the Veterans and Retired First Responders whose lives reflect extraordinary service, dedication, and sacrifice.

Write a Thank-You Note

Complete this message for a Veteran, Retired First Responder, volunteer, ranch team member, or hardworking person in your life.

Dear _____

Thank you for _____

I appreciate the way you _____

Your hard work makes a difference because _____

With gratitude,

Words of Appreciation

Circle the words that remind you of someone who serves others:

**COURAGE • KINDNESS • SERVICE • TEAMWORK • DEDICATION • COMPASSION •
LEADERSHIP • RESPECT**

Add one of your own:

DESIGN YOUR DREAM RANCH VOLUNTEER DAY!

Thank You to Those Who Serve

Imagine you are planning a volunteer day at Henry's Home.
What would your team accomplish?.

Morning Mission

Choose 3 jobs for your volunteer team:

- Help with ranch beautification
- Clean and refill water troughs
- Help tidy ranch spaces
- Rake leaves and clear branches
- Assist with an approved ranch maintenance project
- Welcome and support guests
- Help prepare for a Henry's Home event

Build Your Team

Our team name: _____

Our team motto: _____

The job I would choose: _____

Design Your Volunteer Shirt

Draw your team's Labor Day volunteer T-shirt in the space below.

FRONT OF SHIRT

My Labor Day Pledge

Complete your activity book by making a pledge:

This Labor Day, I will show appreciation for hardworking people by...

Happy Labor Day from Henry's Home!

Celebrating the helping hands, hardworking hearts, and spirit of service that make our community stronger.