

## HorseChannel Newswire

**Thoroughbred owners and trainers donate money to help rescued horses; Veterinarians volunteer to improve horse rescue facilities; Donkeys help Marines in Afghanistan**

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### Equestrian Sport

**USEF Names Drivers and Horses for 2009 World Driving Championships**

The USEF has named the following Drivers and Horses to represent the United States at the 2009 World Driving Championships. From USEF.org. [Read more >>](#)

### Equine Welfare

**New York horsemen donate to equine welfare efforts**

The New York Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association donated \$10,000 to the Columbia-Greene Humane Society/Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals International in Hudson, New York. From Thoroughbred Times. [Read more >>](#)

**AVMA convention attendees to help refurbish equine shelter**

Many veterinarians attending the 2009 American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA) convention will volunteer some time to make repairs and cosmetic improvements to a nearby equine shelter. From DVM360. [Read more >>](#)

**Industry Groups Announce Pledges to Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation**

The New York Racing Association (NYRA) and many members of the Jockeys' Guild who ride at its three racetracks, along with the New York Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (NYTHA) and The Jockey Club, have jointly pledged more than \$100,000 in financial support in 2009 to the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation. From The Jockey Club. [Read more >>](#)

### In Other News

**Marines' beasts of burden are again leading the pack**

With 75 pounds of military gear cinched on her furry back, Annie was stubborn the whole way. [Read more >>](#)

**Helmet law protects kids**

Some cowboys wear Stetsons when they ride, but Kevin Hemming straps on a helmet. From Nassau County Record. [Read more >>](#)

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