



BLUE HORSE CHARITIES

Grant Application Procedure

Thank you for your interest in Blue Horse Charities. Blue Horse Charities was formed in 2001 to assist organizations that provide Thoroughbred racehorse retraining and adoption. Blue Horse is financed in equal parts by buyers, consignors and Fasig-Tipton. Applications for grants will be reviewed by Thoroughbred Charities of America (TCA), the managing agent for Blue Horse Charities and the charitable arm of the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA).

To apply for a grant with Blue Horse Charities please review the following application procedure:

1- Complete the **Thoroughbred Charities of America (TCA)** grant application. The application can be found at www.tca.org. All supplemental information including vet reports, financial data, adoption contracts, adoption records – all information requested in the TCA grant application – must be submitted to be considered for a Blue Horse Charities grant.

2- Complete the Blue Horse Charities grant application below.

3- Submit **both** the TCA and Blue Horse Charities applications and all supplemental information as specified in the TCA application by March 15, 2012 to:

Erin Crady
Executive Director
Thoroughbred Charities of America
Managing Agent, Blue Horse Charities
P.O. Box 910668
Lexington, KY 40591

Please note, Blue Horse Charities only grants funds to organizations that work to rehabilitate, retrain and adopt out Thoroughbred ex-racehorses. Please do not apply for a grant from Blue Horse Charities if you are a sanctuary only organization.

Please remember:

- **Handwritten applications will not be accepted.**
- **Applications must be postmarked by March 15, 2012.**

All applications will be reviewed and considered at our Board of Directors meeting in May/June of each year. To be eligible for a grant both applications must be approved by the Thoroughbred Charities of America grants committee. For all approved applications, grants will be distributed in July 2012.

Thank you for your work on behalf of Thoroughbred racehorses.



BLUE HORSE CHARITIES 2012 GRANT APPLICATION

Please complete all of the fields below. Print and mail this application and the TCA grant application in one envelope.

Name of 501 (c) (3) Organization: _____

Year Established: _____

Name of Executive Director: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State and Zip Code: _____

Farm/Facility Name: _____

Street Address (if different from mailing address): _____

City, State and Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Website Address: _____

Do you restrict your adoptions to a certain geographic area? _____

Where do your Thoroughbreds come from? _____

What is the proposed use of the grant you are requesting from Blue Horse Charities? _____

If you received a grant from Blue Horse Charities in 2011, how was the grant utilized? _____

Signature of Grant Writer

Date