



WILD HEARTS THOROUGHBRED ADOPTION SOCIETY
Registered Charity # 70547 9806 RR0001

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RETIRING THOROUGHBRED SUBMISSION FORM

**Please complete form and send to info@wildheartsthoroughbredadoption.com or text to 250-293-6193. You will receive confirmation of receipt within 24hrs, and upon approval horse pick up can be arranged. If you do not, please text 250-293-6193.*

Rules of Entry

- Horses must be Thoroughbreds that have raced or trained in British Columbia, Alberta or WA.
- The American Association of Equine Practitioners' "Transitioning the Retired Racehorse: Guidelines for Equine Practitioners, Adoption Organizations and Horse Owners" will be followed by Wild Hearts board members and volunteers involved with intake assessment and decision-making. The guidelines are viewable at the following link:
<http://www.aaep.org/images/files/TransitioningGuidelinesFinalFebruary2011.pdf>
- WH Thoroughbred Adoption Society will provide pick up (arrangements to be made following approval) for approved horses and horses will be brought directly to Wild Hearts Ranch where they will begin rehabilitation (where necessary), and retraining on the ground and under saddle until such time an approved adoptive home becomes available, and the horse is placed. Ongoing follow-up is also done to ensure horses are in good condition and care.
- Horses that have been away from the track for more than TWO years are not eligible.
- We do not currently offer 'Sanctuary' so horses retiring with a 'pasture sound only' prognosis are not eligible at this time (though we are working towards obtaining the facility and funding to support this in the future!)
- Stallions must be gelded.

Donated Horse Information

Horse's Name _____

Registration Number _____

Year of Birth _____

Sex _____ **Height** _____ **Color** _____

Dam _____ **Sire** _____

Date Last Raced _____ **Starts** _____

Reason for Retirement

Trainer Barn _____

Owner(s) _____

Papers* Yes or No

Race Record Yes or No

Photos Yes or No

** If papers are not available, please give reason.* _____

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Wild Hearts Thoroughbred Adoption Society Horse Intake

Donated Horse Evaluation

Physical Condition

Injuries

Date(s) of Operation(s) if applicable

Vaccinations

Flu/EV Yes or No **Date** _____ **Tetanus Yes or No** **Date** _____
Rabies Yes or No **Date** _____ **West Nile Yes or No** **Date** _____
Strangles Yes or No **Date** _____ **Other** _____ **Date** _____

Temperament _____

Cribber Yes or No

Weaver Yes or No

Stall Walker Yes or No

Other _____

Veterinarian Information

Name _____

Telephone _____ - _____ - _____

Permission to Contact _____

**Wild Hearts reserves the right to request vet checks, x-rays, ultrasounds or other relevant information.*

Financial Assistance

Horses retiring without known limitations can be donated *without* donation made (though always appreciated as adoption fees don't come close to covering costs!). **Horses retiring with known injuries, requiring rehabilitation and/or who will retire with limitations** in their second career require a minimum \$500 donation as these horses require lengthier stays and resources. Horses must be able to be rehabbed to a minimum of 'rideable/flatwork only'. We do not offer sanctuary at this time (though it's part of our long term goal!) so we are unable to accept 'pasture sound only', which is what this category of horse often requires as they do not receive interest from adopters).

Owner/trainer may arrange delivery of horse (following board approval) at their own expense, or, Wild Hearts can arrange pickup from track or nearby facility (\$300 pickup fee required).

Payment can be sent via cheque to Wild Hearts (mailing address: Box 348, Princeton, BC V0X 1W0) OR via e-transfer to info@wildheartsthoroughbredadoption.com. Payment must be received before pickup.

Signature _____ Name _____ Date _____