



# November 2016

## Ivey Ranch Park Association

### Thanksgiving

There are so many wonderful people in our community who keep us going. We'd like to take some time to say thank you for all you do!

- Thank you to Danny and the staff of Manheim San Diego who not only helped us by our truck but have serviced it for free for the past 5 years!
- Thank you to Scott Smith of Rowan Electric for 12 years of dedicated effort, time, and patience.
- Thank you to Chris Roman who built out our original tack and feed sheds 13 years ago and who is now back to help us with the new tack and feed rooms.
- Jerry Perault at El Corazon - and Frank our reliable truck driver - who have kept our horses in soft sand in the stalls and arenas since 2003.

### WishLists

We've updated our wishlists. Please click below to visit our Amazon Wishlists:

[Childcare Wish List](#)

[Equestrian Wish List](#)

*These 'wishlist' items may be purchased online through Amazon as a donation and delivered directly to the Ranch!*

*Amazon gives back  
Are you shopping for deals on Amazon? Use AmazonSmile instead. Same great site, same great deals, but Amazon donates a portion of your purchase price to Ivey Ranch Park!*

Thank you for your support!

### We raised the money, so we raised the roof



Our New Tack Room is almost complete!  
We couldn't have done it without your generous donations!

We collect old print toners and print cartridges. Bring your donations to either the barn office or daycare.

Combined Federal Campaign (CFC)

Ivey Ranch Park Association is listed as a

# Construction has been completed on our brand new buildings!

We'll be able to store enough hay to feed the horses and bunnies for a full winter!

Thank you to FCP, Inc. along with Stuart and his awesome construction crew who got this done in record time. Thank you to the wonderful Rhynard Family Foundation and County of San Diego who donated so generously.



charity with the CFC. You can have Ivey Ranch listed as a recipient of funds through your employer.

The Ivey Ranch CFC number is:  
**38605**

For more information, you can visit the CFC website at:

[www.opm.gov/combined-federal-campaign/](http://www.opm.gov/combined-federal-campaign/)

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## In honor of Veteran's Day! Thank you to our Vets and the Rhynard Family Foundation who enable us to serve them!

Veterans and active duty military make up a huge part of our community. We are honored to provide Equine Assisted Activities and Therapy to our heroes, at no cost to them.

## #GivingTuesday

Tuesday, November 29, 2016

[Givingtuesday.org](http://Givingtuesday.org) is an organization that mobilizes the masses. They are using social media to connect people with local non-profits. Their goal on 11/29/16, is to get people around the world to focus attention, time, and money on the brilliant work that non-profit organizations like Ivey Ranch are doing every

day. We are excited to participate! You can visit

[GivingTuesday.org](http://GivingTuesday.org) for more information.

Your support and the support of your friends and family on Giving Tuesday, means we get to keep helping people. Your support means veterinary care for our horse family, lots of hay, and much needed horse shoes. Your support means helmets and boots for those who otherwise can't afford it. Your support means prices that make horsemanship a reachable goal for everybody. Your support means we can continue to bring together disabled and able-bodied alike. It means we can continue educating, building, and healing our community, one ride at a time. Our goal is to keep going and keep growing! We want to serve more veterans. We want to provide therapy to more riders. We want to teach more people about the wonderful bond between horse and human. We want to continue to provide industry changing after-school care for our kids with special needs. Help us continue to make a difference in the lives of others.

Please share with your friends and help us make Giving Tuesday a success.

[Donate here](#)

## How else can you help?

Use the hashtag!

Use the power of social media! Tag your friends and family online. Encourage them to donate time or funds or whatever they can. Link the Ivey Ranch Facebook page or [website](#). Use the power of your voice to create momentum.

Shop

Are you shopping online? Visit our [site](#) first and see which retailers are giving back to Ivey! It doesn't cost you anything and we get some much needed support.

Amazon

Most of us will make a purchase through Amazon during the holiday season. Please login through [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) instead! Same site, same login, same account; the difference is that Amazon donates a portion to

Ivey Ranch!

Thank you for all you do!

## The Halloween Horse Show was a huge success!



Congratulations to our contest winners:

Nanami Yamashita and Olivia Burke - Best Effort

Gracie Guoan and Malia Hirsch - Best Horse/Rider Combo

Sophia Reyes- Best Character

Mylee Montanez - Most Creative

Marci Francis - Most Unique

Congratulations to all our riders - we were awed by your creativity!

Thank you to the volunteers who made this all possible.



From the awesome boys handling the parking to the ladies getting our costumed riders up on their horses. We love you and appreciate all you do for us!

Thank you to Shelly Romo for her amazing event photos! She was kind enough to share with us on Flickr. Check them out!

[Halloween Horse Show photos](#)

## Ivey Kids Korner

### Playdough with a punch

The great kids at Ivey Ranch After School program enjoy activities that stimulate their minds and allow them to integrate multiple senses. This month the kids made playdough. The kids loved squishing, rolling, and sculpting their creations. The great thing about making their own playdough is the kids learn to work together while mixing the ingredient, picking a paint color to add color to the dough, as well as choosing a spice to add a fun scent. Playdough is a great sensory outlet because it allows kids to use their imagination as well as strengthening their fine motor skills.

Playdough also has therapeutic benefits for children who are stimulation seeking. "It was amazing to see their faces when they mixed the ingredients and created the dough. It was a sense of accomplishment! The benefit of making playdough at home is that you can control the amount made, the color, and the scent making it unique." - Sam- Teacher at Ivey Ranch.



### What to try it?

2 cups of plain (all purpose) flour

1 cup of salt

2 tablespoons of cream of tartar

2 tablespoons of vegetable oil.

\*\*\* A few drops of paint

\*\*\* Add a little bit of any type of spice for a fun scent; e.g.- cinnamon, nutmeg, all spice..etc

Mix all ingredients in a large bowl. Add more flour as needed to get desired texture.

## Know the Dates!

Nov 21-27	Therapy program and it's volunteers on break
Nov 24-25	No ABHR
Dec 7	Staff & Volunteer Holiday party - After-school program closes at 5:30PM
Dec 16	Last day of therapy riding in Session 6
Dec 21	Children's Christmas Party Sponsored by ReviewBuzz
January 7, 2017	Volunteer Orientation: 1-2:30PM