

Hestóvin Hoofbeats

WE BELIEVE IN THE POWER OF THE HORSE TO TEACH, INSPIRE AND HEAL

Upcoming Events

Volunteer Orientation

February 10, 2023
3:30pm - 5:00pm

Horse-in-tine's Day Party

February 18, 2023
10:30 am - 12:00pm

Volunteer Spotlight Pat Cole

Pat attended our first volunteer orientation in November, 2022 and has been a weekly volunteer at the barn ever since! Pat is an inspiration and brings much joy to Hestóvin Stables. Pat loves talking to the horses as she works and they give her an earful back!

“Having been involved in an equine therapy program in Tennessee, I was thrilled to find the newly opened Hestóvin Stables when we moved to Grand Rapids. I love this stable! I get my “horse fix“ and at the same time, being a volunteer gives me the opportunity to be a part of a wonderful group of people whose goal is to positively impact the lives of children and adults with special needs. Being around the healing powers of the horses is amazing. I love the serenity of the beautiful stable and grounds, the dedicated staff, and the lovely Icelandic horses. The few hours I spend at Hestóvin are so rewarding on so many levels.”



January started and ended with the type of weather our Icelandic horses love; lots of snow! Sandwiched in between the snow was a long January thaw.

We hosted a luminous event for the brave and adventurous. As expected, it was chilly but we stayed warm as the Glowing-in-the-Dark Winter Hike took us on a 1-mile trail through our property. What a great way to start the new year with an invigorating hike, twinkling stars, hot cocoa, flashlights, and an LED lit-up trail!

We also held our first of three Meet-the-Horses class through the Forest Hills Community Enrichment Program.

We LOVE sharing our horses and our property!