

# The United Horsemen's Association

## Who are the United Horsemen's Association?

The United Horsemen's Association is a western riding organization.



## What is their Mission?

The Mission of the UHA is:

1. To fellowship with horse owners and enthusiasts for civic and social activities to build stronger communities;
2. To positively influence the lives of youth by fostering their interest in horses and equestrian activities and the avoidance of alcohol and drugs; &
3. To raise awareness to the contributions in horsemanship made by people of diverse cultures.

## Annual Events

### January:

### February:

President's Day Parade, Alexandria VA  
Buffalo Riders Parade Honoring the Buffalo Soldiers, Portsmouth VA

### March:

St Patrick's Day Parade, Alexandria VA

### April:

Dogwood Parade, Charlottesville VA  
Friends of the Mounted Police Urban Trailride, Richmond VA

### May:

Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, Winchester VA

### June:

### July:

Independence Day Parade, Washington DC

### August:

### September:

Bill Pickett Rodeo, Upper Marlboro MD

### October:

Stafford County Fair, Stafford VA

### November:

Artillery Ridge Campground, Gettysburg PA  
Urban Trailride, Fredericksburg VA

### December:

Christmas Parade, Fredericksburg VA

## History

In November of 1984, two men by the names of Joe Hudson and Walt Jenkins were invited to participate in one of the many trailrides in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. After a weekend of great fun and adventure, Joe and Walt decided to carve out plans for coordinating a trailride of their own. Under their direction, in May, 1985 twelve distinguished riders participated in a weekend trailride.



Because the event was such an exhilarating experience of true brotherhood, sisterhood, and horsemanship, it served as the ultimate inspiration for a new organization; an organization where true horsemen & women can come together as brothers and sisters to share the love of horses, to enjoy the adventures of riding, and to foster and promote equestrian activities throughout the Washington D.C, Maryland, and Virginia areas.

**Thus the United Horsemen's Association was born.**

## How can I get actively involved with the United Horsemen's Association?

- Become a Member
- Attend UHA Events
- Contribute Financially to the UHA



**YES!** Please include me on the Friends of The United Horsemen's Association email distribution list for notification of upcoming events.

**YES!** I want to help ensure the future of young cowboys and cowgirls in the Washington DC metropolitan area.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my gift of

\_\_\_ \$25 \_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_ \$500  
\_\_\_ other

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