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## ABOUT THE NATIONAL CUTTING HORSE ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION

The NCHA Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, which has served as the charitable arm of the National Cutting Horse Association since 1982. The foundation directly supports the NCHA and the cutting horse community through its endeavors to educate our youth, protect the horse, preserve our past and secure our future. The Foundation accomplishes this through its many programs including: youth and scholarships, animal welfare, historical preservation and promotion of the sport of cutting.

To date, through hard work, financial support and the selfless service of countless cutters; the NCHA Foundation has provided over \$3 million in scholarships to more than 1,000 youth members involved with the sport of cutting. The Foundation has also proudly supported cutters with financial assistance in times of crisis.

### Current Endeavors:

- Funding educational lectures, clinics and research
- Creating \$130,000 in new youth scholarship opportunities
- Unveiling a life-sized bronze by Western Artist, Kelly Graham – *Buster Welch & King Ranch's Little Peppy*
- Digital preservation of more than 75 years of cutting history

### How to support the foundation:

- **Leave a Legacy** – Name an endowed gift after an individual, a horse or yourself.
- **Support Youth & Education** – Extend the gift of knowledge through scholarships, grants, and awards to the next generation of leaders in the cutting industry.
- **Advance Animal Welfare Research** – Help develop facilities and programs at universities and research laboratories to pursue advancements and discoveries that contribute to the overall health, longevity, and vitality of cutting horses and cattle.
- **Spread the Word** – Promote awareness of and interest in cutting horses through outreach programs, demonstrations, clinics, youth leadership development and more.
- **Preserve the Past** – Help preserve the history of the great sport of Cutting by supporting archival and educational outreach efforts.
- **Secure the Future** – Make a contribution of unrestricted funds to ensure that the NCHA Foundation has the resources it needs to meet unforeseen challenges and opportunities.

For more information on the National Cutting Horse Association Foundation, please visit [www.nchafoundation.org](http://www.nchafoundation.org).