

Hope In The Valley night at the Thunder hockey game March 14

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Hope In The Valley Equine Rescue & Sanctuary and the Wichita Thunder hockey team have teamed up to make Wednesday, Mar. 14 a fund raising night for the rescue. Mention Hope In The Valley when you call to purchase blue or yellow seat tickets. Call Abby at 264-GOAL (4625) to reserve your seats.

You can also download and mail or [take the flyer to the ticket office](#) and you get \$5 off blue or yellow seats. Hope In The Valley will receive \$5 for each blue seat sold and \$3 for each yellow seat sold. You can also email the completed flyer with your order to: AReady@wichtathunder.com.

The Thunder will face Rapid City with game time at 7:05 pm. Hope In The Valley will have a table on the concourse to answer questions and show off photos of the [29 adoptable equines](#) residing at the sanctuary. You can pick up or fill out an adoption application at the booth as well.

Horses, ponies and donkeys [can find themselves at the rescue](#) through owner surrender, whether financial, due to an out of state move, or health reasons. Hope In The Valley also works with Sedgwick County when animals are seized due to cruelty or neglect.

That's how Kibby, shown in the photo, arrived at the rescue along with a group of six horses seized from their owner due to neglect. One mare in the group was in such bad condition that she had to be euthanized upon arrival in December of 2010. Kibby was severely underweight for her large 16.1 hands of Thoroughbred size and grace. She is rideable, though typical of a Thoroughbred, could use some "brushing up" under saddle. She has been brought to and is maintaining a healthy weight and waiting for her forever home.

From a miniature to a donkey to various saddle and stock type horses, Hope In The Valley has 29 equines waiting for homes. The horses can be viewed by appointment at the rescue which is located at 9025 N. Broadway. Call 316-755-2826 to make arrangements to visit or email info@hitveras.org.



Kibby is one of the adoptable horses at Hope In The Valley that will benefit from ticket sales for the Wichita Thunder game on March 14.
Credits: Hope In The Valley Equine Rescue and Sanctuary



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