

June 2020

The Mane Stream eCurrent

Unbridled Possibilities for Children & Adults with Special Needs



CURRENT HAPPENINGS

Reopening Statement



June 8th - Phase 1 We are so happy to be able to welcome our community back to the farm, but we are reopening slowly and in phases. Using federal, state and local guidelines and recommendations, we have created procedures and cleaning protocols to make sure that everyone is safe when they visit the farm. Please watch the Executive Director's brief [VIDEO](#) statement and then follow the below link to read more.

[Reopening Video & Documents >](#)

Camp Director Update

Thumbs Up for Summer Camp! We are dreaming about summer camp season as much as anyone, and have spent the past several weeks working on a variety of different plans for the summer.

In accordance with Governor Murphy's recent statement, we are planning to start camp on Monday, July 6. We are waiting for more guidance from the state and changes to camp will most likely include a revised schedule, different activities, and a reduced number of campers and volunteers allowed each week.



Adaptive Riding Update

Spring Training for the Horses After several weeks on #coronacation it was time for the Adaptive Riding horses to get back on track with #coronaworkouts. During the month of May, Mane Stream instructors, Jen and Jane put the horses through their paces to get them ready for the "Season Opener" on June 8th.

[Pics/Video/Docs - DON'T MISS OUT >](#)



Telepractice and Therapy Services Update

Grab a dinosaur! Mane Stream has been excited to implement telepractice with some of our speech-language clients over the past couple of weeks. Our Director of Therapy Services, Melanie Dominko-Richards, MS, CCC-SLP, HPCS has been excited to work with clients and get a chance to see and hear what their life looks like at home!

Even though Melanie is treating from her home, the therapy horses seem to still make their way into the session. Whether it's a letter that a client received from their pony...

[Learn what the future holds >](#)

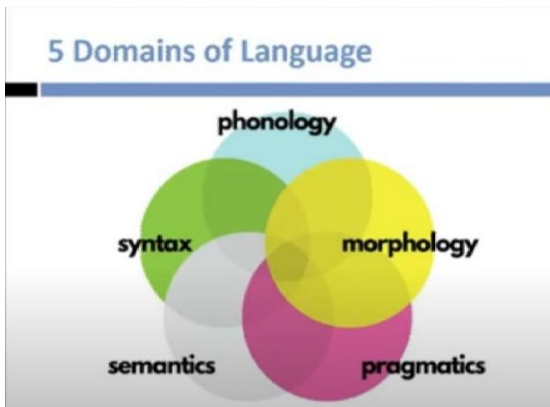


#Hugahorse...or a chicken?!

#givingtuesdaynow a success! We asked you to make a donation and #hugahorse, and you did! Well, that's not actually what happened...

The "Stay at Home" order didn't keep our volunteers, staff and donors from showing their creative side. Throughout the day we received pics on Social Media of people hugging whatever they could lay their hands on (dogs, stuffed animals, llamas, and even a chicken! Yup, leave it to Instructor, Kelly to put a smile on everyone's face with her cute pic of "Big Mama".) What was our goal and who helped to reach it?

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Better Hearing & Speech Month Presentation on YouTube

Don't be frightened by the slide! If you missed the Director of Therapy Services, Melanie Dominko-Richards, MS, CCC-SLP, HPCS live presentation you can now watch it on YouTube. She easily explains how YOU can interact and build positive relationships with our participants.

[Watch it now >](#)

**Please Hold ALL
Shoe and Tack Donations**



Hold on to Your Shoes & Tack!

SOON we'll be able to accept shoes and tack! We aren't quite ready but soon. So please hold on for another couple weeks until we have processes in place to handle deliveries and drop offs.

Keep cleaning out your closets and tack trunks while you are stuck at home!





We've got our rhythm back! Can you help us keep it going?

Riders and therapy clients will be returning to Mane Stream this week as we slowly reopen and get back into our regular rhythm. Your support now ensures that we can continue to provide our important programs throughout the summer.

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