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*Chakota's
mission is to
provide equine-
assisted therapy
to individuals
with disabilities
in order to help
them reach their
fullest physical
and
psychological
potential.*

Dear Friend of Chakota

January 15, 2023

The board and volunteers at Chakota Therapeutic Riding Center are preparing for its annual fundraiser "The Mane Event", a dinner/dance/auction scheduled for March 25th, 2023 at American Legion Post 1026 in Albers Illinois 62215. Proceeds from this event will be used to care for the horses and continue to grow our program (see mission statement below left).

To have a successful fundraiser, we rely on the donation of auction items and monetary gifts from friends and supporters. We are asking you to become one of those supporters! All donations (cash and product) are recognized in the event auction guide. Here are several ways that you can participate:

- Donate items for the auction. This can be anything from gift certificates, product donations, theme-filled baskets, tickets to an event, etc.
- Make a cash donation
- Become a Silver Sponsor of the event with a donation of \$250. Silver Sponsors will receive four tickets to The Mane Event.
- Become a Gold Sponsor of the event with a donation of \$500. Gold Sponsors will receive eight tickets to The Mane Event.

Silver and Gold sponsors are recognized in press releases in local papers, in the printed auction guide, and displayed at the event.

Single tickets to attend The Mane Event can be purchased for \$35 per person (in advance) or \$40 at the door.

Additional information about Chakota is available on the organization's website, www.chakota-trc.org, or on Facebook. Chakota is a registered not for profit 501(c)(3) organization; the EIN is 20-5633245.

If you have any questions regarding this event, or to arrange for pickup of donations or tickets, please call/text Jan at 618-604-6994 or e-mail "treasurer@chakota-trc.org". Donations may also be mailed to: Chakota, 6248 Wesclin Rd, Germantown IL 62245.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Sincerely,

Jan Reinhardt
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Treasurer, Chakota Therapeutic Riding Center, NFP
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