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[Address]

Dear [Donor's Name],

First, let me just say, thank you!

Your recent donation of \$200 means that you understand just how valuable riding a horse can be to a child with cognitive or physical challenges.

But let me tell you what our services at [your organization's name] mean to some of the children who come to our classes.

One little boy with severe cerebral palsy learned how to sit up tall on his horse. His father was so proud and said, with tears in his eyes "If he can do this, what else can he do?"

A young girl who had never said a word suddenly said "go" to her horse.

A child who had trouble walking by himself started doing so after only a few times on a horse.

A young girl was able to speak louder in her classroom because she had become stronger and her respiration better from riding her horse.

Although these victories may seem small to the normal person, you know that they are not. That's why you gave, and that's exactly the reason why the kids we serve and we are full of gratitude for your generosity.

Donors like you help make our therapeutic riding possible, ensure that our horses are well fed, housed, and trained, and guarantee that we can offer scholarships to children and their families who could not, otherwise, afford these life-enhancing activities.

We want you to be an active member of our community too. Please visit our website at [link to your official website] to sign up for our emails and newsletters. And do watch for invitations to our free events and the special tours we offer all year round.

We are volunteer intense and would love for you to experience the joy of helping a child ride a horse. Just indicate your interest at our website or call volunteer coordinator, at [phone number]. Volunteers get to wear some great t-shirts too!

Again, thank you! We love your support.

Best always,  
[Your Name]