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HorseNet Horse Rescue names Michelle Kegel-Sithithavorn as Executive Director

The Board of Directors of HorseNet Horse Rescue announces with pleasure the appointment of Michelle Kegel-Sithithavorn as Executive Director to fill the position created by the resignation of HorseNet's founder Elle Williams.

Elle started HorseNet many years ago to address the need for a rescue that would take in equines from any situation. Her desire to rescue equines began when she got her first horse, Dancer. He was badly abused as a 2 year old having been chased and beaten to the point of exhaustion by several drunken teenagers. As a result, he feared men, and the sight of whips / sticks sent him into a panic. Dancer, despite his past, taught Elle to ride with heart and dedication; He was the inspiration behind HorseNet.

As her horse career progressed, Elle grew more and more disheartened watching people buy and sell horses like used cars; it didn't seem right. Their search for the elusive "perfect" horse meant many were thrown away for minor fixable defects. To Elle, this was a tragedy; it seemed to her that someone needed to act as a safety "Net" for those horses, so "HorseNet" was born.

HorseNet, its board, and volunteers sincerely thank Elle for her many years of dedication and sacrifice being both a voice and an advocate for those horses she loves so dearly. Over the years Elle has created a sanctuary that educates people about proper horse ownership and care; Elle will continue to influence people remaining with HorseNet as an advisor and ambassador.

Michelle will step into Elle's role and carry on HorseNet's mission and philosophy. She brings over 15 years of knowledge in horse care and management, most recently as an Equine Vet Tech for Spurlock Equine Associates and as Director of Development for HorseNet. We welcome Michelle in her new role.

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