

Goshala BJ animal care

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Dear Goshala BJ patrons,

April 2022

Hope this monthly letter finds you all doing well. Here are some updates from San Martin Goshala.

1. Many thanks to your continued donations, Hay and grains were delivered in goshala without any interruptions.



The grain bags have four kinds of grains: barley, oats, milo and corn( all in cracked form).

 <u>The \$10 donation drive</u> coupled with \$25 gift cards on Every.org has generated <u>\$2k</u>. Huge Thanks to all who have joined and started supporting goshala. If you have employers who will match your donations, please submit your donation receipt with following details.

Every.org (EIN: 61-1913297) 58 West Portal Ave <u>#781</u> San Francisco, CA 94127 Include memo: <your Every.org @username> Contact info: Tina Roh, COO Email: team@every.org Phone number: +1 (415) 650-0503 Very Important- Please be sure to <u>send an email to support@every.org</u> (include your Every.org @username) to '<u>route' the matched funds</u> to Goshala BJ animal care.

3. We also received our organizations' very first **stock donation.** Thank you so much to the good samaritan for the kindness. The donation will be applied towards much needed food pantry roof repairs.

<u>4.Featured Fundraiser</u>- Our young volunteer Homika Madoori, age 10 yrs old, has spent quite some afternoons in goshala doing chores and interacting with four legged residents. It's mesmerizing to see the interactions between a 1000 pound animal and a young human! This humble experience of hers has inspired her to do something for these gentle beings. She has started a fundraiser to help Goshala residents. Please share it widely with your friends and family. Link for her fundraiser is posted below.

Help protect cows and farm animals | Every.org

4. Our next **Volunteer event** is on <u>April 30th, 2022</u> Saturday from 3-6 pm. Please sign up on this link <u>https://forms.gle/pHwseKWB3r8ombSKA</u>

5. *Hay food pantry repairs*- The food for the sanctuary residents is currently stored in a ramshackle hut sitting on concrete foundation. The roof leaks from everywhere and is barely holding together. Everytime it rains, all

stored hay and grains get wet and spoiled. The proceeds from the \$10 donation/gift-card drive and stock donations will be used to jump start the repairs of the food pantry.

(Here's a before picture of the pantry that is currently wrapped with heavy duty tarps to provide a temporary fix to save the stored food)



6. Images from Goshala- Rakhi along with her aunt Anu ji, Goshala bJ patrons visited from Texas, and spent a nice afternoon showering the rescued horse Bella! Thank you Rakhi for sending support all the way from Texas! We have many donors spread across the country and we hope to welcome them in Goshala some day!







Thank you so much to all of you for your efforts. Your support means life to these gentle beings  $\blacktriangle$ 

All of the background work is done by the passionate volunteers, we would appreciate it if you can continue to send us your suggestions.

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