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HIGH HOPE NEWSLETTER

....5 months, and counting

It's going to be here before we know it! [High Hope Day, Sunday, May 20th](#). The family activities, the tailgating, the terrier races, the hounds, the horses and the steeplechasing! What could be better to focus on as we wait for the weather to warm up?

Our first volunteer meeting will be on Wednesday, February 22nd at 6pm at the Central Kentucky Riding for Hope facility just past the Secretariat Center in the Horse Park.

Bill Wofford has scheduled a work party for Sunday, February 12th from 1-4 pm at the High Hope Course. We will be building fence and repairing ground. Please bring a shovel. For questions regarding the weather please call Bill at 859 338 7859

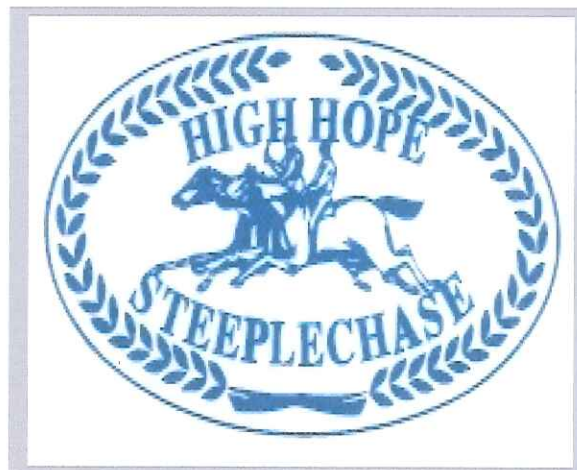
This year we will be holding a race in memory of Bill O'Neill and David Mullins. High Hope is thrilled to continue this tradition. We are fortunate to have a donor who has agreed to match the contributions that we raise for the race.

"My brother Chase and I are thoroughly excited that the David Mullins race will continue again in 2012. Central Kentucky Riding for Hope and the High Hope Steeplechase were two charities that our dad was extremely passionate about, and he would truly be honored that the race continues yearly in his name. Thank you to those who have so kindly donated already, helping to ensure its continuation again in the coming year and supporting charities that have made such a great impact in the lives of so many."

- Thanks,
Dara Mullins

"Exciting news for this year's High Hope races. There is a sponsor that will match all donations made for Bill O'Neill and David Mullins charity race. What an honor to recognize two unique individuals that were so instrumental in the success and promotion of High Hope."

- Arlene O'Neill (aka Bill's wife)



A fantastic horse has been donated to High Hope in order for us to sell and raise money for our charities. He is a 4yo gelding, 15.3, by WhyWhyWhy and has raced over fences. He is quiet and easy to ride. Please let us know if you would be interested in a nice addition to your family.

WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

IF YOU KNOW OF ANY GROUPS THAT WOULD LIKE TO BE INVOLVED IN HIGH HOPE PLEASE INVITE A REPRESENTATIVE TO ONE OF OUR UPCOMING VOLUNTEER MEETINGS!

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Did you know? Current President of High Hope Steeplechase, Mike McCoskey was a concert violinist. It's true!