



Brylynn takes a ride on Cocoa, a 30+ rescue horse, while her father and Nina, director of Horses' Honor, look on

## **Brylynn Selos—one very special little girl.**

At 6 years old, little Brylynn could teach all of us a lesson about kindness, generosity, and giving back to the community. Brylynn recently celebrated her 6<sup>th</sup> birthday and told her parents that instead of getting gifts at her party, she wanted to collect donations for

horse rescue. What a kid! It doesn't get much better than that.

I can easily see a six-year-old wanting a horsey birthday party where she and her friends could ride horses...but no. That's not what Brylynn was about. She wanted to raise money to help rescue horses. Through Facebook, her mom and she were connected to Horses' Honor Rescue and Sanctuary, located in Lincoln, California <http://horseshonor.org/>. Brylynn collected and then donated \$120 to the sanctuary. Later she wanted to go up for a visit—to see the horses that her birthday donation had helped.

So Brylynn, her mom, Jenifer, her dad, Stephen, and brothers Corbin (3) and Andon (8) made a trip to the sanctuary, met up with Nina (founder and director of Horses' Honor), and spent time with the rescue horses.

Horses' Honor is not a turn-around kind of rescue. It is a sanctuary for life—specializing in the neediest of the needy—horses with no advocates—many of them seniors. Wouldn't it be wonderful if more little kids followed Brylynn's lead and helped horse rescues or other worthwhile charities? I sincerely hope that Brylynn's sweet spirit catches on.



Brylynn pets Cocoa while brother Andon (8) gives them a thumbs up.