

# **THE SIXTH ANNUAL GEORGIA STALLION TO GELDING CASTRATION DAY**

## **HOW THIS PROGRAM WORKS**

The Georgia Equine Rescue League, Ltd., (GERL) is proud to sponsor this very important annual event in order to reduce the number of unwanted horses in the State of Georgia. Here's how this program works:

- 1. If you have a stallion that you want to have castrated and you have a trailer or the use of a trailer and can transport, go to the GERL website ([www.gerlltd.org](http://www.gerlltd.org)) and click on the link on the left called "Calendar of Events". You will see the Stallion to Gelding Castration Day listed there.**
- 2. Click on the link to the right labeled "Map of Clinics" and a map of the State of Georgia will appear that reflects the name and number of all of the vets who are participating in the Georgia Stallion to Gelding Castration Day.**
- 3. Select the equine vet that is nearest to you and call them to make an appointment for your horse or horse(s). Please note that a few of the equine vets who are participating have decided to hold their clinic prior to the November 12<sup>th</sup> date. To see which vets are castrating on alternative days select the spreadsheet labeled "Vets Participating". They are highlighted in yellow if they are holding their clinic on a day other than November 12<sup>th</sup>.**
- 4. The cost of the castration will be \$100. Participating equine owners will pay the vet \$50 per stallion at the time of the castration clinic. Each equine vet will invoice GERL for the other \$50 after the clinic is over.**
- 5. A current tetanus is required. If you have already provided your horse with a tetanus shot please bring proof of that with you, along with your current Negative Coggins.**
- 6. If your horse requires vaccines, Coggins, Tetanus or other services it will be your responsibility to pay the vet for them at the time services are rendered.**
- 7. It is NOT necessary for you to fill out the GERL Stallion to Gelding Castration Application (located on the GERL website) for this event. That application is for our regular Stallion to Gelding program where GERL will pay \$75 towards the castration of your horse and the price of the castration is at the sole discretion of the equine vet performing the service. (Usually higher than \$100).**