You are invited to our 7th Annual "Stay at Home" Holiday Party

Hosted by **The Exceller Fund**Saturday, December 16, 2017

THIS YEAR....

Forget about taking a dish to pass;
Go ahead and let out a cheer!
At this party, there is no need for fancy clothes,
We're your excuse to stay home again this year!

INSTEAD...

Use this time to wrap some gifts,
Or maybe untangle those holiday lights!
The horses at The Exceller Fund will be busy, too,
Hoping their Angel Tree wishes all take flight!

Help fulfill the wishes of horses on our Angel Tree!

Pedicure/Farrier \$25

Annual Vaccinations \$50

Winter Blanket \$75

Dental Appointment \$100

Best.Party.Ever! \$

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This year THE EXCELLER FUND Salutes our Guest of Honor

Racing Warrior

Rodriguito

150 Starts - \$171,138

Rodriguito is a warrior in every sense of the word. He retired from his racing career with an incredible 150 starts, and has endured the wrath of not one, but two hurricanes in recent months.

Hurricane Maria, in particular, took a toll on the grounds that housed him and others at the race-track in Puerto Rico. Roofs were ripped from the barns, leaving flooded stalls exposed as uprooted trees and other debris flew through the air.

The clearing of the skies did not bring immediate relief to the horses at the racetrack as few people returned due to the island-wide devastation. There was a severe lack of supplies, including food and water, which had to be strictly rationed.

Rodriguito was surrendered by his former owner in Puerto Rico and secured by Caribbean Thoroughbred Aftercare who had him flown to Florida before he would make his way to The Exceller Fund's facility in Oklahoma.

Despite sustaining an injury to his eye when a rock flew up during a race, Rodriguito continued in his racing career, nearly blind on his left side. This Racing Warrior has an endearing will to please and a temperament in which dreams are made.

The Exceller Fund's newest resident will enjoy some much deserved rest and relaxation. It is our turn to take care of him; he has earned it.



Rodriguito prepares for his journey from Puerto Rico to Florida.