

**Pal-O-Mine Equestrian Named Best Horseback Riding Facility in the
Bethpage Federal Credit Union's *Bethpage Best of LI***

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Pal-O-Mine Equestrian, Inc. (www.pal-o-mine.org, Islandia, NY), a private, not for profit organization providing a comprehensive therapeutic equine program using horses to facilitate growth, learning and healing for children and adults with disabilities, was named the Best Horseback Riding Facility in the Bethpage Federal Credit Union's *Bethpage Best of LI* competition. Pal-O-Mine Equestrian was named the 2022 Winner in this category following the casting of over 1.4 million votes. The organization will be highlighted in the *Official Bethpage Best of LI 2022 Winners Guide* which will be distributed in February at all Bethpage Federal Credit Union locations and other high-traffic distribution points across Long Island.

“We are very proud of this achievement and most importantly of the confidence and support Long Islanders continue to show for Pal-O-Mine,” said CEO and founder Lisa Gatti. “Our equine assisted therapy programs are among the nation’s best and follow the highest standards in equine therapy and learning. Our licensed and certified professionals strive for the best experience for everyone who comes through our farm gates. Pal-O-Mine serves a myriad of populations including children and adults with disabilities, our military and first responders, survivors of trauma, neglect and abuse and those living with mental illness.”

From its 13-acre farm, Pal-O-Mine offers a full suite of therapeutic equine assisted programs including equine assisted learning, equine psychotherapy, military and first responder programs, adaptive riding, and unmounted horsemanship programs, as well as corporate workshops and speech and occupational therapy. The organization has 23 equine instructors (horses) and other livestock and relies on a workforce of full-time and part-time professionals as well as volunteers.