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### **Riding to the Top receives \$10,000 donation from Norway Savings Bank**



*In the photo (L-R): Bob Harmon, President & CEO of Norway Savings Bank; Sarah Bronson, Program Director of RTT; Mr. Baker with rider Ben; Sabrina Garnett, RTT volunteer; Molly Grover, RTT Volunteer; and John Beichman of Executive Director of RTT.*

NORWAY, Maine – Norway Savings Bank is pleased to announce that it recently donated \$10,000 to the Riding to the Top Therapeutic Riding Center in Windham (RTT). The money will be used for operational support of the Equine Assisted Activities and Therapeutic Riding Program at Riding To The Top.

RTT provides therapeutic riding services to children and adults who have physical, cognitive and/or emotional disabilities and has served hundreds of people in the Greater Portland area for the last sixteen years. Riders physically benefit from the rhythmic motion of riding horses, mentally from the concentration and planning involved in lessons, and emotionally from having a relationship with the horses. Riders can come to RTT as individuals or as participants with an agency or group. RTT serves clients from day treatment centers, hospitals, specialized youth programs and many area schools. The organization operates locations at its farm in Windham. RTT is a North American Riding for the Handicapped Association Premier Accredited Center.



"The services at Riding to the Top have positively impacted the lives of many children and adults throughout our community," said Bob Harmon, President and CEO of Norway Savings Bank. "We are very pleased to support such a worthwhile organization this year."

For more information about RTT including, lesson programs, volunteer opportunities and ways to give, visit [www.ridingtothetop.org](http://www.ridingtothetop.org), email [info@ridingtothetop.org](mailto:info@ridingtothetop.org) or call 207-892-6523.

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