

Auggie's Rider Story

For Auggie, weekly sessions at Tauranga RDA have become the highlight of his school week. ❤️

With the calm and patient support of his favourite horse, Questy, and volunteer Derek, Auggie has grown in confidence, independence, and trust. It took four weeks before he felt ready to get on his horse — now he hasn't looked back.

Both home and school have noticed a remarkable change in Auggie. The moment he swings his leg over Questy, he visibly relaxes, becoming calmer, more settled, and ready to engage. In that space, he's able to focus, connect, and thrive.

“Seeing him confidently touching and engaging with Questy has been amazing. We'd promote RDA to any parent — it's been such an important experience for our child.”

Thank you to our incredible horses, volunteers, and supporters who make these moments possible. 🐾

