



Meet The Team Behind Halona Farms

A shared passion for horses as athletes, companions, and partners in therapy is what inspired Marvin Boyd and Dennis Michael Antolik to create Halona Farms. Their vision is to see no horse go hungry, and it birthed a project called Halona Farms earlier this year. The company is responsible for a new and innovative feeding solution for horses, *EquiGreen*, and has developed a state-of-the-art growing facility in Wellington, FL.

Boyd and Antolik formed Halona Farms with the belief that horse owners everywhere should have access to the very best, premium-quality feed. Halona Farms' *EquiGreen* brings the pasture to the stall by providing a comprehensive, healthy feed to horses of all disciplines, ages, and stages in life. To better understand how Halona Farms was created, you must meet the men behind the inspiration.

Who They Are



Dennis Michael Antolik
"The Horseman & Founder"

Dennis has been a horseman from the moment he swung a leg over his first horse, Flicka, at age five. At 14, he opened his first equestrian-inspired enterprise, a trail-riding business called Rent-A-Horse. Two years later, he was operating his own custom hay business. He served as President of a Lexington, KY, based equine performance evaluation consulting firm that was instrumental in helping clients select top Thoroughbreds and win awards including "Owner and Breeder of the Year." More notable successes were having client horses win multiple graded stakes and the Kentucky Derby. Dennis brings a contagious passion for horses through continual support of multiple charities, including equine rescues and therapeutic riding programs.

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Marvin Boyd
"The Dreamer & Founder"

Since 1979, Marvin Boyd has enjoyed a successful business career, with more than 12 years of experience as a Certified Public Accountant and more than 17 years as the COO of a "Top 30" automotive group in the U.S. that boasted more than 1,500 employees and \$720 million in sales. He's also helped to kick-start multiple up-and-coming businesses, from custom home building to internet marketing services. Marvin also brings a passion for horses and a love for our nation's armed forces as the Vice President for the Remount Foundation's board, which uses equine-assisted methods as therapy for active duty, veterans, and their families who struggle to cope with PTSD and TBI. He is also an active Thoroughbred owner, breeder and racing enthusiast.

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John Holland
"The 'Make It Work' Guy"

John brings innovation and impeccable attention to detail to the team in order to ensure the growing systems of Halona Farms operate at the forefront of the industry.

Patrick Golden
"Automation & Controls Genius"

Patrick's technology control system expertise, organization skills, and experience in project management are what he brings to the grow systems of Halona Farms.

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What They Created



EquiGreen, a hydroponically-grown, sprouted barley grass, is now a sought-after comprehensive feeding option for horses. Photo courtesy of Halona Farms

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EquiGreen is a sprouted barley grass that replicates the nutritional value and foraging benefits of pasture grazing, but can be fed anywhere at any time, much like hay but with richer nutritional benefits. It is grown in a 100% clean environment, is nutrient-optimized, and is quickly becoming one of the most sought-after feeds for performance horses as well as companion horses and those suffering from chronic colic or other digestive conditions and sensitivities.

In addition to being loaded with omega 3s, amino acids, and enzymes that promote strong joints and a healthy coat, *EquiGreen* is packed full of vitamins and minerals that can be lacking in traditional dry feed. With high quantities of vitamins A, B1, B12, E, and K, plus calcium, protein, carotene, iron, and organic sodium, sprouted barley grass is, by definition, a superfood (for horses and humans!).

About Halona Farms

Based on a passion for horses and a desire to let no horse go hungry, Halona Farms is located in Wellington, FL, and produces *EquiGreen*, a hydroponically-grown sprouted barley grass. Horseman Dennis Michael Antolik and co-founder Marvin Boyd formed Halona Farms to deliver a modern approach to natural feeding that brings the pasture to the stall through daily deliveries of sprouted barley grass, a comprehensive equine feed with significant health, behavioral, and performance benefits. For more information on Halona Farms, visit HalonaFarms.com.

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