



Buck

The real-life "horse whisperer"

Presented by the Nature Connection Task Force of the Social Justice Council

First Parish Church of Stow & Acton - Wednesday, April 19, 2017 - 7:00 PM



Please join The Nature Connection Task Force of the Social Justice Council for a screening and discussion of the film **Buck** on Wednesday, April 19, 2017, at 7:00 pm at the First Parish Church of Stow & Acton. **Buck** is an award-winning documentary film about horses, leadership and compassion. **Buck** tells the inspiring story of real-life “horse-whisperer” Buck Brannaman, who travels the country transforming horses – and people – with sensitivity, compassion and respect. This 88-minute documentary film uses the animal-human relationship as a metaphor for facing the daily challenges of life. **Buck** has been recognized by Sundance and numerous other film festivals as an exceptional documentary. Directed by Cindy Meehl, 2011; rated PG.

The Nature Connection is a non-profit organization that brings live animals and seasonal natural materials to some of the most vulnerable individuals in our communities: at-risk youth, people with disabilities, and elders including individuals with dementia or Alzheimer's. The Nature Connection is the only non-profit in New England that works to strengthen the well-being of people in need through programs designed to connect individuals with live animals and the natural world. We have delivered therapeutic nature programs to special needs schools, at-risk youth programs, Alzheimer’s care facilities, nursing homes, and day habilitation facilities throughout Greater Boston since 1983. The Nature Connection was honored with the *Climate for Freedom Award* by the Concord-Carlisle Human Rights Council in 2016. Learn more at www.nature-connection.org.

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