

Hannah Knorr  
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I have been around horses all my life. My family barn has 7 horses that I help care for, through daily chores, barn, and horse maintenance, feeding, grooming, and riding. I got my first pony, Chico when I was 3. We had many adventures together including dressage competitions. Since then, I have leased two ponies, Atira and Paris. With these ponies I competed from .6 to .8 jumpers, across Atlantic Canada, with some work in hunter divisions. As of this year, I own an 18-year-old Hanoverian named Rita. With Rita as my partner, my goals are to move up to 0.9 jumpers and 3ft children hunters. I want to be a solid competitor at these levels before moving forward. I ride anywhere from 4-5 times a week at my barn, in clinics, and at lessons. A lot of my horse knowledge has come from Pony Club which I joined from 2016-2022. In Pony club I achieve my D1 rider and stable management level, participated in the regional rally, quiz and tetrathlon. Last year I also pursued my EC Rider levels and have achieved Rider Level 4.