

2013 TOP TEN

YOUTH 13 & UNDER

RIDER	HORSE/OWNER	POINTS
1. Taylor Masson	Sugar Coated Whizen Taylor Masson, Davie, FL	25.5
2. Aubrey Galbraith	Smart Snap Nadine Galbraith, Palm Beach, FL	24.5
3. Jill Pfisthner	Commander Of Chics Joel Pfisthner, Scottsdale, AZ	23
4. Emily Adlof	Chex This Melody Out Emily Adlof, Gainesville, TX	20
5. Sarah Armenta	Custom Twister Kathleen Armenta, Whitesboro, TX	18
6 T. Kate Buchanan	Joses T Chex Kate Buchanan, Scottsdale, AZ	17
6 T. Kaylee Naylor	Genuine Rollback Top Fuel, LLC, Cave Creek, AZ	17
8. Cody Cannon	Chex Out That Pine Cody Cannon, Henrietta, TX	16
9. Aubrey Galbraith	Bright Shiney Chic Nadine Galbraith, Palm Beach, FL	15
10. Ace Zorr	Lady Witha Pistol Jacquelynn Naatjes, Kissimmee, FL	14

YOUTH 14-18

RIDER	HORSE/OWNER	POINTS
1. Kaylan Marks	Tagged My Chic Kaylan Marks, Yorktown, TX	56.5
2. Alexa Rivard	Big Wimpy Step Alexa Rivard, Suwanee, GA	47.5
3. Lindsey Cheek	Just Like A Lena Robyn Cheek, Brunswick, GA	40
4. Alexa Rivard	Spot This One Alexa Rivard, Suwanee, GA	39
5. Kailen Kendall	Hesa Friend O Mine Kailen Kendall, Underwood, IN	31
6. Abby Groves	Solano Bonita Abby Groves, Orlando, FL	27.5
7. Darby Gardner	Tougher Than The Rest Darby Gardner, New Braunfels, TX	24.5
8. Austin Carter	Spectacular Vintage Austin Carter, Chillicothe, OH	22
9. Quinn Connelly	West Coast Snows Quinn Connelly, Las Vegas, NV	20.5
10. Samantha Knight	Wimpys Sugar Daddy Samantha Knight, Adams, TN	20

Youth Leaders: High Five

Meet a few of your 2013 North American Regional Youth Delegates

GET TO KNOW YOUR NRHYA REGIONAL DELEGATES BY LEARNING their five favorite things. You might discover you have something in common—other than Reining, of course. To learn more about your delegates or how to become one yourself, visit nrhya.com. Watch future *Focus on Youth* pages for more delegates.

NORTHEAST REGION

Courtney Clark

17 years old from Winchendon, Massachusetts

1. Winning
2. Babies
3. New Show Shirts
4. Focko (Foxy Lil Catalyst)
5. The beach

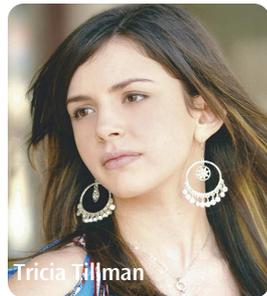


Courtney Clark

Tricia Tillman

13 years old from White Hall, Maryland

1. Riding
2. Chinese food
3. "Twilight"
4. Reading
5. Horses



Tricia Tillman

SOUTHEAST REGION

Brianna Leavy

17 years old from Davie, Florida

1. My horse
2. Going to the beach with my two best friends
3. Chocolate Chip Cookies
4. Traveling
5. One Direction



Brianna Leavy

Emma Lane

9 years old from Gates, North Carolina

1. Pink
2. Steak
3. Horse Riding
4. "True Grit"
5. Playing with Friends



Emma Lane

NRHyA Members in 2013 Presidential Inaugural Parade

Jud Little scholars at Culver Academies in Culver, Indiana, and NRHyA members Meaghan Burns, Jones, Oklahoma, (Senior), Abbey Kliewer, Cordell, Oklahoma, (Sophomore) along with Katie Mikles, Shawnee, Oklahoma, (Senior) Bravid Duke, College Station, Texas, (Sophomore) and Alex Spratt, Purcell, Oklahoma, (Freshman) all rode in the Presidential Inaugural Parade on Monday, January 21, as members of the Culver Girls Academy Equestriennes and the Culver Military Academy Black Horse Troop.

The 24-member girls mounted unit rode with 58 members of the Culver Military Academy Black Horse Troop. This was the 16th Inaugural Parade for the Black Horse Troop and the 17th for the Equestriennes. The Equestriennes is an honor organization for the Culver Girls Academy. In order to be eligible for membership in the Equestriennes, a student must be currently enrolled in an Equine Science class, have earned the Culver Girls Academy Crest, have appropriate grade point average and must have a satisfactory citizenship grade.

The 2013 Inaugural Parade marked the 100th anniversary of the Black Horse Troop's first ride down Pennsylvania Avenue.

The Jud Little Scholarship at the Culver Academies uplifts students in mind, spirit, and body, as it prepares them for the finest colleges and universities and for a lifetime of principled leadership. Endowed by Jud Little '65, this scholarship supports outstanding students from Oklahoma. The first Jud Little Scholar began her Culver career in the fall of 2008. Currently, there are two seniors, two sophomores, and one freshman Jud Little scholars.

The scholarship covers full tuition, room, board, uniforms, horsemanship fees and books. Funding for a spring break mission trip is also an option. The scholarship is awarded based on family need and student merit, and will be renewable on an annual basis. Recipients who continue to excel academically as student leaders, and in extracurricular activities, will each realize a total four-year value in excess of \$170,000.

To be considered, applicants must be from rural Oklahoma. They will have demonstrated significant interest and experience in horsemanship



activities, an excellent citizenship record, an academic record of achievement that ensures success in Culver's highly competitive college preparatory curriculum, and those characteristics and traits that suggest the successful candidate will participate fully in Culver's leadership development program.

ABOUT CULVER ACADEMIES

Located on a scenic 1,800-acre lakeside campus in northern Indiana, Culver Academies offer a co-educational college preparatory boarding school for grades 9-12 and an unparalleled summer experience through the Culver Summer Schools & Camps for boys and girls ages 7-17.

Founded in 1894, the boys' school, Culver Military Academy, teaches young men leadership, self-discipline, and responsibility. The Culver Girls Academy, founded in 1971, is based upon the English Prefect System of student leadership to achieve similar values for young women.

Culver's boarding school enrollment of approximately 800 is comprised of a global student body from more than 40 states and 25 countries, including China, Mexico, Europe, South Korea, and Canada. More than one-third of students receive need-based financial aid. The same approach to leadership is taught in the Culver Summer Schools & Camps, which enroll 1,400 boys and girls from over 40 states, and 35 countries.

For more information about the Culver Academies and the Jud Little Scholarship, contact the Savannah Kranich, Admission Counselor, Asst. Coach, Equestriennes, Polo at 574-842-8200 or visit culver.org.

WHO'S JUD LITTLE?

As an oilman and rancher, Jud Little earned his wealth off the land of Oklahoma and now he's returning some of his good fortune. This Carter County man is making a difference by offering young people the opportunity of a lifetime.

Little has a love for horses. On his 1,700-acre ranch near Ardmore, he breeds and raises horses for competition. But, Little also has a love for his home state and its future leaders.

"Oklahoma is the best," Little said. "We're trying to make it better."

Little has started a scholarship program for high school students at Culver Academies, a college-preparatory school in Indiana. Each year, he chooses one student from rural Oklahoma and picks up the entire tab.

"I think Culver was a huge part of who I am today," Little said. "I learned so much there, not just academics, but leadership, a lot about honesty and integrity."

Stephanie Pfeifer is Little's first scholarship recipient. The McCloud girl is just a few weeks away from starting her second year at Culver.

"You don't realize how cool an opportunity it is and how most people don't get this; they don't get the chance to be in a college atmosphere when they're in high school," Pfeifer said.

Pfeifer is an accomplished equestrian, a skill she's improved on since beginning at Culver. In fact, she was picked to ride in the Inauguration Parade for President Obama. "I looked over and he (President Obama) was pointing at us and talking to his wife about how our horses' manes were braided. I never thought President Obama was going to be looking at a small town Oklahoma girl," Pfeifer said.

"I think that's the greatest legacy I could ever leave," Little said. "My daddy always said, 'A great education is something nobody can ever steal from you; they can't take that away.'" ♦