

Megan Walston



My name is Megan Walston and this is my second year competing in Youth of the Year. It is also my second year competing at Morgan Grand Nationals with my horse, KJM Grandslam GCH(AKA Gus). However, I have been riding and working with horses for over 13 years and I don't plan on stopping anytime soon! In addition to Gus, my family owns two dogs, a Corgi named Hazel and a Golden Retriever named Cody. I am currently attending my first year at Miami University of Ohio to study Robotics Engineering and Spanish. I am a part of Miami's Equestrian Team as well as their Paws 4 a Cause program. I am planning on joining Theta Tau, a professional engineering fraternity. In addition to this, I am participating in UPHA Ribbons of Service for my second year and I plan to continue doing this in years to come. Being selected as a winner for this contest would be an amazing opportunity that would help open a few doors for me. Even if I do not place well, I am still extremely grateful for the opportunity to have participated and learned so much throughout this process. However, if I were selected as a winner, I would love to use some of the prize towards my college tuition and the rest of it towards my UPHA ribbons of service for 2023.