

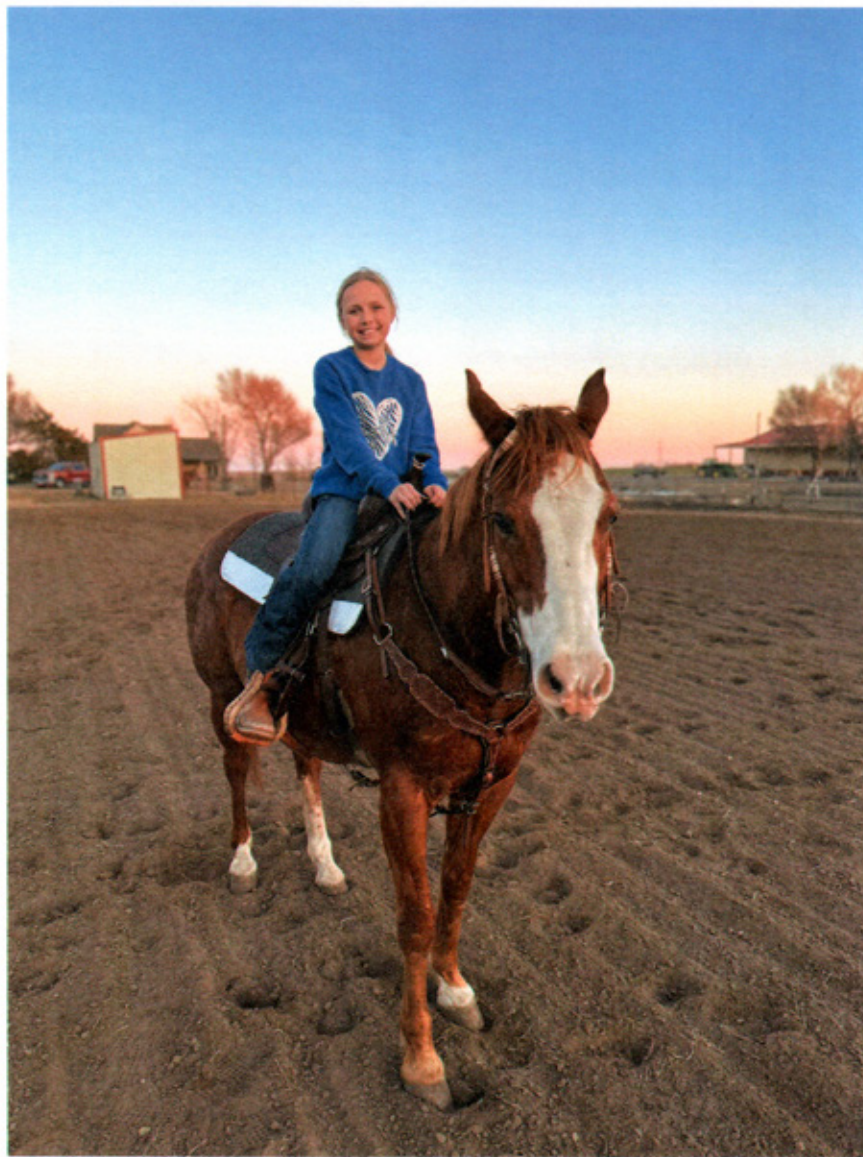
Hallie and Pablo

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My horse Pablo is 17 years old. He is a sorel and he has a white bald face. He is really short and he is always in everybody's business. He is always wanting food and treats. He is really fat.

On a normal day I wake up and get dressed. I get my boots on and go outside to catch him. I open the gate and I don't normally have to walk very far because he is normally at the hay bale.



Now it's time to catch him. I have to pick his feet and groom him. Sometimes his hoofs stink. If he is good I'll give him a treat.

I am hungry so I go inside to eat breakfast. I am having pancakes and bacon. Then I go back outside and he is not there. So now I have to look for him.

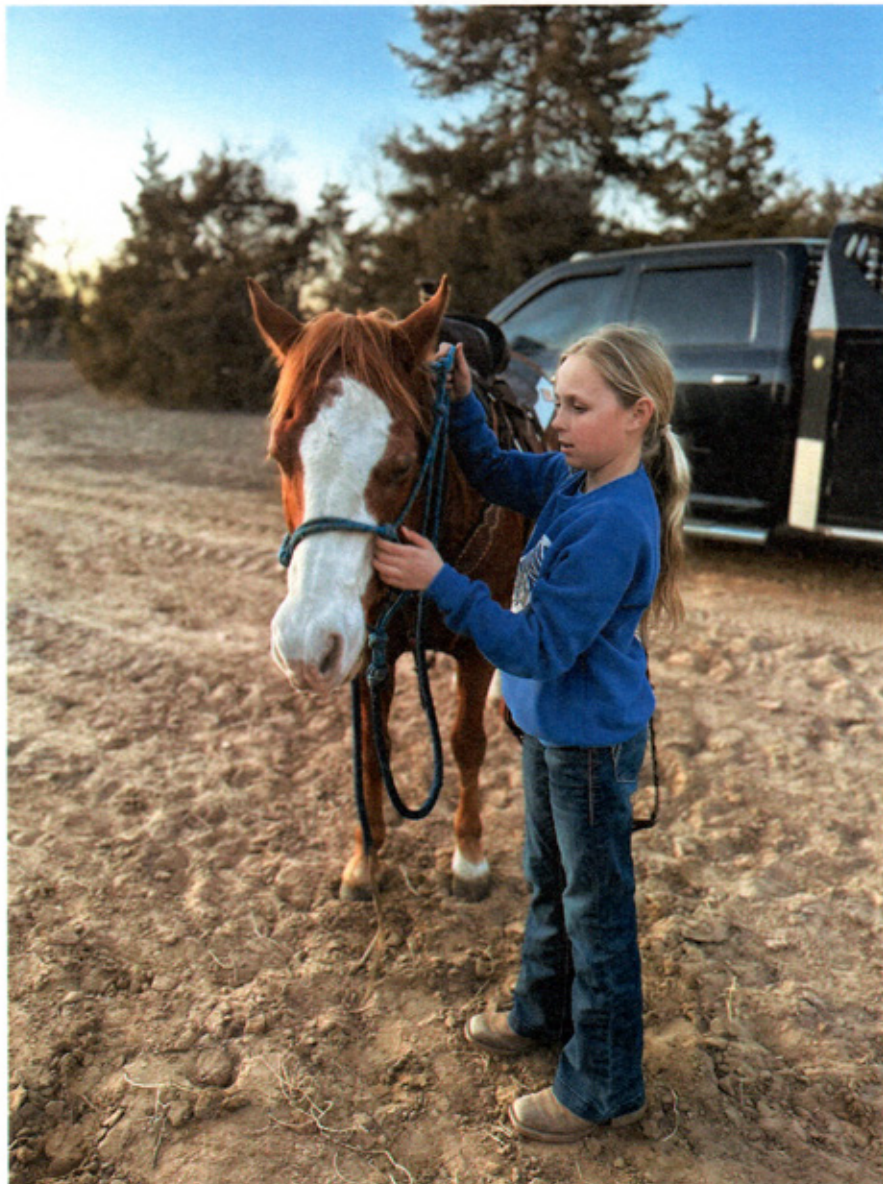
I found him behind the tree eating grass. He does not want to leave the green grass. He broke his halter so now I have to get a different halter. I have to put the halter on and I am going to tie him up again.

I am putting his saddle pad on. Now I am going to put the saddle on. I am tightening his saddle. Then I am putting the breast collar on. I am putting his bridle on.



I am getting on and about to ride him. I am going to warm him up. I lope him in some circles. I am going through the poles and barrels.

I am done riding so I am going to unsaddle him. First I have to take out his bridle. Then I am going to undo his saddle and take it off.



I am going to give him another treat. Then I am going to feed him and put him away. Then I am going to take off his halter.

