

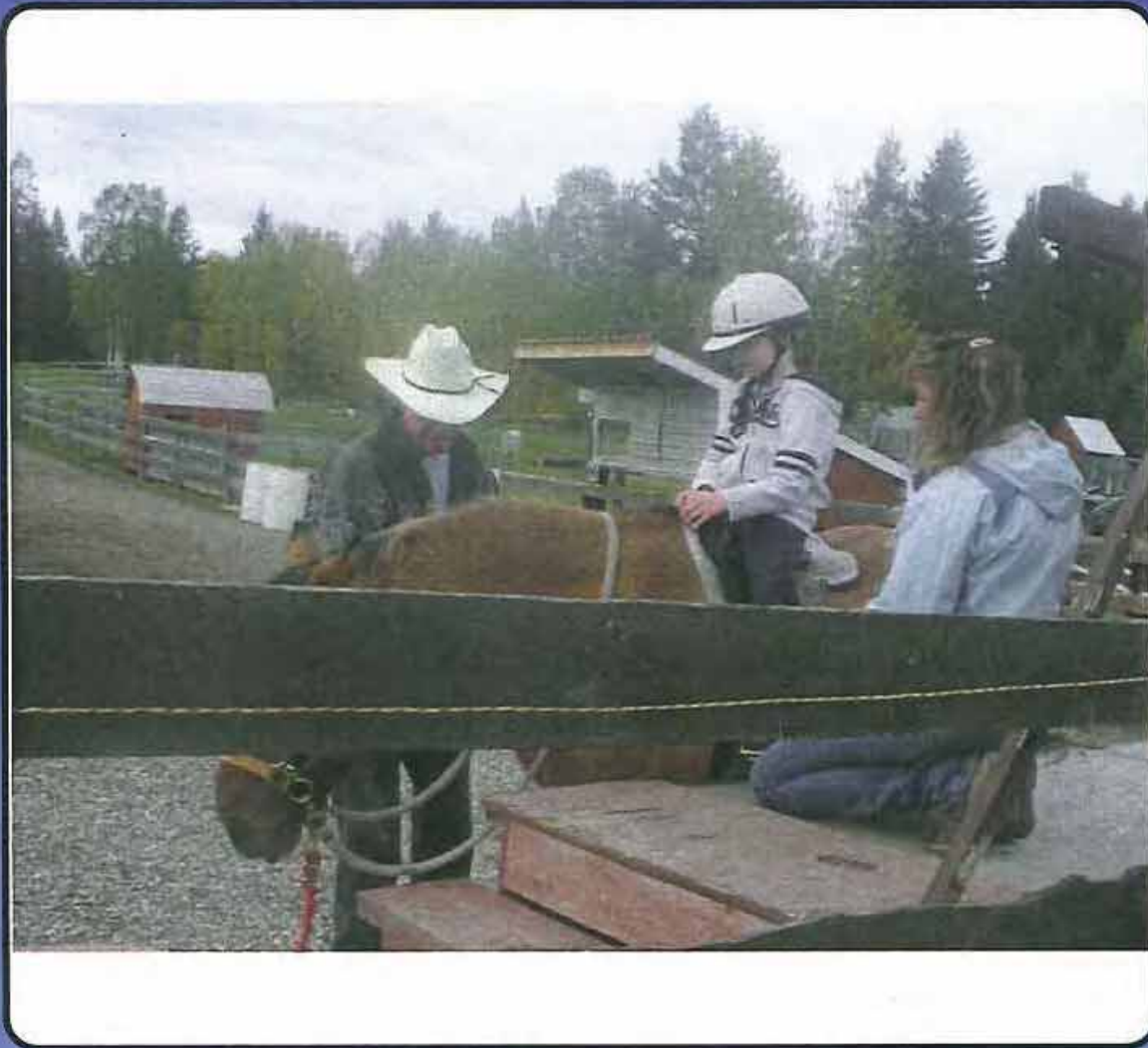
# CHAAPS



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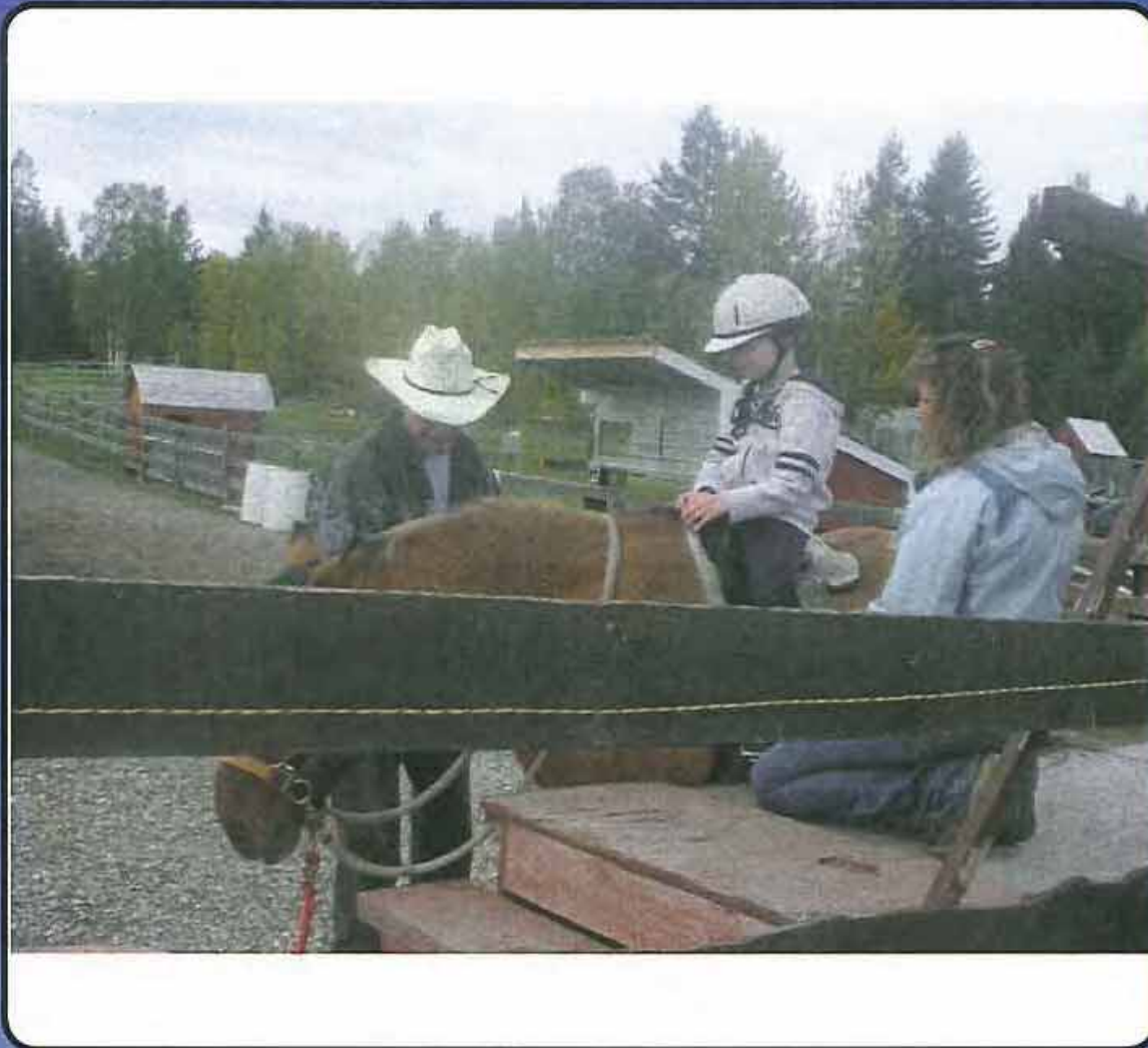
Dedicated to Sam, Kelly, Dave and Goldie. They are very special to me.



Kelly is an instructor at Chaaps. She is very helpful. Kelly lives right near my Auntie Donna.



Dave is a cowboy who works at Chaaps. He is wonderful because cowboys are cool.



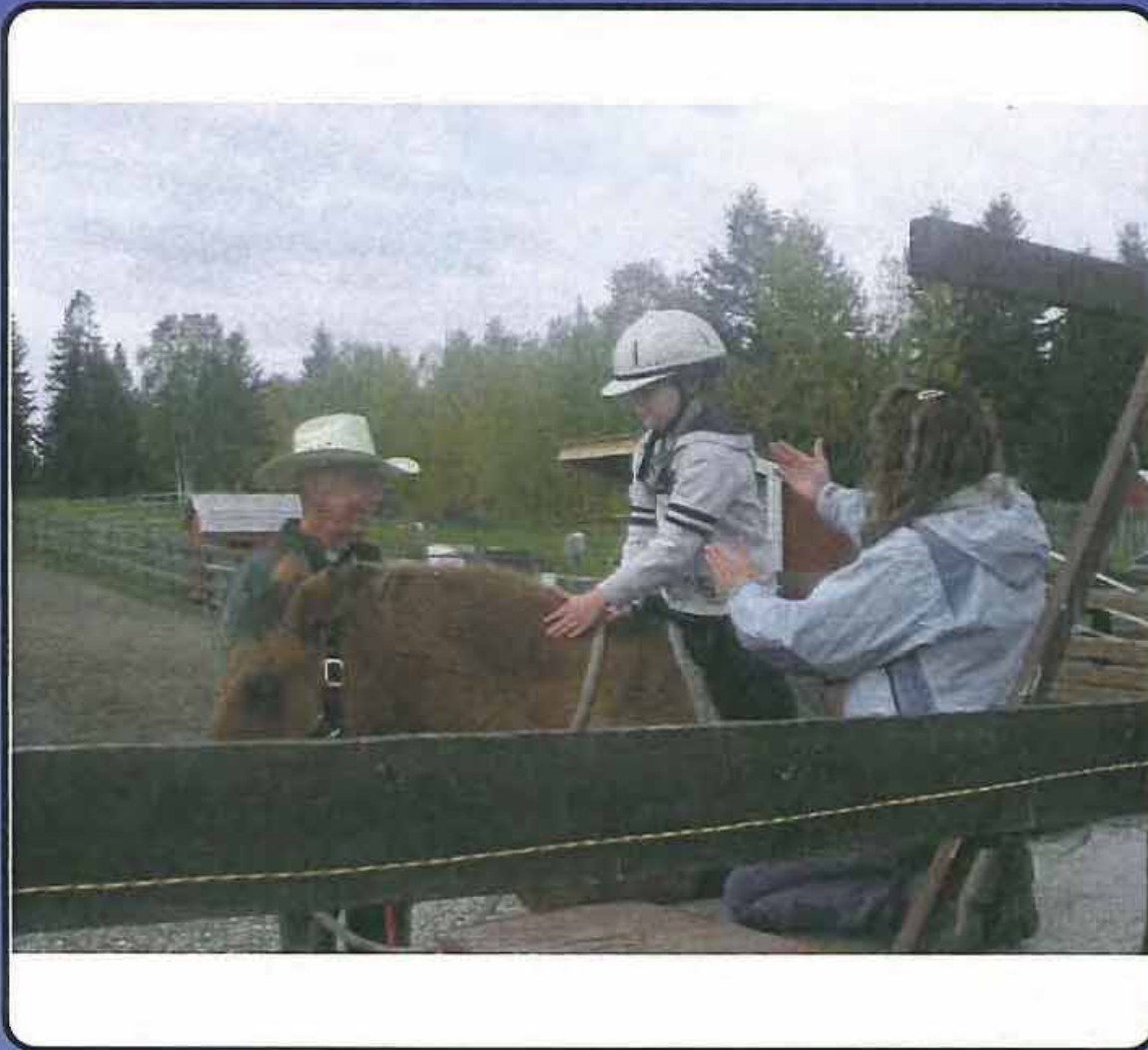
I ride Goldie at Chaaps. She is great because she is nice and friendly.



Goldie is wonderful to ride. She cares about people.



I started by riding Goldie with Dave leading her and me holding the reins.



I wore a helmet to protect my head and I put on cowboy boots to protect my feet and legs.

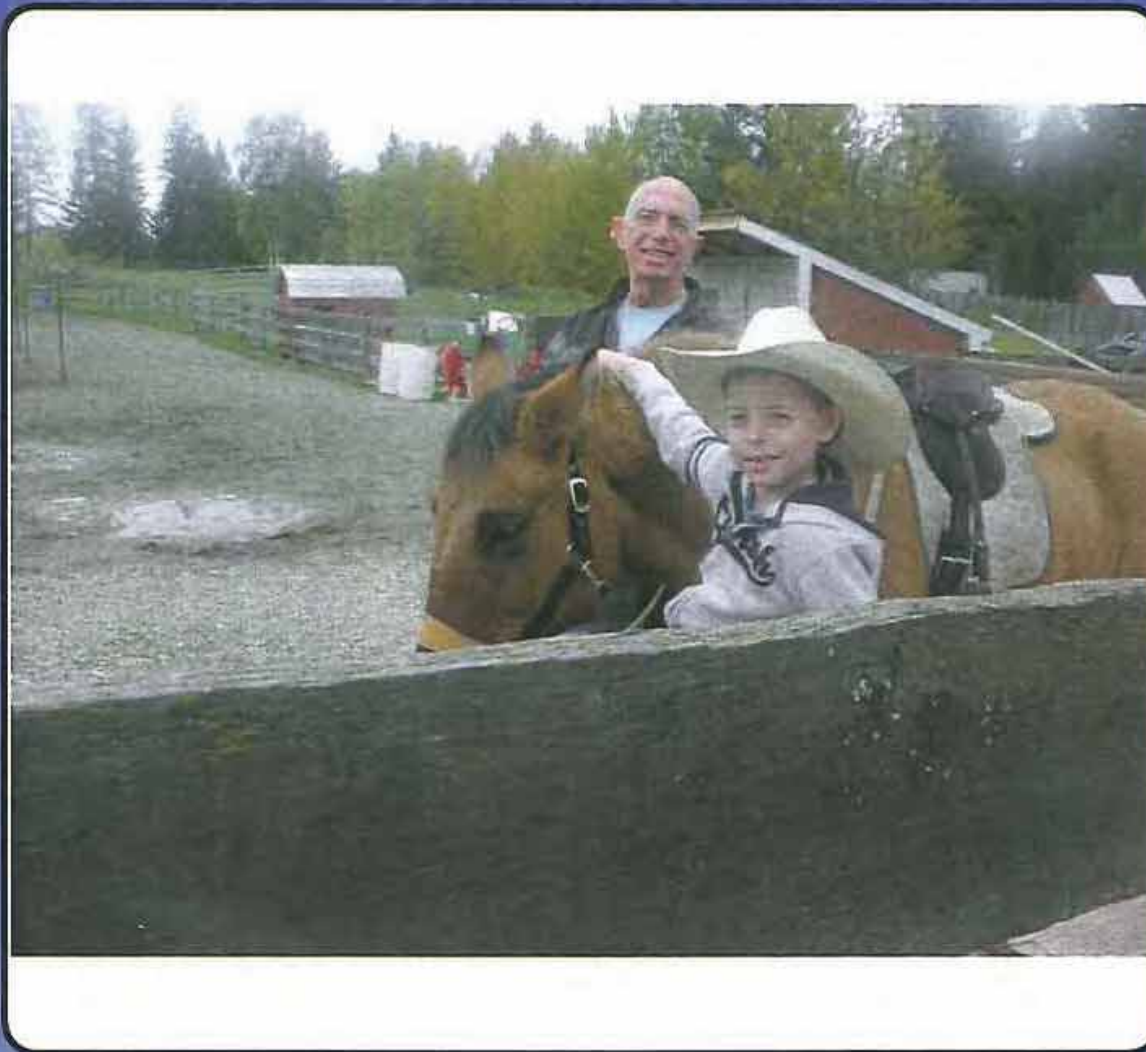




My sister Moriah came to watch me ride Goldie. She was proud of me.



I did exercises to help me get stronger. I stood up with no hands on the reins!!!



Goldie and I are great friends now. By the end of my lessons I could ride Goldie by myself with no one leading her.



I got this cowboy hat at my very last session this year. I also got a bolero tie with a metal horse on it.



I learned to ride horses at Chaaps. I feel happy and excited about my time at Chaaps. I like Chaaps.

