

## Christopher Holmes (Leadership)

My name is Christopher Holmes. I live in the Yarra Valley in Victoria, Australia. I currently have two horses which I show in a variety of classes. I just turned fifteen in August. I have been riding since I was very little and I love it.

I only started riding Western 3 years ago and it has changed the way I ride and think about horses. Since I have started riding Western it has been a goal of mine to go to Youth World Cup having heard amazing stories about the opportunity from my trainer and her daughter who attended several Youth World Cups herself.

I try to attend as many shows as I can and to work hard and be a respectful competitor to everyone involved. I think to be a great Youth World Cup team member you should show that you are supportive of your team as well as being a hard worker.

What I love about the Youth World Cup experience so far is that all of the people surrounding us have been so kind and nice. I look forward to visiting Texas and meeting likeminded people from other countries who are attending Youth World Cup.



