

Miss
PONOKA STAMPEDE

2024



• OLIVIA MACLENNAN •

"Be courageous, be strong."

About Olivia

Olivia MacLennan is a multi-generational horsewoman, her roots deeply intertwined with the Western heritage that fuels her passion for the sport of rodeo. From an early age, Olivia found herself immersed in the world of horsemanship, embracing both English and Western disciplines with equal favor. Whether soaring over jumps, running barrel patterns, or displaying her dedication in pole bending and breakaway roping, Olivia's skills in the saddle have grown her into the person she is today.

Beyond the arena, Olivia's character shines brightly. Her journey as a horsewoman has instilled in her remarkable patience, compassion, and a thirst for knowledge. These qualities are perhaps most evident in her work with individuals facing developmental disabilities, where she selflessly dedicates her time to making a positive impact on their lives.

While pursuing her educational aspirations in Medical Diagnostic Sonography, Olivia's ambitions extend far beyond the realm of human healthcare. Driven by her unwavering passion for horses, she harbors a determined desire to merge her medical knowledge with her love for equines, particularly in the field of performance horses and reproduction. With a keen eye for detail and a heart brimming

with dedication, Olivia is poised to make significant strides in advancing equine reproductive science.

Olivia is originally from Sexsmith Alberta, however her heart resides in Ponoka. She expresses that the Ponoka Stampede is everything she stands for, it is a dedicated community, passionate fans, and outstanding volunteers. Olivia has grown very fond of Ponoka and its Stampede because they have a way of making you feel apart of something greater. The Ponoka Stampede is a family like no other, and Olivia is beyond grateful for the generosity of the community.

Olivia wants to show people why rodeo means so much to our community. She wants to capture the raw moments of rodeo, the behind-the-scenes, and how rodeo brings people together. Her reign as Miss Ponoka Stampede 2024 is not just a title but a celebration of the timeless bond between the community, the sport of rodeo, and the enduring spirit of the Western way of life.



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