

Brittany Hopkins - Member at Large.

My journey with Rockies started 11 years ago just after getting married. As a kid in Kansas I had only read about Rockies in magazines. My husband and I visited a Rocky farm near Wichita, where we met our first Rockies. I was so impressed by their temperament that I knew then and there the Rocky Mountain Horse would be the perfect horse for my (hopefully) growing family. We met the sweetest week-old filly who in 2008 became our first Rocky. Today she is my eldest son's beloved mare. We got our 2<sup>nd</sup> RMH in 2010. By 2012 we started breeding. My lifelong dream of raising horses was slowly materializing. Many trips to KY later we have built a great herd of over 20 Rockies! Along the way we have helped people all over the country find quality RMHs, making new friends all along the way. Since starting we have raised 20 Rocky foals, living in Kansas, Missouri, Utah, Oklahoma, and Colorado. The progression of our farm Hopkins Mountain Horses can be seen at [hopkinsmountainhorses.com](http://hopkinsmountainhorses.com).

I have been a RMHA member since 2010, with a family membership in 2014. Since 2012 I have served on the RMHA Youth Committee, in 2017 I served on the Board Nominating Committee, and I am currently serving as co-chair on the 2018 ISC. In 2017 we became RMHA Family Lifetime Members.

I would be a great MAL because I love to share my passion for Rockies, and I am dedicated to preserving the breed for generations to come. I love to talk to people about Rockies. I am blessed to be raising my family on these amazing horses and hope the Rockies in 30 years from now will resemble their ancestors from 30 years ago. I am progressively minded and traditionally rooted. I love the traditional Rocky type and appreciate a good sensible smooth family trail horse above all.

For members whom I have never met, I hope that you will consider me for the position of Member At Large. I hope that my passion for our amazing breed shows through, but if you need to know for sure, please call me at 316-516-0216 to talk Rockies. For members who know me, thank you in advance!

Thanks for your consideration,  
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