











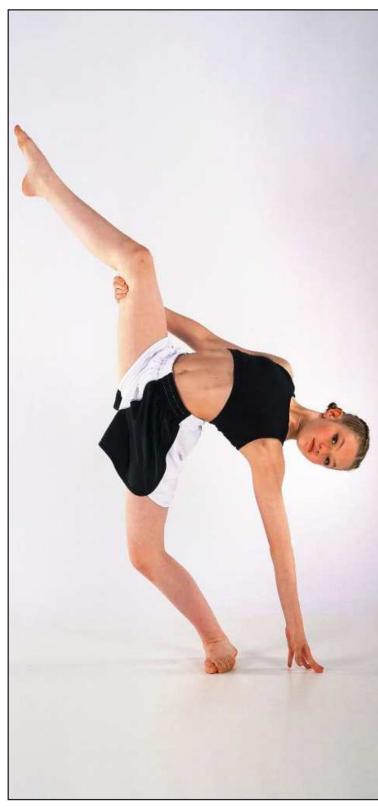






Summer



















Aneira Rowlands





My name is summer My dream has always been to become a professional Cirque du Soleil dancer It brand and get scouted has been my dream for a while I've always admired those people and how beautiful their dancing is I mean artwork they put into it it just makes it so interesting and it makes me happy It's been a challenge for me trying to get all of my skills back down but I've been doing pretty great to be an ambassador for brand and get scouted brand and get scouted









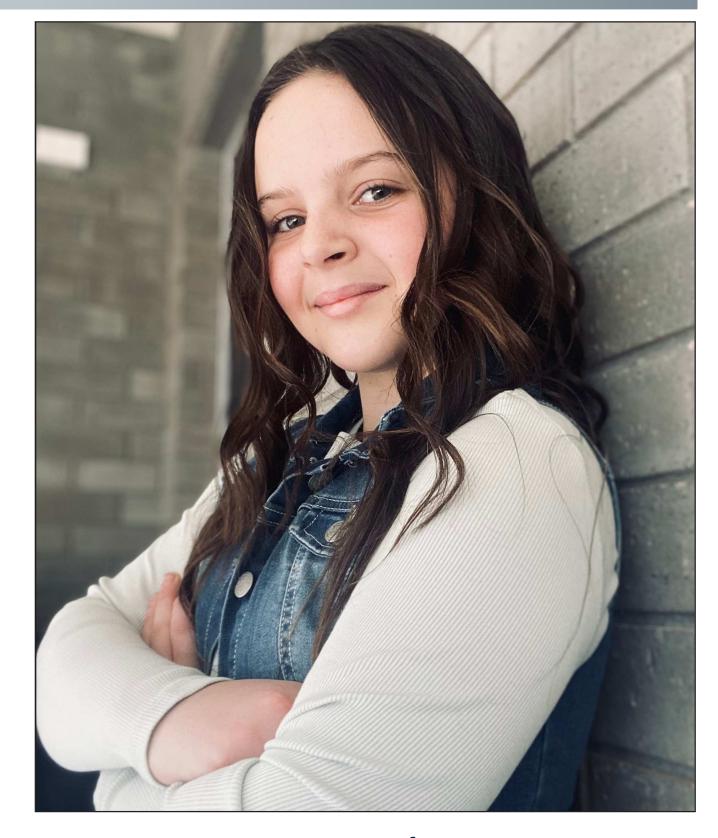




Summer







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Aneira Rowlands



















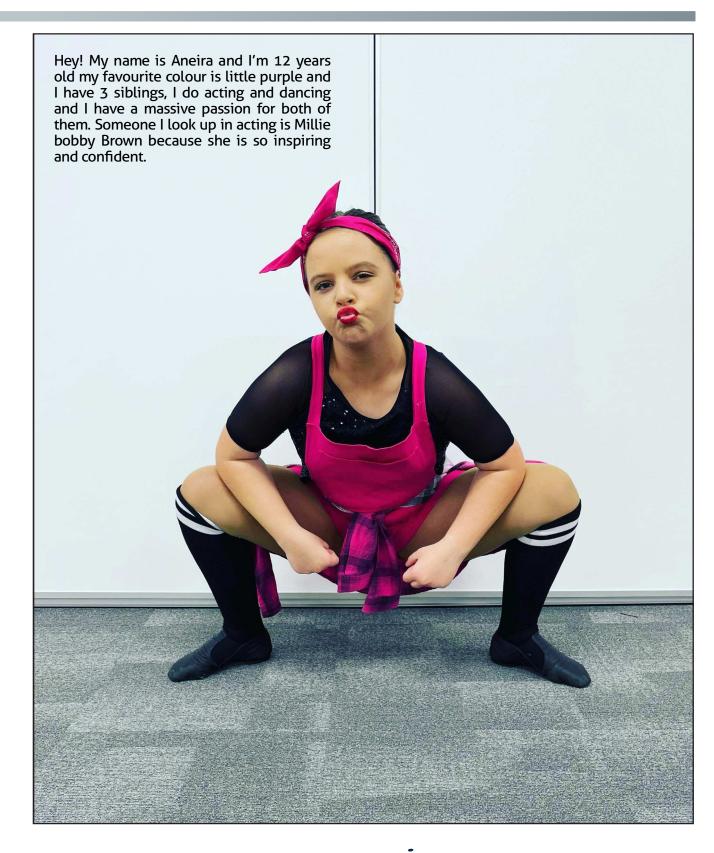






















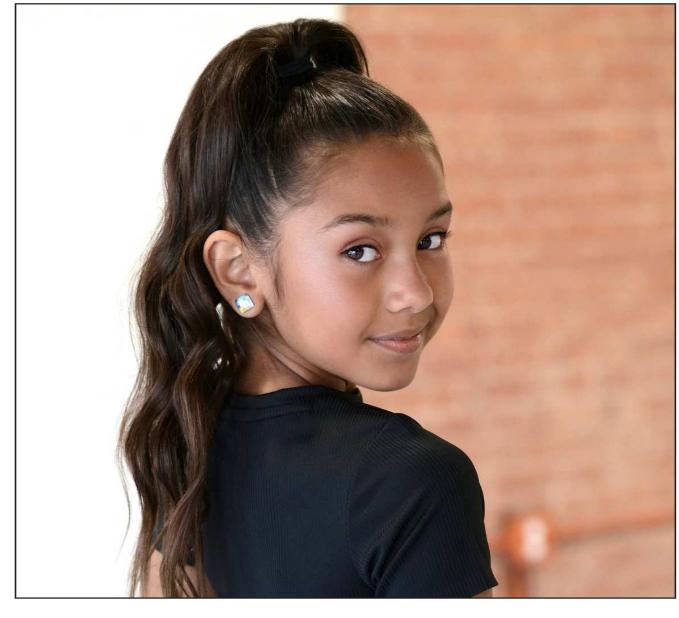












My name is Sofia Verdugo, I am 10 years old. I have been dancing since I was 3. My goal is to become a professional dancer in New York City. I currently train in all styles of dance at the Collective PHX dance studio. I train over 20 hours a week. My favorite style of dance is contemporary and instructors I am locking forward to a great social favorite studio. I train over 20 hours a week. My favorite style of dance is contemporary and lyrical. This past June I reached one of my goals for the year and was chosen as 3rd runner up New York City Dance Alliance National Mini Outstanding Dancer of 2022. I am ready to work hard and achieve new goals for this new season. I

instructors. I am looking forward to a great season this year.

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Sofia Verdugo













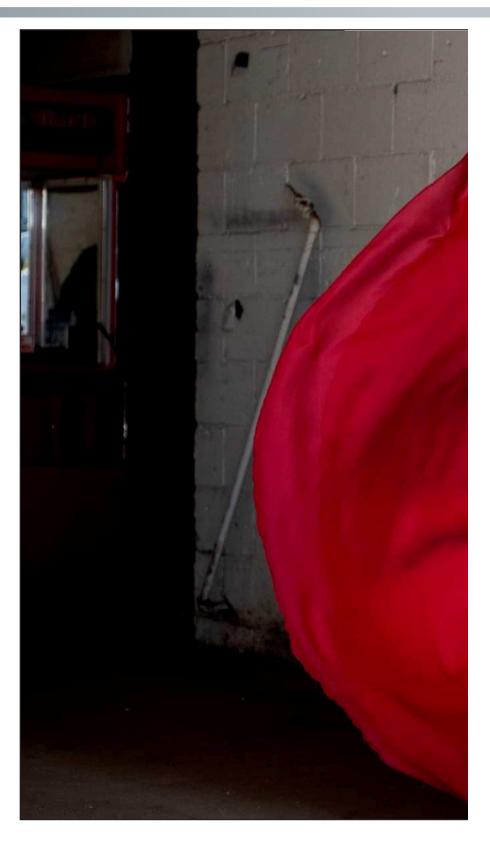






My name is Brooklyn Salerno and I am 10 years old. I have been dancing since I was 4 years old. I started competitive dance at age 6. I currently dance at Dance Designs Dance Complex in Kentucky. I love my studio and all my amazing coaches and teammates. I love everything about dance especially the way it makes me feel. I feel like I can express myself fully and inspire others while dancing. I enjoy learning all styles of dance but lyrical and contemporary are my favorites. I love to travel with my Mom to go to various dance conventions. I am a 2022-2023 Refresh Squad member and can't wait to assist at Refresh dance conventions this season. My other favorite is Revel Dance Convention. I feel so lucky to get to learn from so many different and amazing choreographers from around the world. I recently was the Junior Intermediate National Champion at Nexstar Dance Nationals this past June in Sandusky Ohio. I also won first place for the Junior Ovation category at Applause Talent Competition in Richmond Kentucky this past February. I want to continue to grow as a dancer and person. I love to challenge myself and learn new skills. I have been working really hard on my technique and turns lately and will continue to do so. I would love to one day be on Broadway or have some other type of career including dance. I am so thankful to my parents and coaches for the wonderful opportunity I have to continue to dance competitively.

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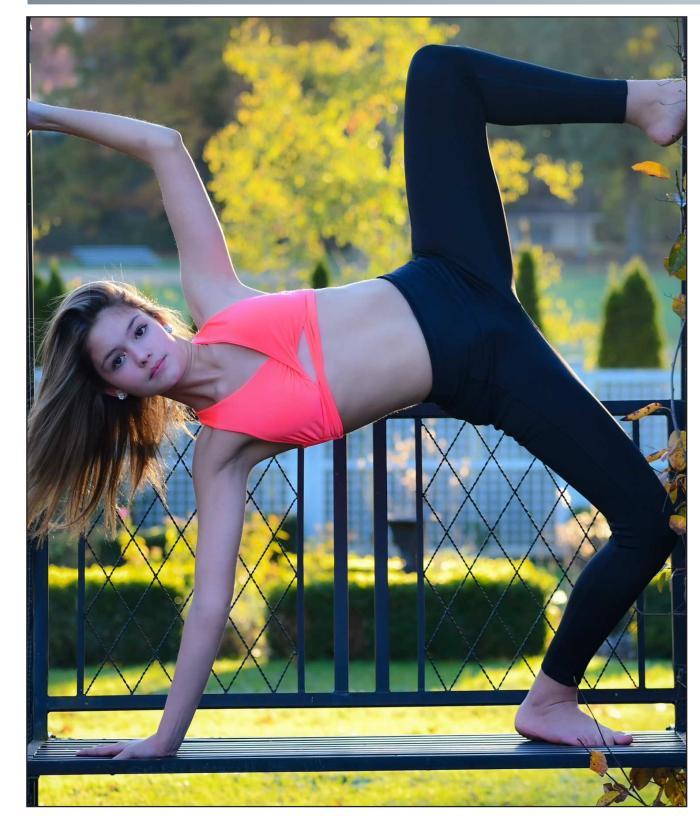


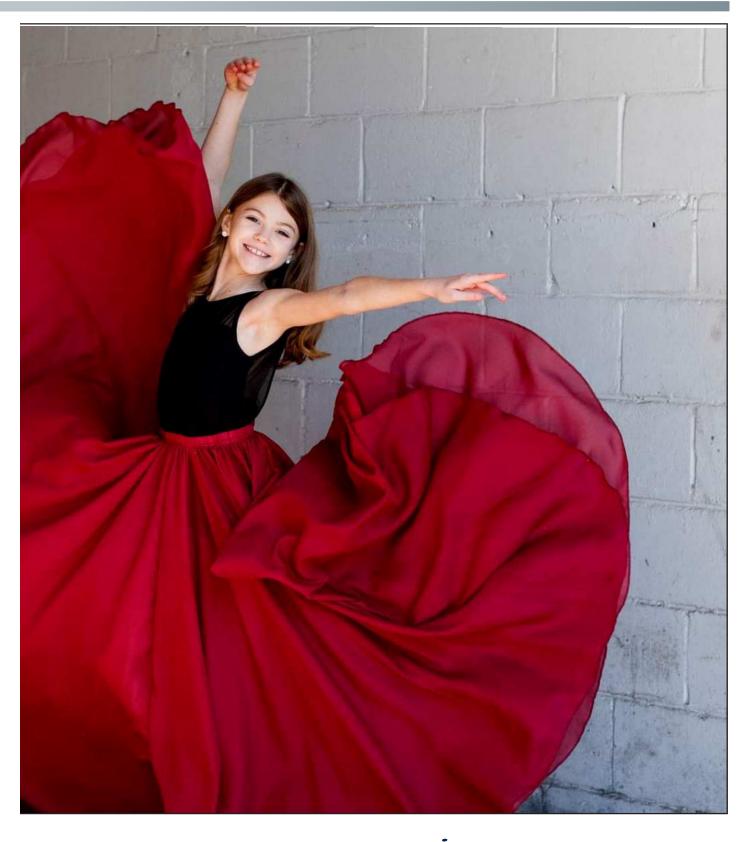






Samantha Heidinger



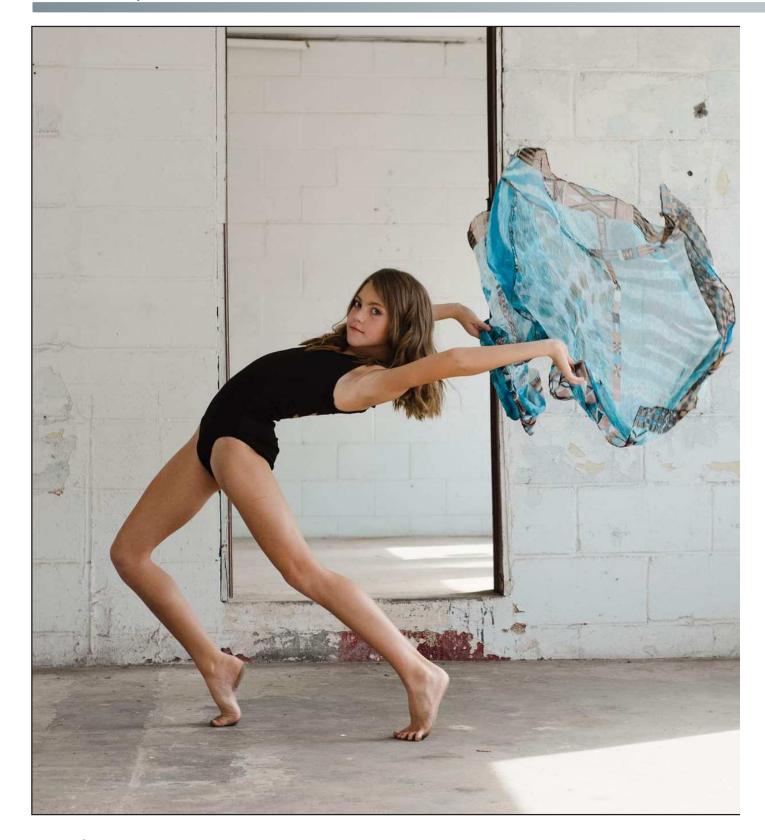


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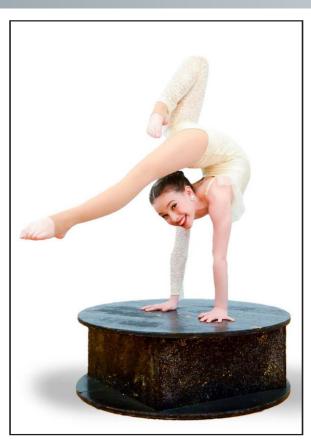


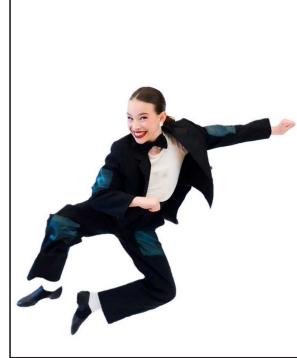




Faith McCleary







My name is Samantha Heidinger. I just turned 13 to continue dance forever . I feel like everyday years old, I dance for Escape dance academy in Austintown Ohio. I have conquered so many new quest in my dance career so far. I have always loved acro and Tumbling but sometimes let my fear get in the way. Over the years I have learned to remain confident and not let anything defeat me. I recently won Dancer of the year @rainbow dance competition. I was 12 and there was tough competition. My dream has always been to pursue Photos Credits :: @livesayphotography @jodi dance and travel the world teaching what I love to Harvey @rephotography @rainbow dance and travel the world teaching what I love to
do. Then I want to become a nurse midwife. I plan

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their are challenges in this works, no matter what I keep my head up and push forward! I have danced since I was 3 years old and I can't imagine doing anything else. I live all forms of dance but my absolute favorite is Contemporary. No matter if I win or not it's the love I have for dance that keeps me going.











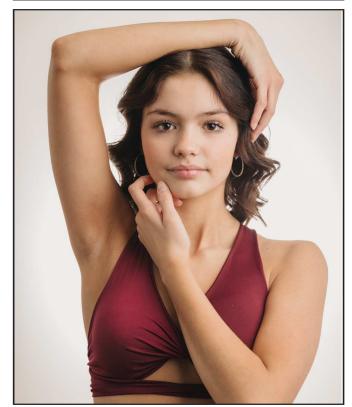




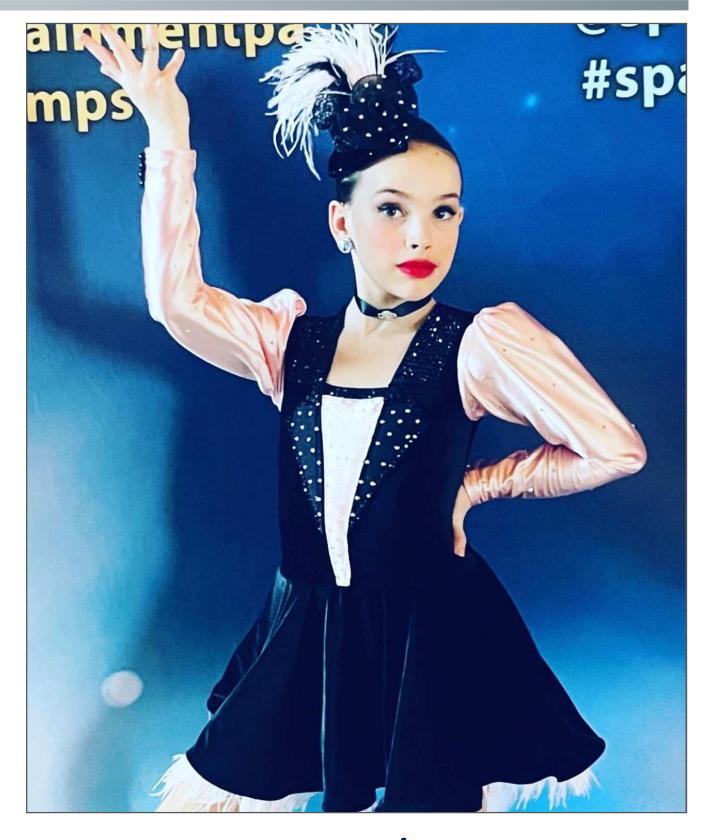
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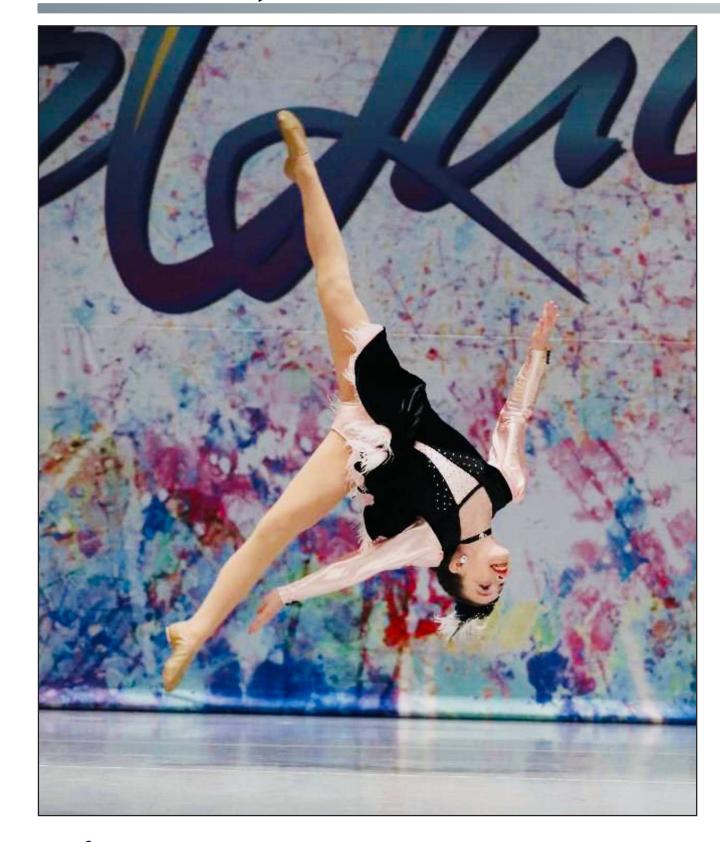








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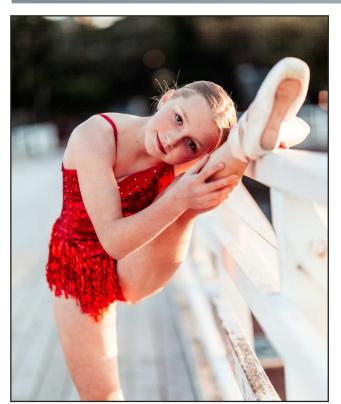




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Peyton Frohloff

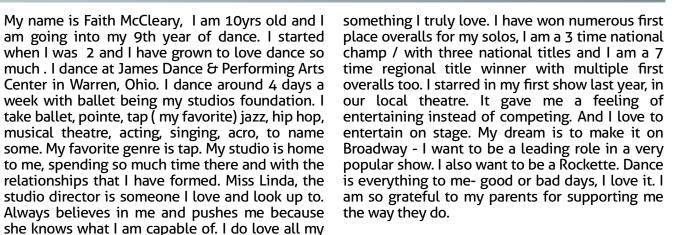








am going into my 9th year of dance. I started when I was 2 and I have grown to love dance so much . I dance at James Dance & Performing Arts Center in Warren, Ohio. I dance around 4 days a week with ballet being my studios foundation. I take ballet, pointe, tap (my favorite) jazz, hip hop, musical theatre, acting, singing, acro, to name some. My favorite genre is tap. My studio is home to me, spending so much time there and with the relationships that I have formed. Miss Linda, the studio director is someone I love and look up to. Always believes in me and pushes me because she knows what I am capable of. I do love all my teachers though and while it's hard work and Photos Credits :: Star quest and that's dedication every day, I don't mind because it's entertainment which I bought







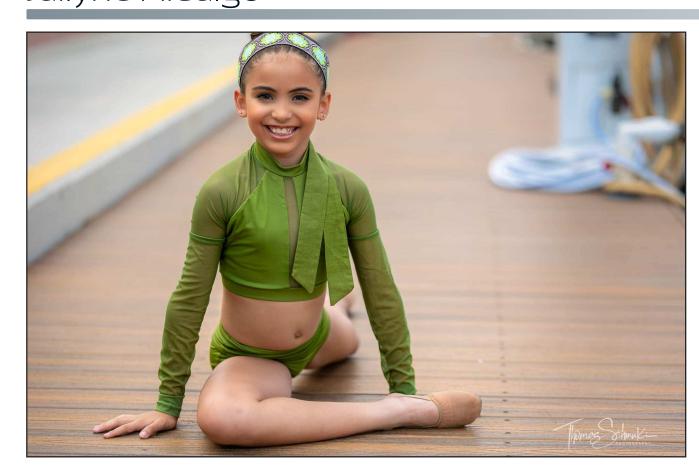




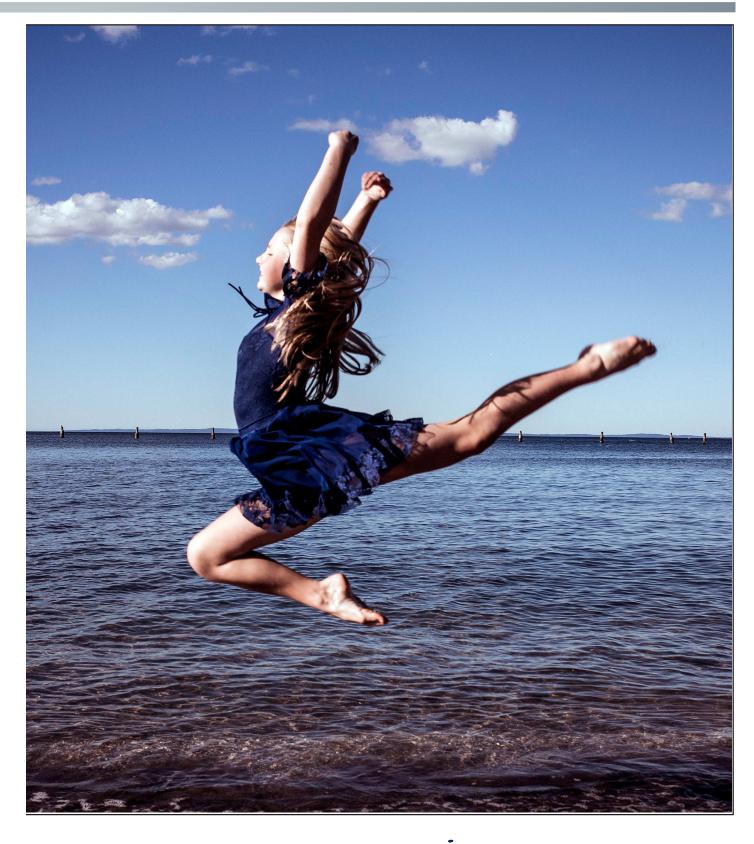












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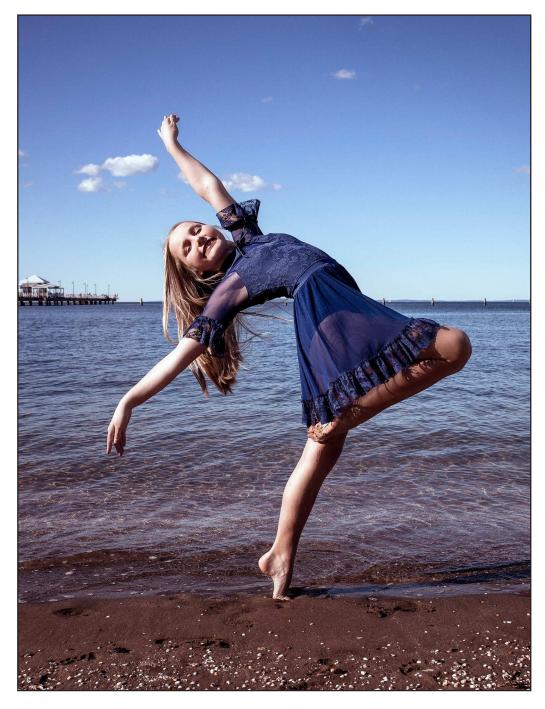




My name is Peyton, and I started to dance since I was very little. My dream is to keep going and achieving more in dancing. I try my best on every move I make and I am determined to make my postures perfect!

Acro dance is my thing and I love every minute when I am doing it.

Photos Credits:: Jill Liu









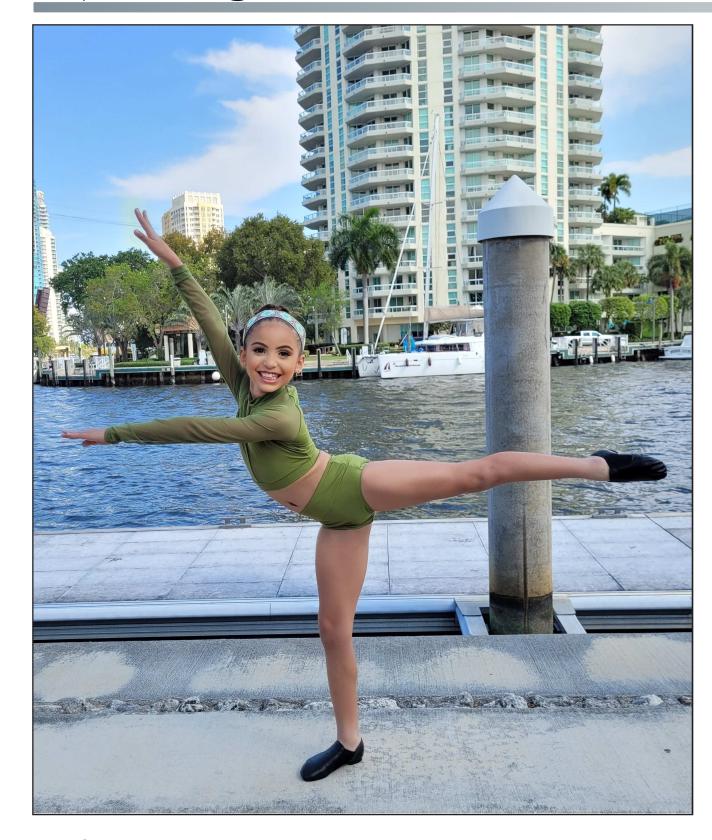


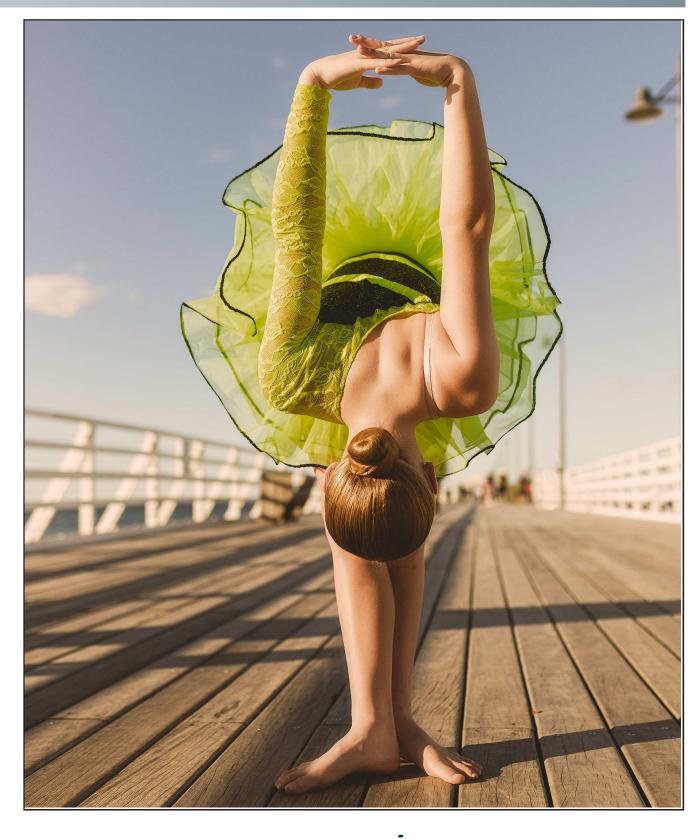






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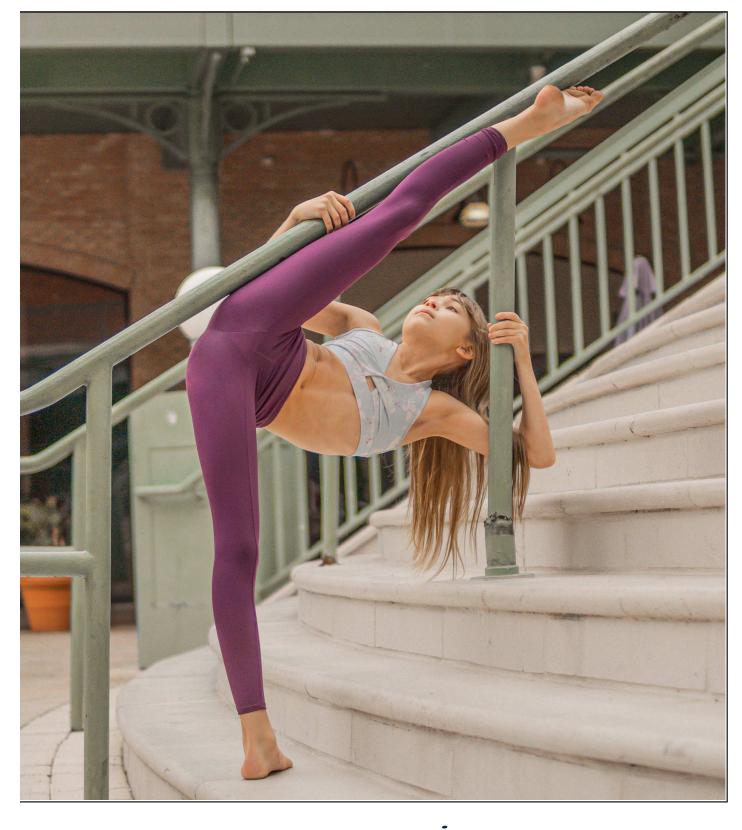




Monique A Bergolla







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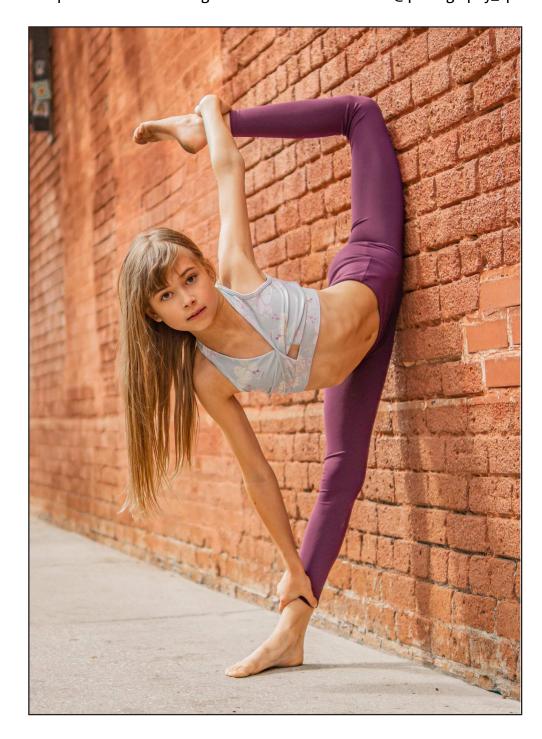


My name is Olivia and my dream is to own a dance studio and to be a dance teacher. And I work hard every day to make this happen. I started competitive dance at the age of four.

Started dancing at a year and a half. I can't see myself doing anything else. This is my passion in my dreams.

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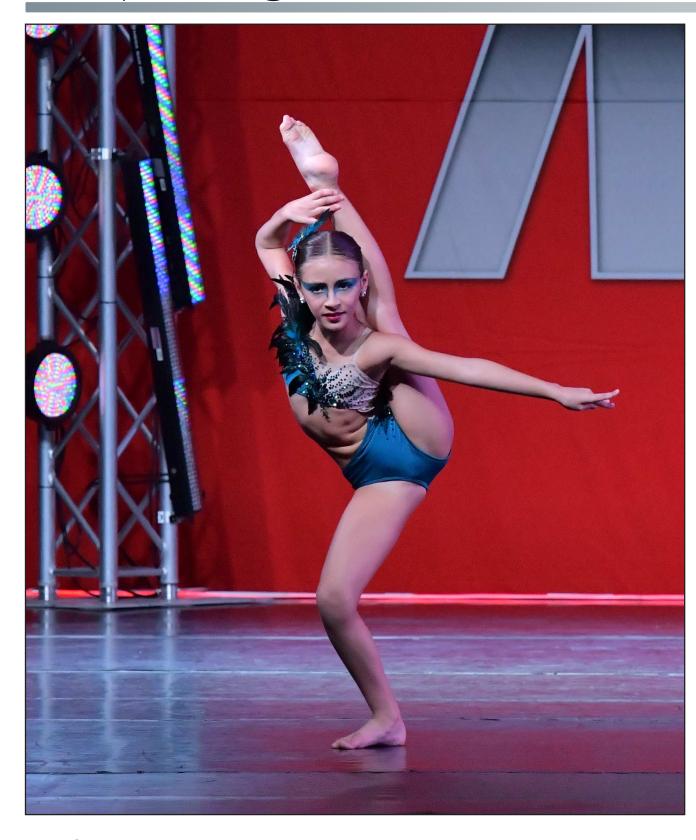




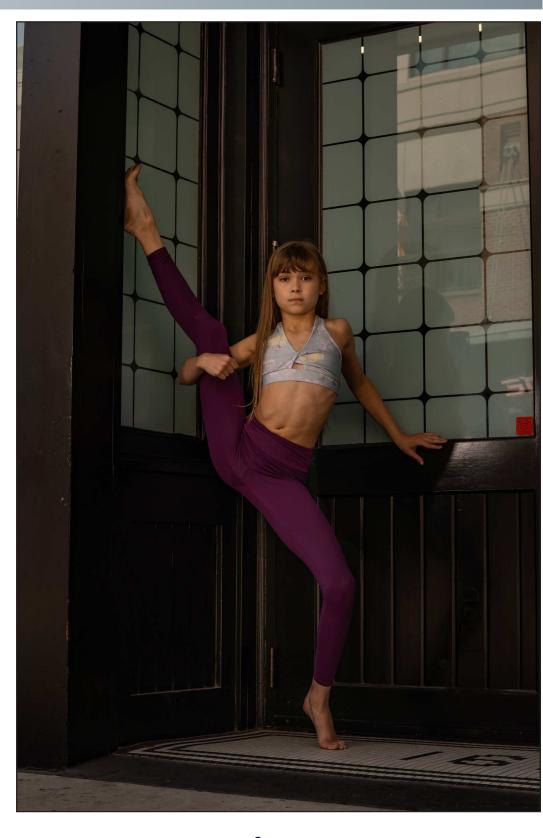




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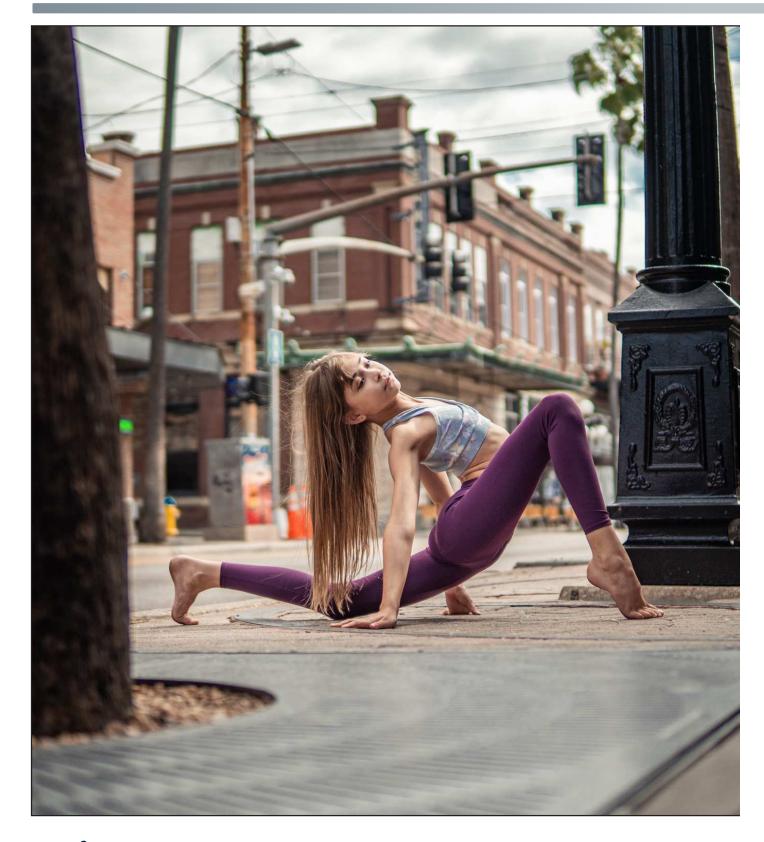
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My name is Monique Bergolla. I am 9 years old, as I get bumped into an older age division and and I train at Inspire Dance Company in Miami, Fl. I've loved dancing as far back as I can remember. This is my 4th year in competitive dance. I dance and train between 4-5 days a week. Some of my favorite memories have been created in the studio with my dance family and I wouldn't trade it for anything. My dreams include being a dancer on Broadway and becoming a model one day.

Some of my biggest accomplishments include winning Petite Miss Bravo, National Petite Miss Shake the Ground 2022, 1st overall in 8 and under competitive division and Improv at Shake the Photos Credits :: Miranda Jade, Kapture from Ground Nationals. This season poses a challenge, Shake the Ground

have to work harder. This season I plan to train harder in the studio and let it show on stage. My goal for this season is to master my turns, as it has been one of my biggest challenges as a dancer. My coaches always support me and push me to my limits. My biggest supporters have always been my family, friends and my teacher Jasmine Riveron Castro, who has choreographed all my solos. I will always be grateful for everyone who has believed in me and supported me along the





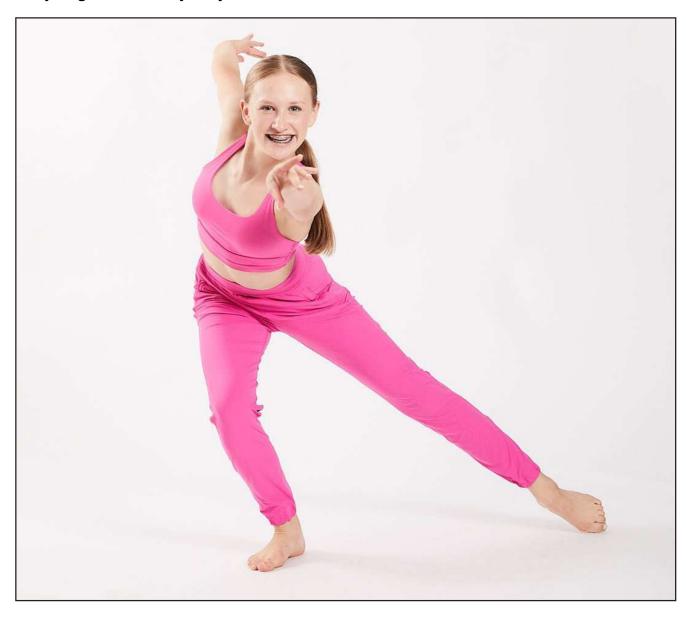


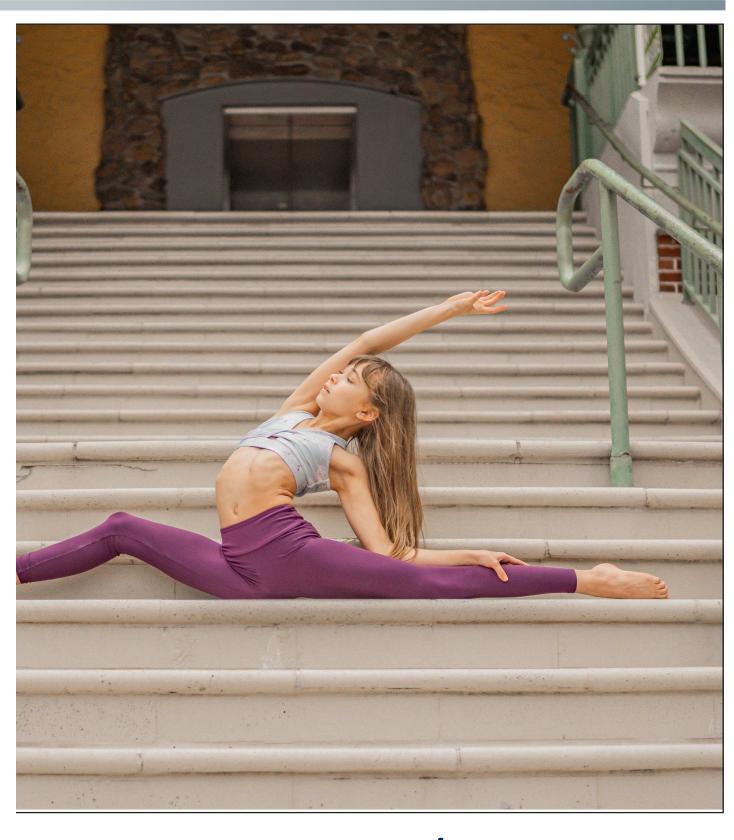






My name is Moriah Denhart and my passion is biggest challenge for me to overcome as a dancer dance! When I was three my mom saw they way I reacted to music and so she signed me up for my first dance class and now I've been dancing for 12 years! Sometimes it can be hard to talk about what I'm feeling and some days just don't go right, but then if I begin to dance all my worries, stress, and sad feelings drift away. My favorite part of dance is performing because I get to show others the is performing because I get to show others the thing I love most. If I could tell my younger self one thing it would be "it's okay to not get everything the first time you try it." That was the





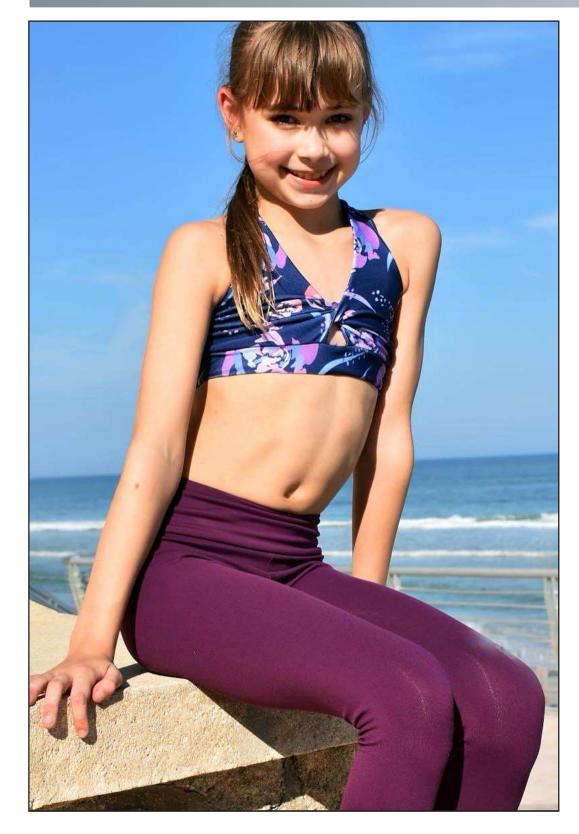












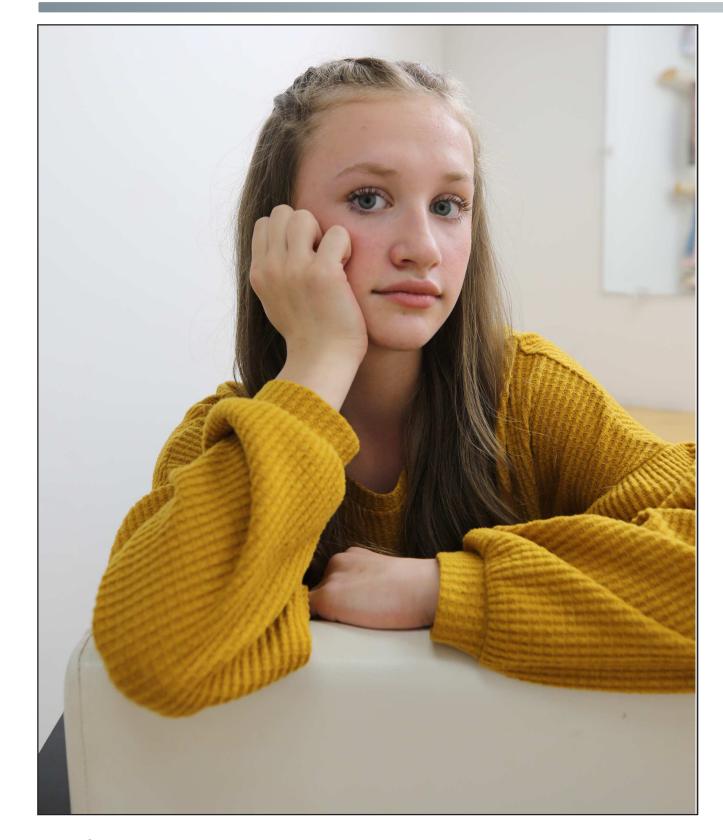




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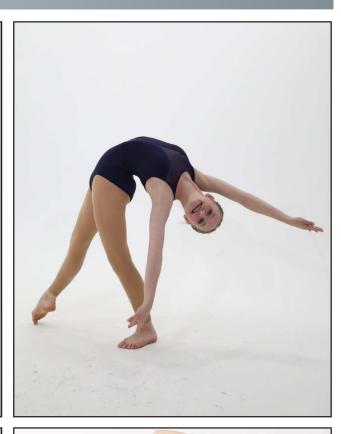


















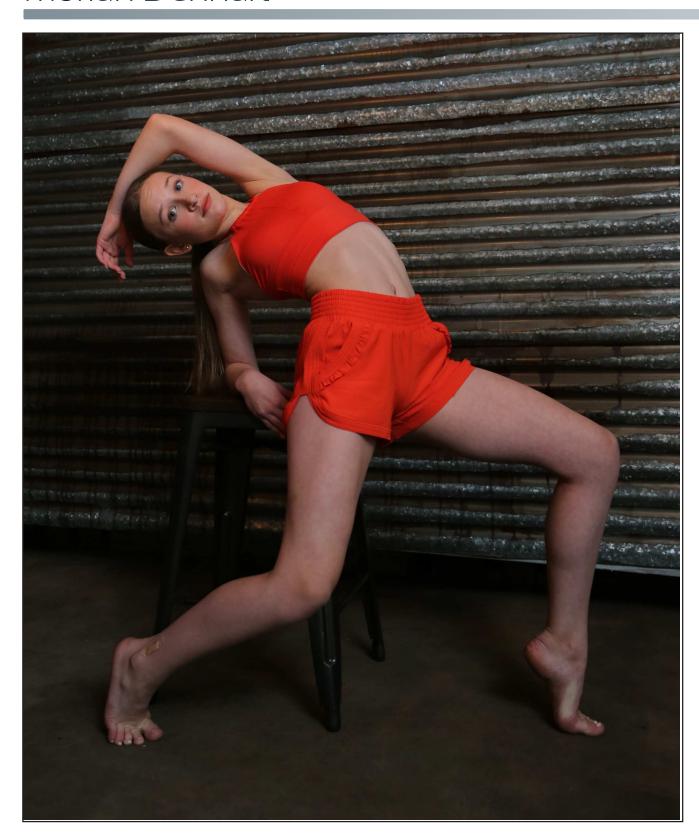






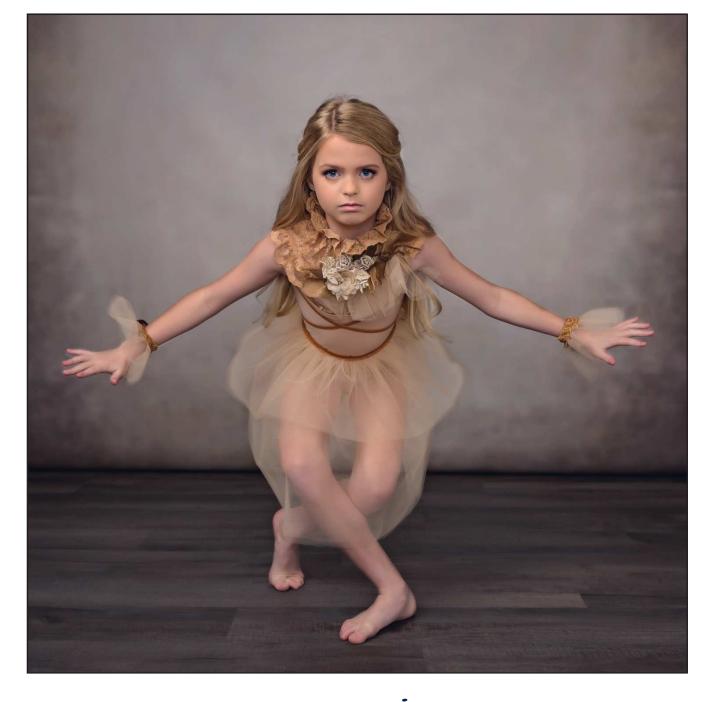


Moriah Denhart



My name is Olivia and I love to dance! Contemporary and hip hop are my current favorite styles but I really embrace them all! I was selected to be a background dancer for KidzBop in their recent music video releases. I would love to continue to have a professional career as a dancer, model, and singer! I have modelled for both regional and National brands, like Spirit Halloween and Juicy Couture. I love to preform but I eventually would also love to own my own dance studio one day!

Photos Credits :: DSM Productions, Corrine and Company













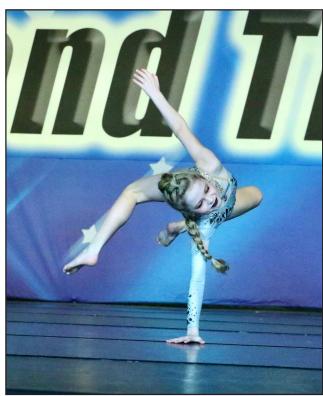






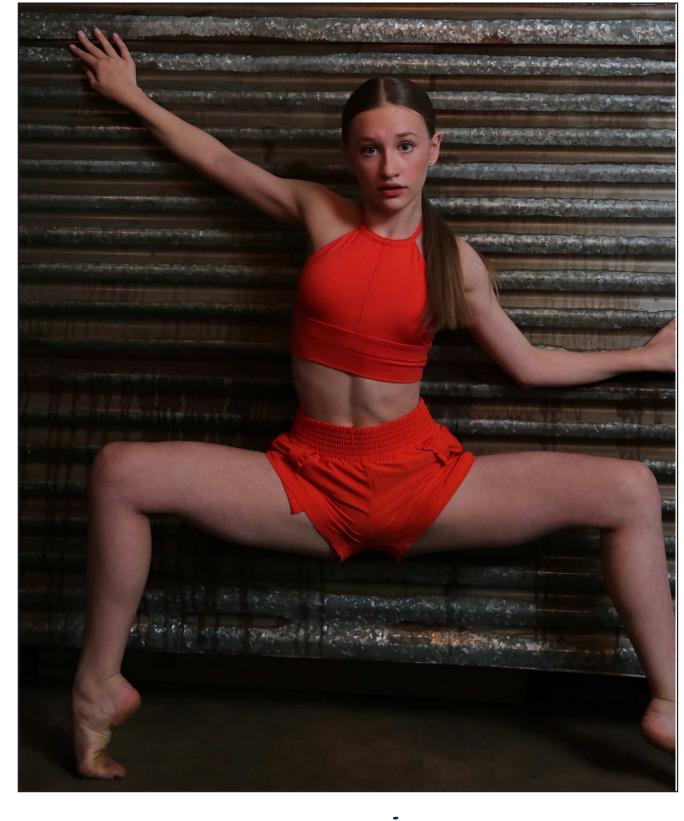
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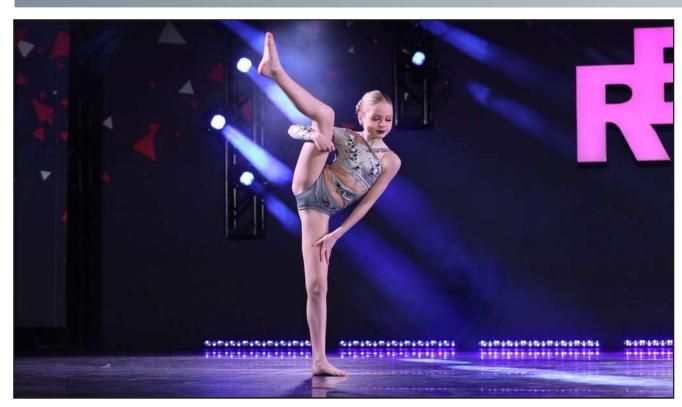
















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