

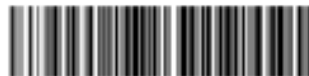
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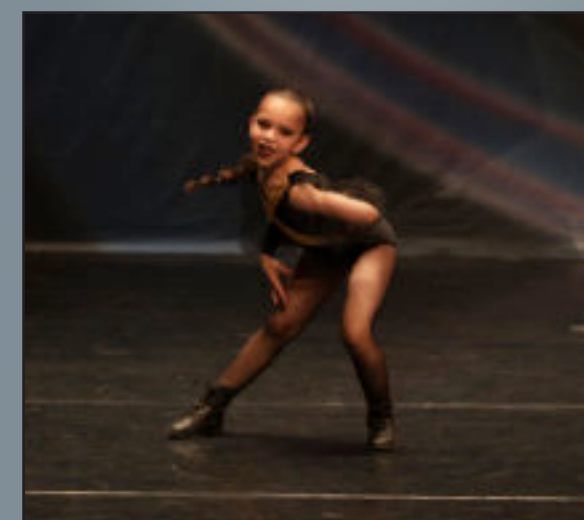
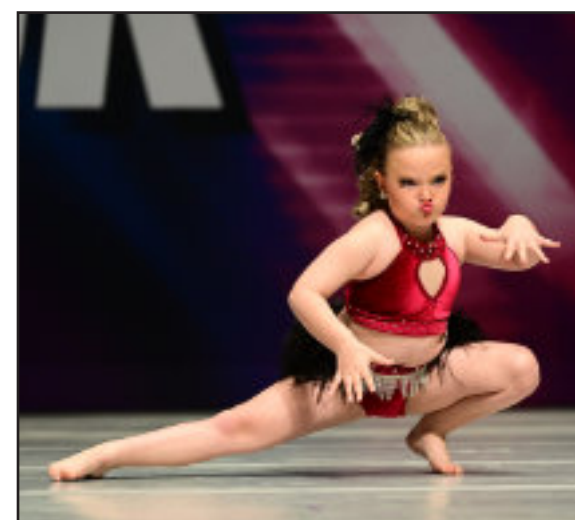
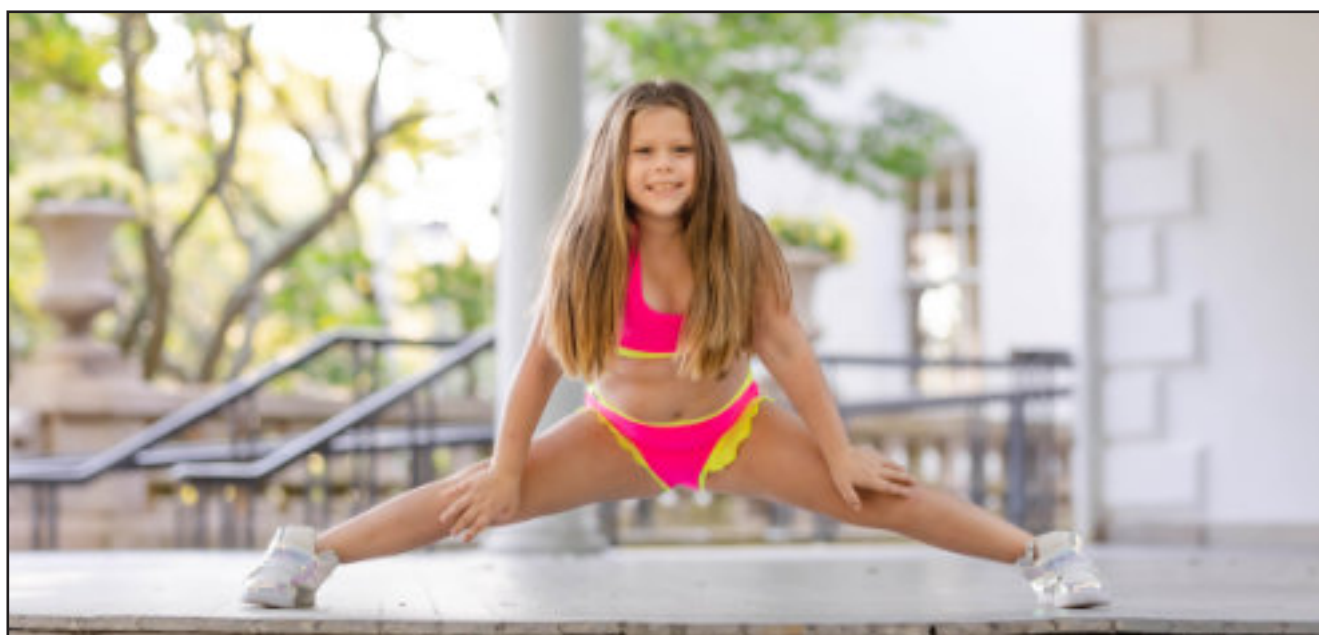
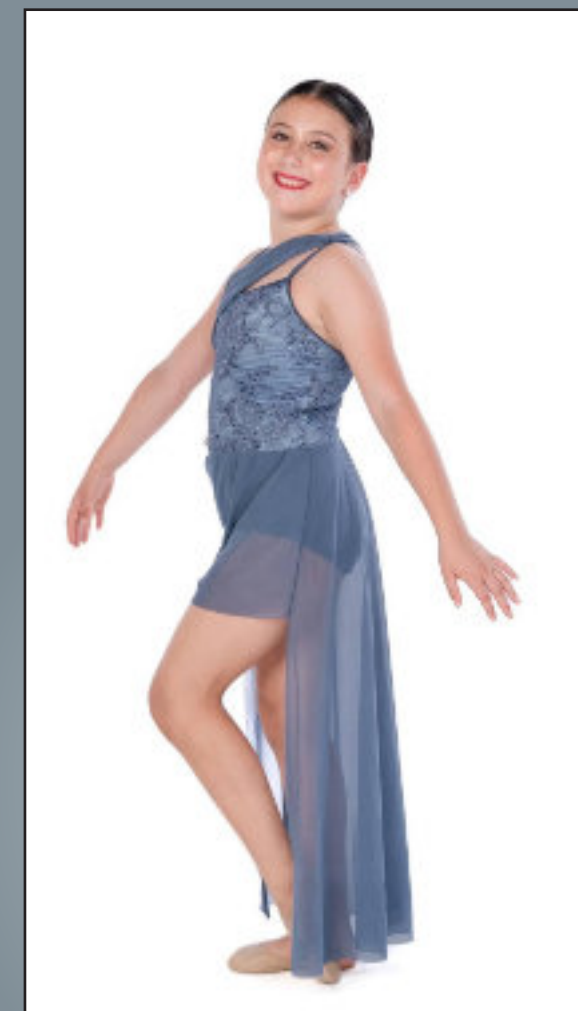
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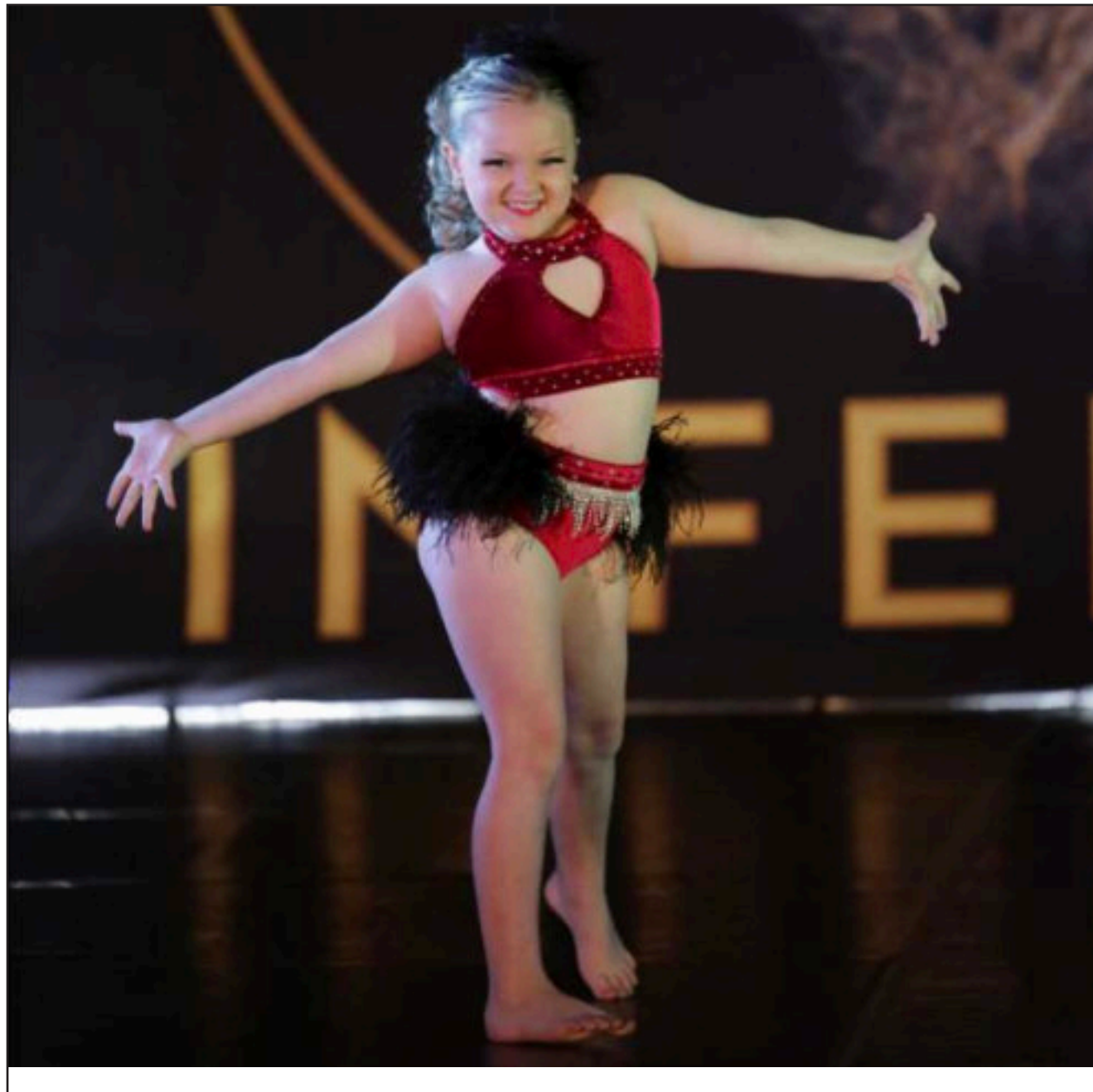
# Aubrey Faith Stone

My name is Aubrey and I am an 8 year old dancer in Lexington, Tennessee. I have been dancing for 6 years, with this being my 4th year on Kim & Company's competition dance team!

Dance is my biggest passion and what I enjoy doing most! If I'm not dancing, you can probably

find me in our acro/baton studio, Maggie's Majorettes!

At just 8 years old, Aubrey is already making her place in the dance world! Her skills and bubbly personality have earned her a top 10 placement in most competitions and is a 1st overall, Petite Miss



Inferno Dance Title Holder!

She loves going to dance conventions to help with her training, such as 24/Seven Dance, Artist

Simply Human, NUVO, and IAX. And is always willing to go to any and all optional events her studio wants to attend!



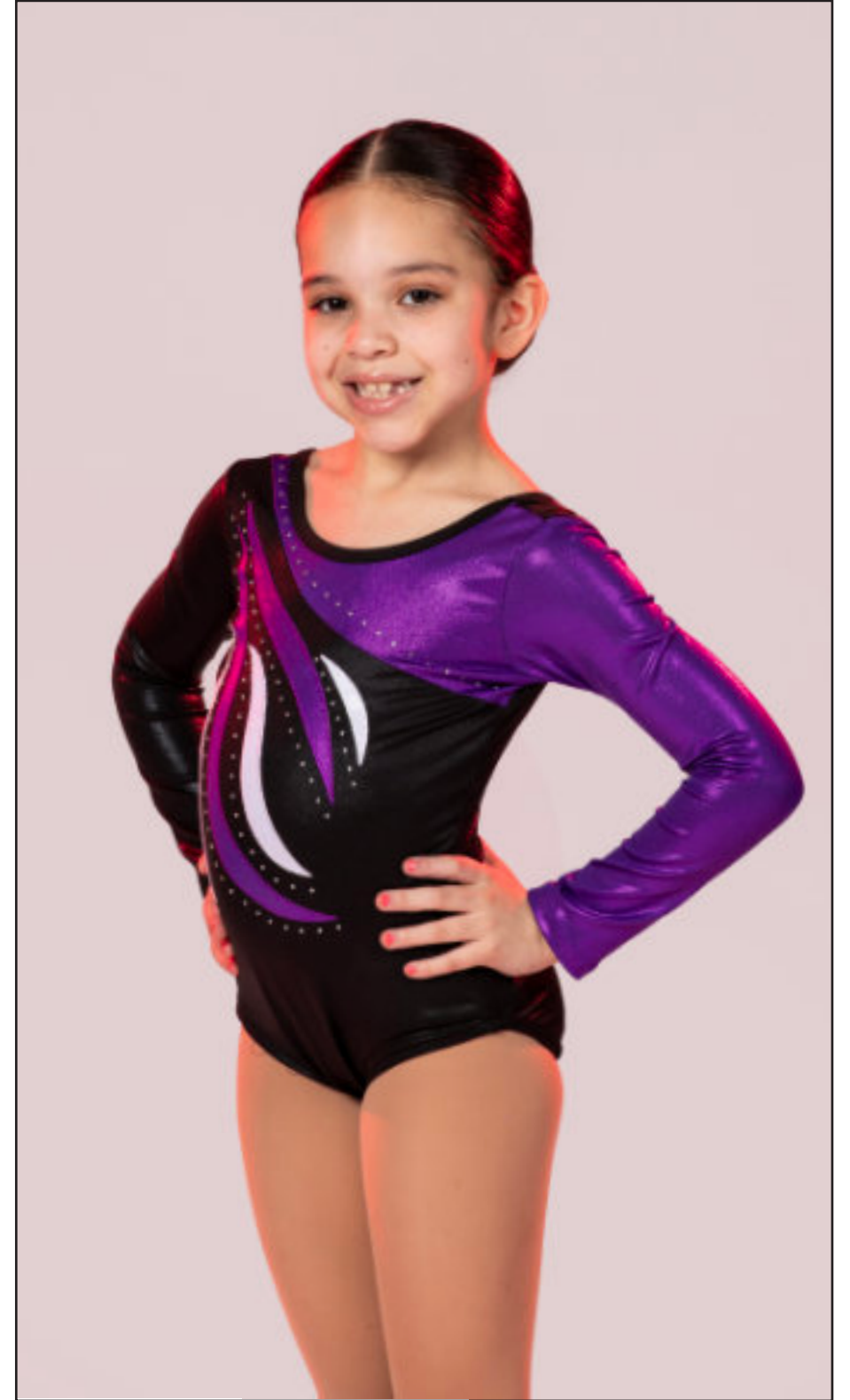
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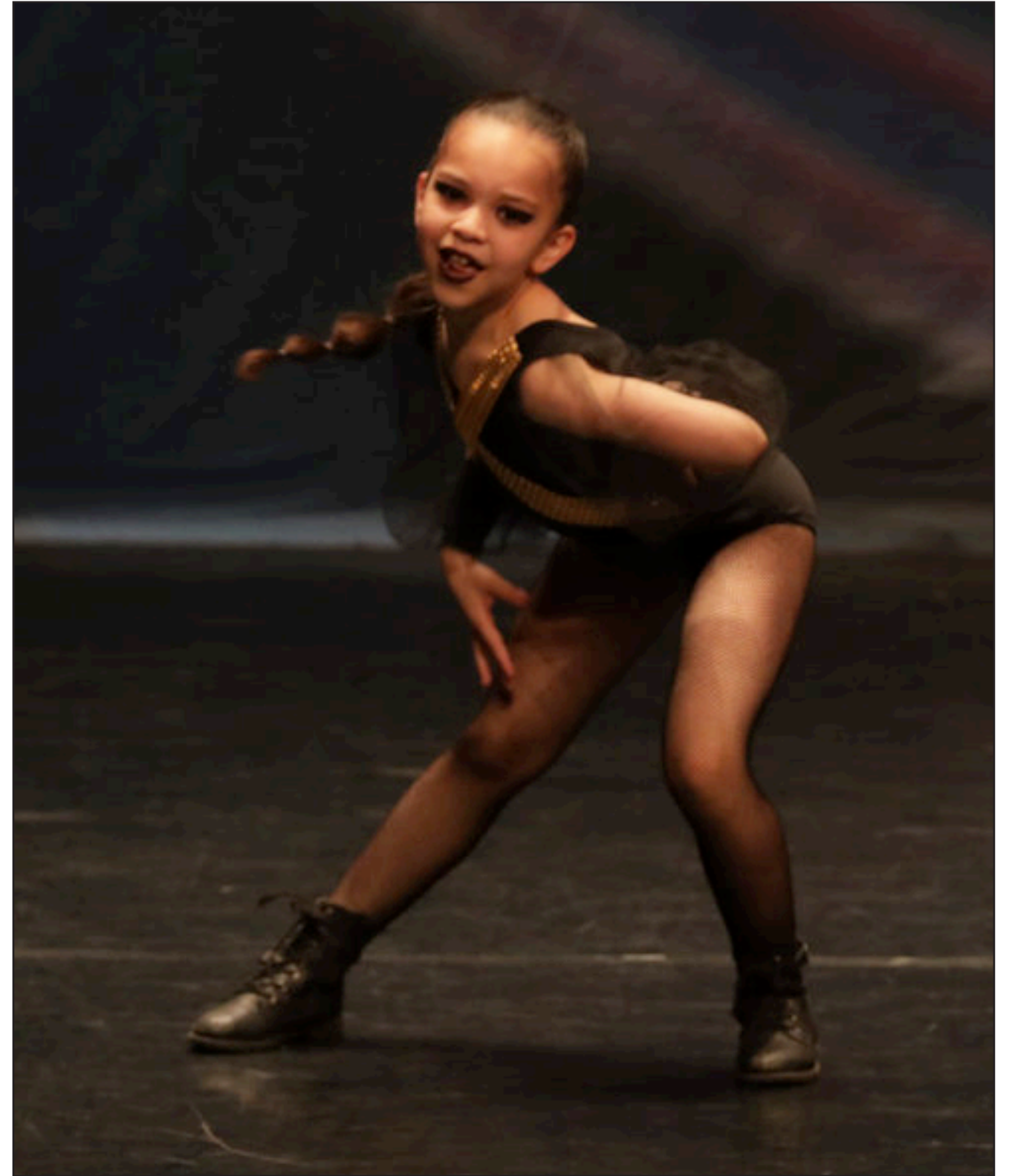


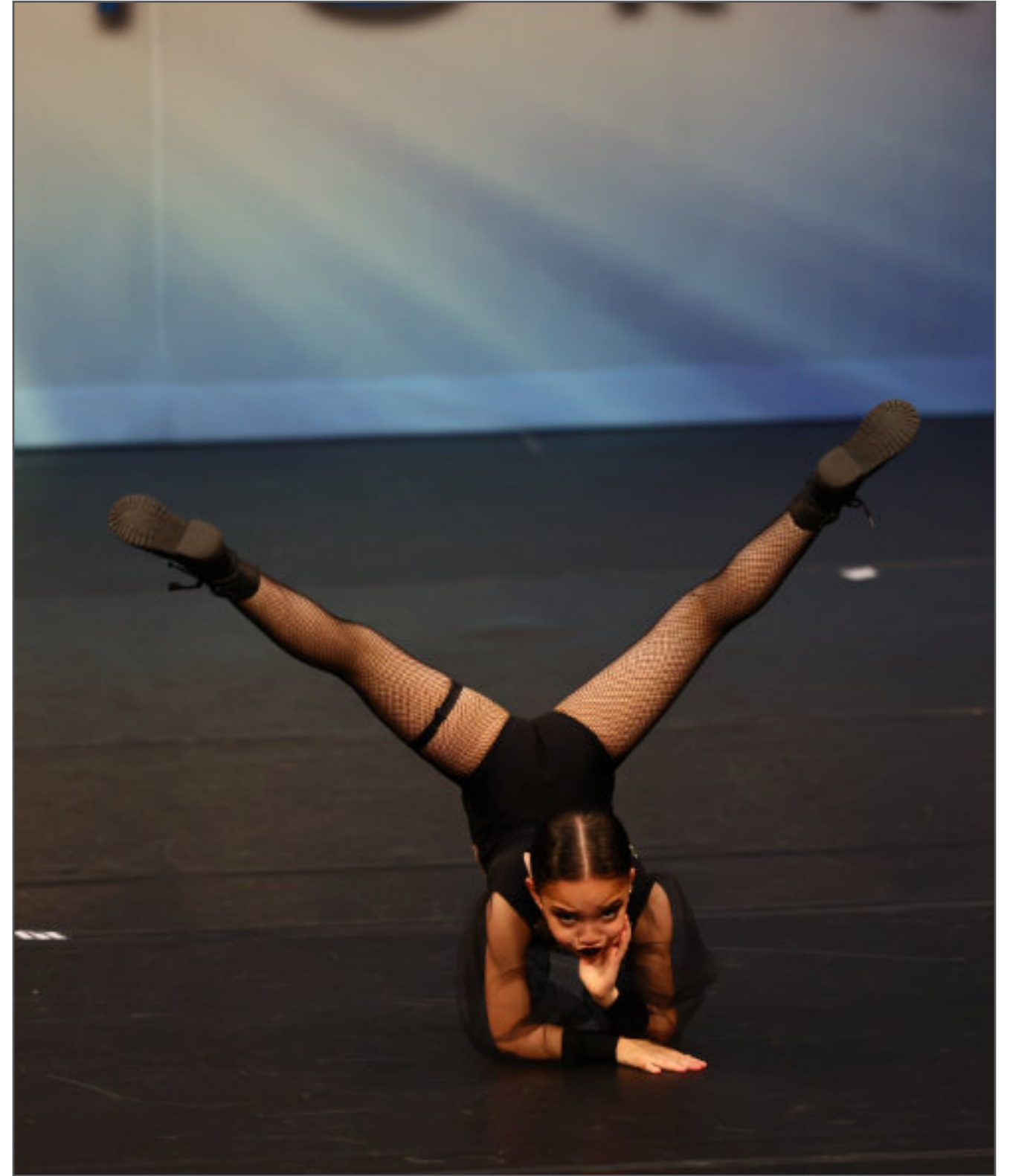


My name is Cianna Sanchez, but all my friends call me CiCi and I just want to say dance is my life! It's my safe place, makes me happy and I don't see myself doing anything other than dance. I started when I was 3 years old at preschool and then I started twirling I loved that too, but I found myself one summer taking dance classes at Dance Tech Studios M.H. and just never left; now I've been dancing competitively with this studio for 4 years now. I've achieved, so much from winning championships to meeting and connecting with different people. I would say my most favorite memory is winning first place for the first time ever at On stage New York. I have so many goals, but one thing for sure is to keep learning and be better at my craft. I want growth. I want to look back and see my progress. I don't strive to be perfect, but I do work hard to be better each time I dance. My dream is to dance in Broadway and with a famous person! (Maybe my girl RiRi) lol. I would also eventually love to open my own studio and teach other future dancers. I basically want to do it all!!!! My advice to any dancers never give up and work hard and everything else will fall into place!

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# Hailey Rafferty



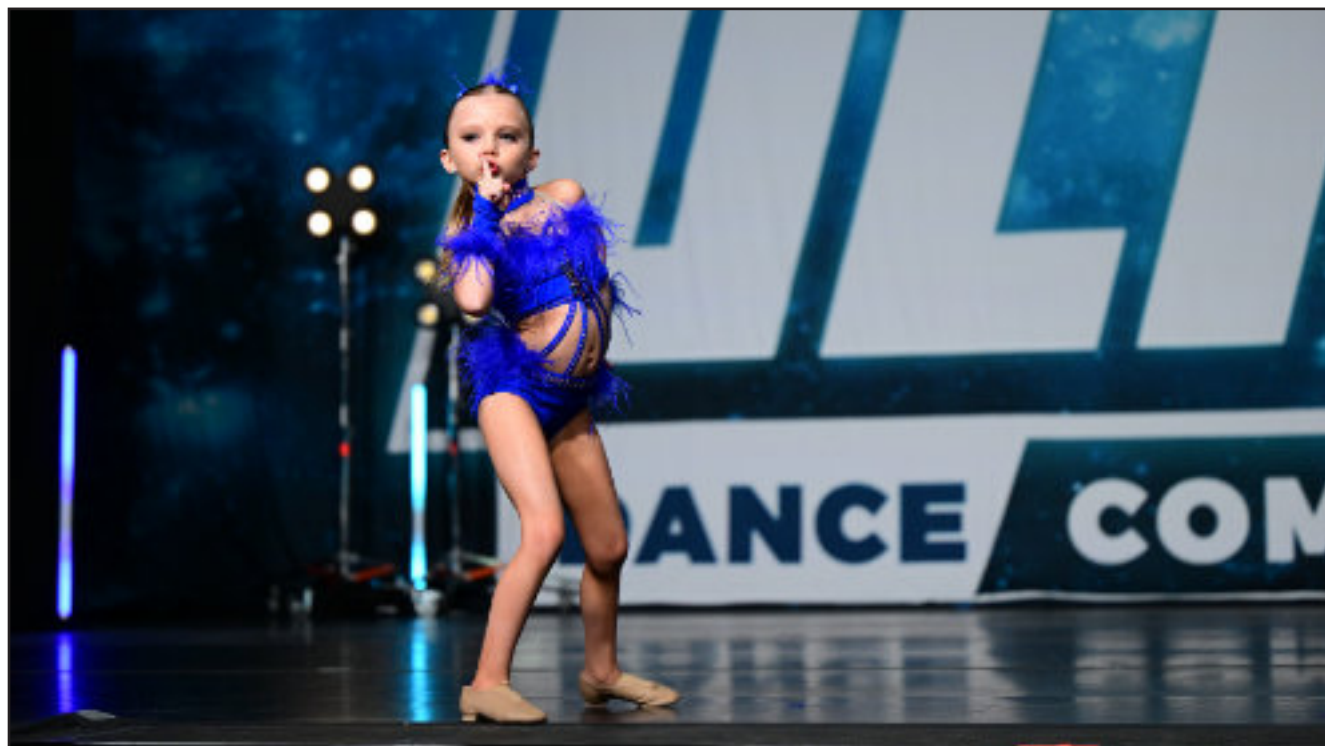
My name is Hailey and I am 8 years old. I am a competitive dancer and a competitive horse vaulter. I also do gymnastics, swim, and play piano. I am homeschooled which makes staying competitive much easier. I love all forms of dance including ballroom. In a typical week I will spend 3 to 5 hours dancing at the studio. My favorite activity to do at home is dance. If I'm not at home or at the studio dancing then I am dancing on a horse. I have been competing in dance going on 4 years and horse vaulting going on 3 years. Between the two I have earned over 100 awards including North Valley High Point Champion in my division for horse vaulting. I would love to get more into modeling. I also want to do commercials as well as music videos. My goal and dream is to one day compete in the Olympics with ballroom dance as well as horse vaulting. For as long as I can remember all I ever wanted to do was dance.

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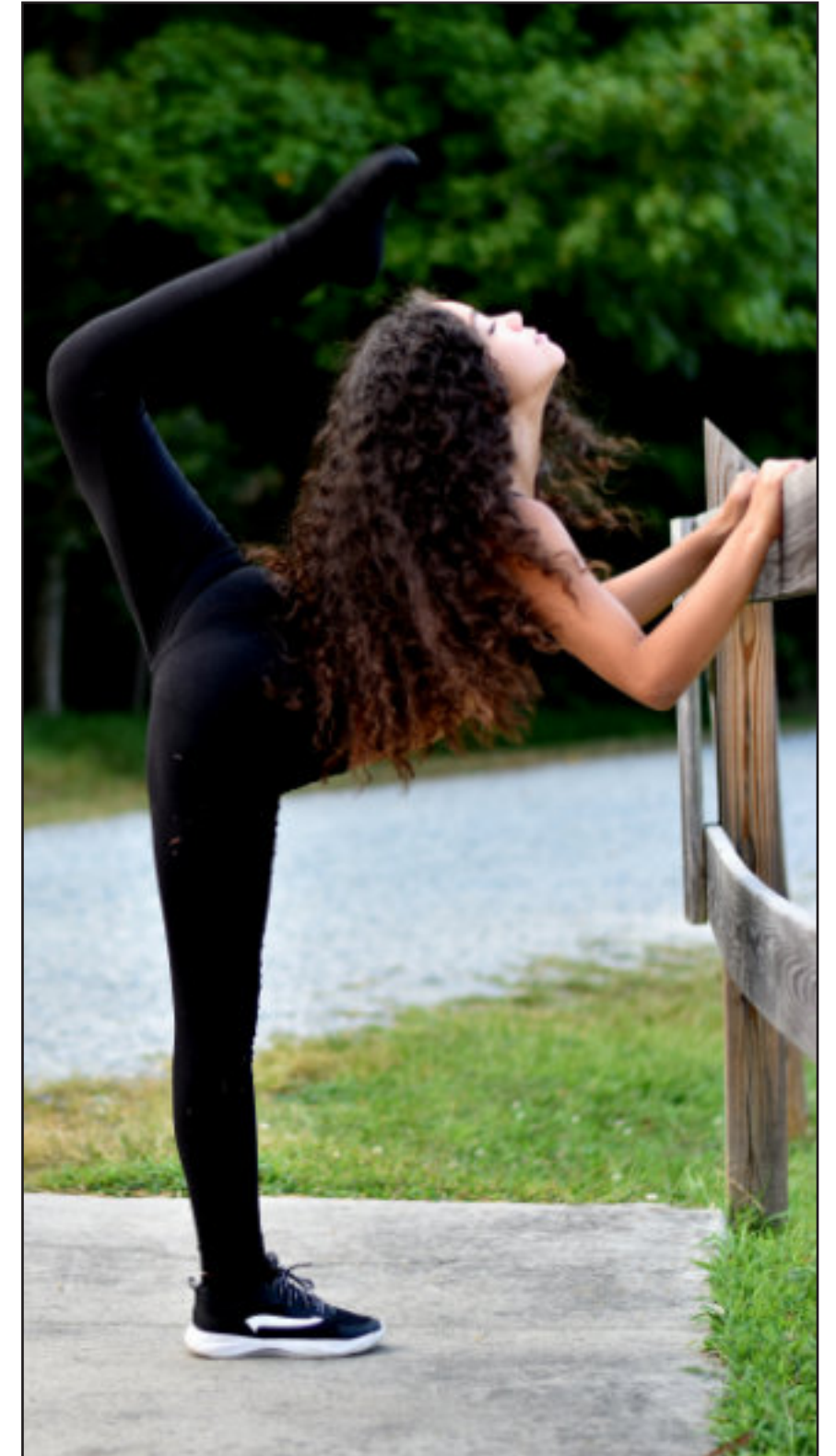


# Hailey Rafferty



# Hazel

My name is Hazel, I am 10 years old and I love to Dance, I have been dancing for 6 years and I enjoy everything about it.







# Kenzlei Scott



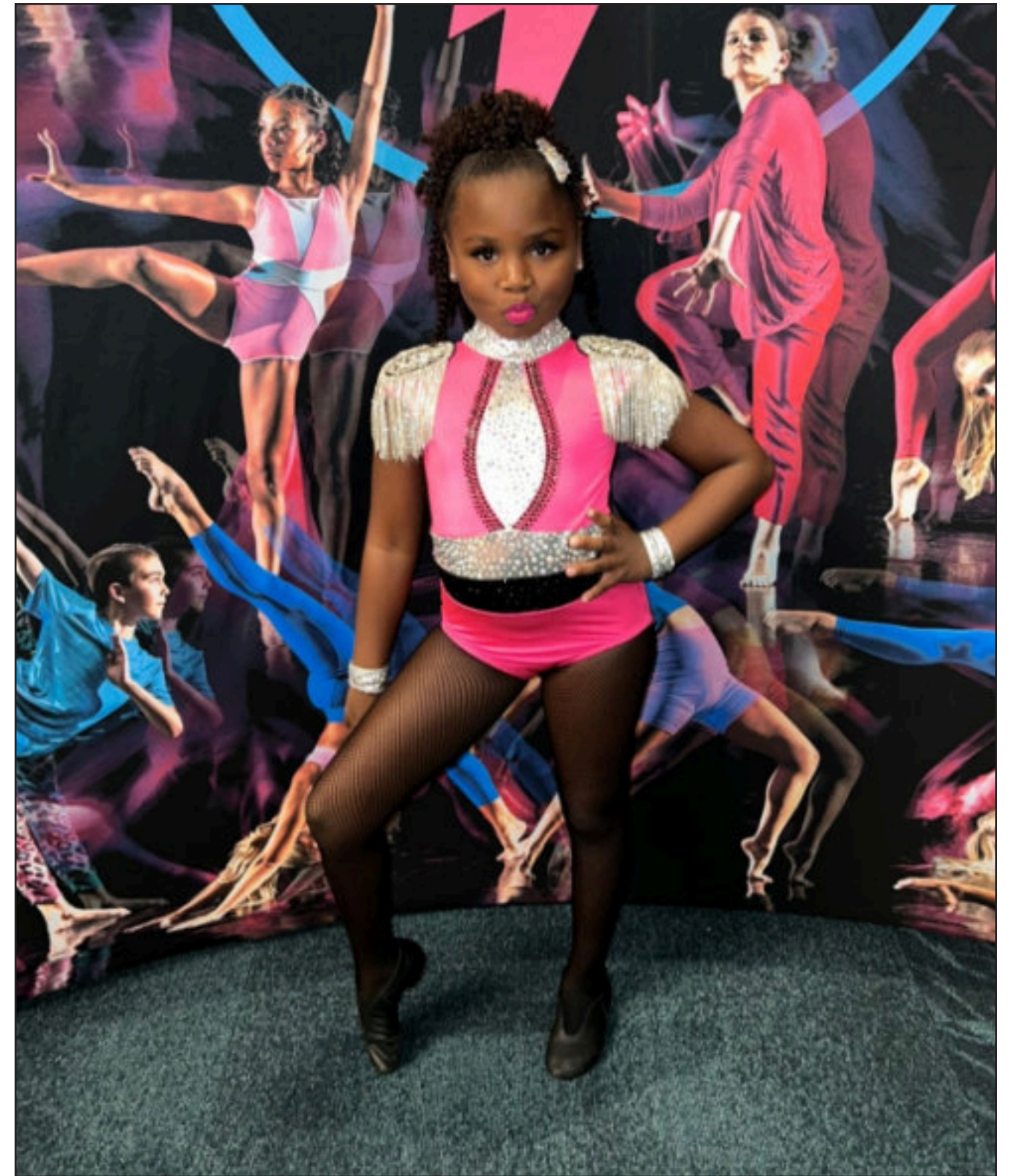
Hi my name is Kenzlei Scott I'm 8 yrs old, my dreams are to one day become a celebrity choreographer and fashion designer. Also I would love to open my own dance studio to teach young

kids about dance. I have been dancing since the age of 2. I can't see myself doing anything else dance is my life. It makes me confident makes me feel like I can do anything.









# Madison Hope Eaton

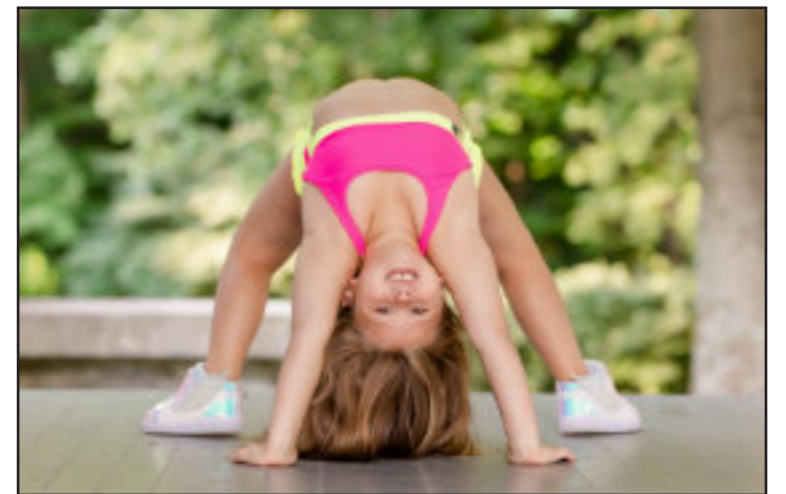
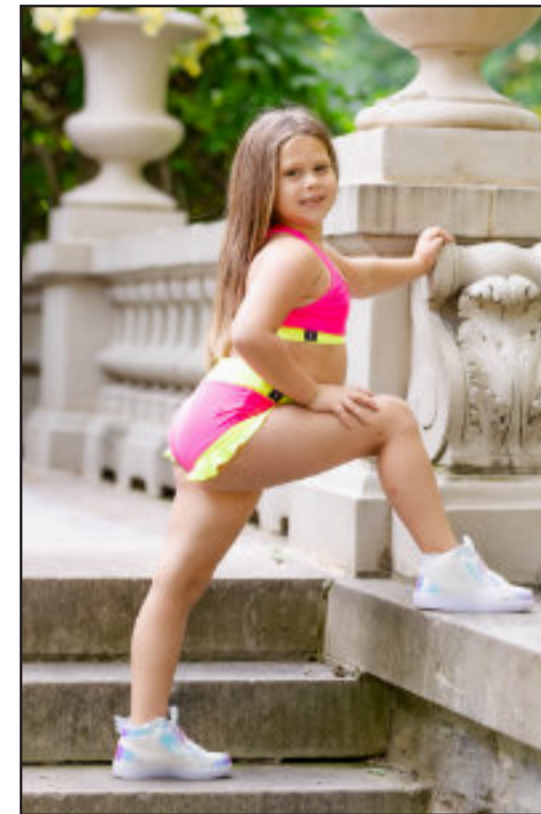


Madison Hope Eaton, affectionately known as Maddie or Maddie Hope by her friends, embarked on her journey in the world of dance at a local studio in Southern York County, Pennsylvania, when she was just 18 months old. Since then, she has been captivating audiences with her remarkable stage presence and talents, mastering various dance styles, including ballet, lyrical, jazz, tap, acro, and most recently, hip hop.

Despite her young age of five, Maddie has already proven herself as a rising star in the entertainment industry. Her exceptional skills have garnered her several top ten placements in the 8-and-under mini division, and she proudly holds the title of Tiny Miss Talent Olympics 2022. Being the youngest member of the esteemed competition team, the Shooting Stars at MgM Dance Studio in Shrewsbury, Pennsylvania,



speaks volumes about her dedication and passion for dance. To further refine her craft, Maddie attended two dance intensives in the summer of 2023: one at Greater Dover Dance Academy, focusing on ballet, and another at Powerhouse Dance Alliance, where she honed her musical theater and jazz talents. Additionally, she participated in a virtual tap intensive with renowned artist Anthony Lo Cascio from Tap Dogs. Eager to expand her skills and connect with fellow dancers, Maddie is looking forward to attending two dance conventions in the fall, WILD and DECA.



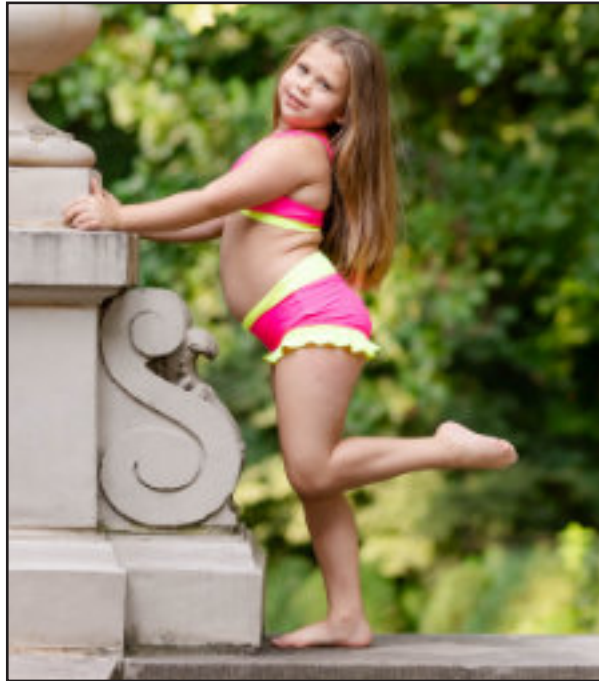
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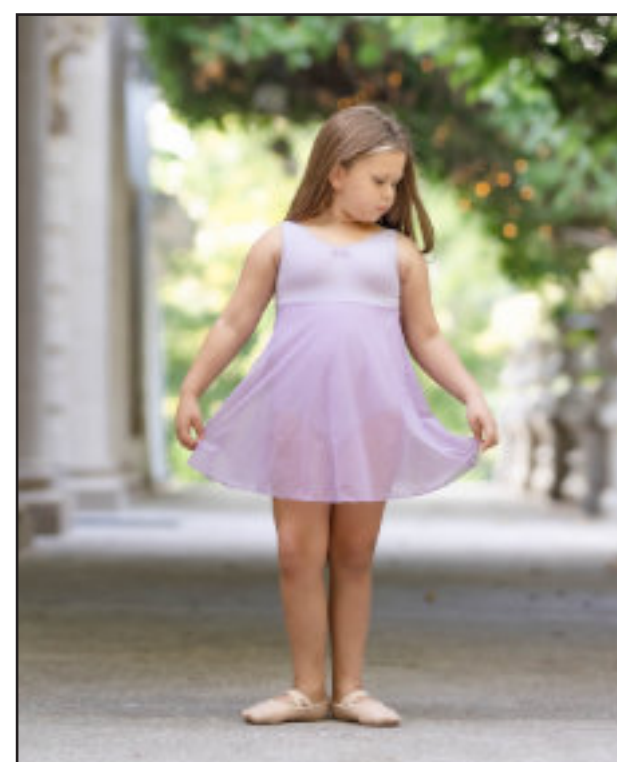
the runway for Willow Bean Studio at New York Fashion Week in September 2023.

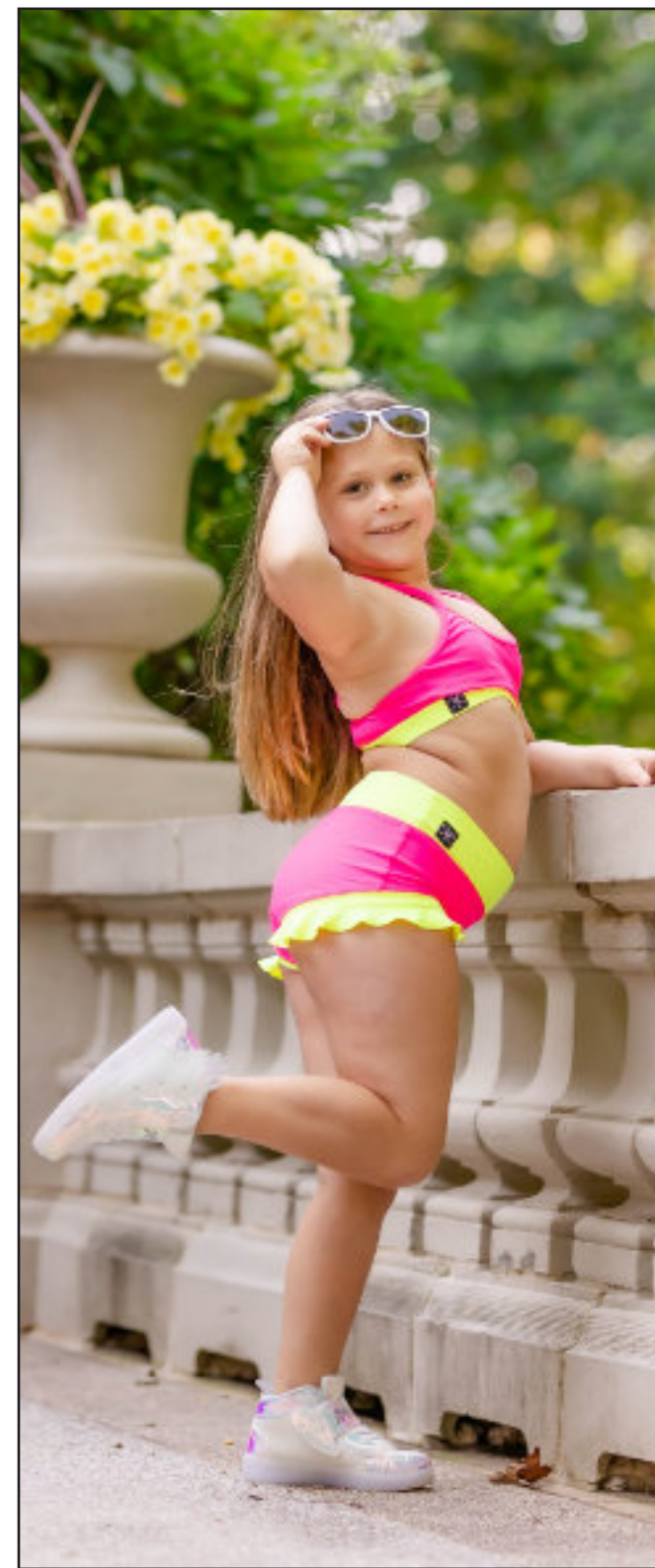
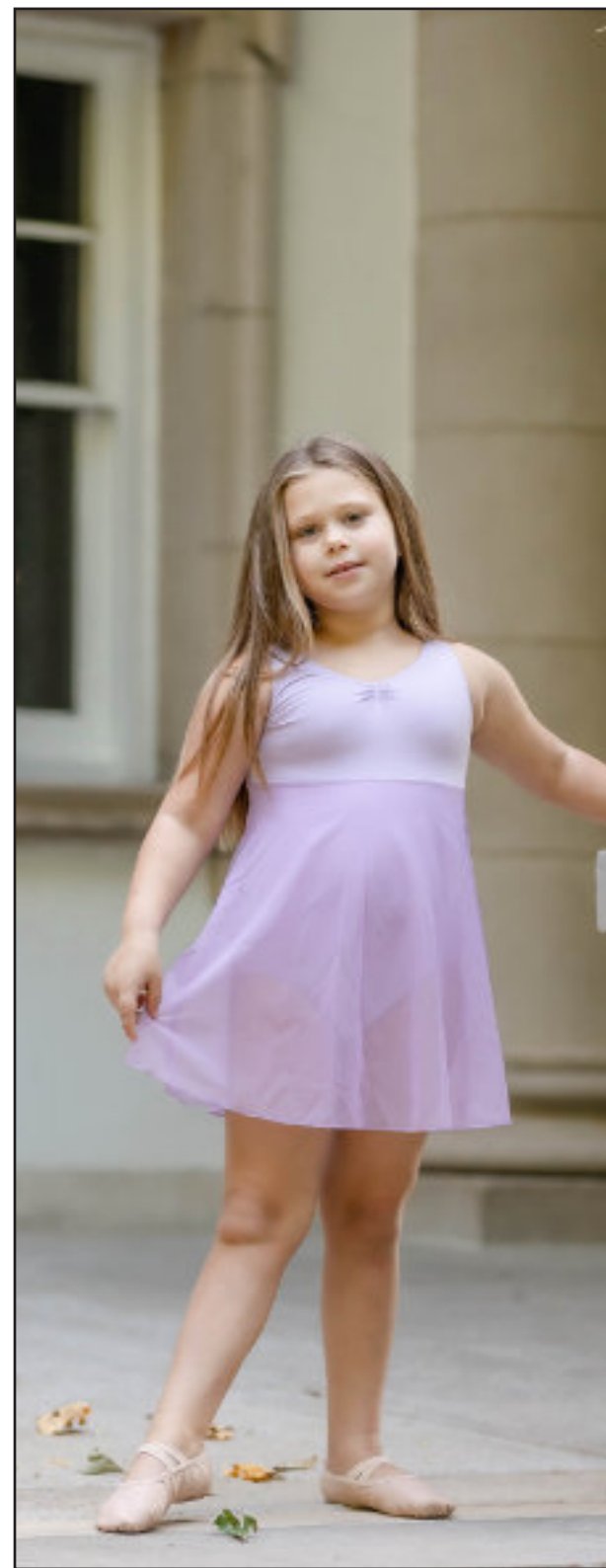
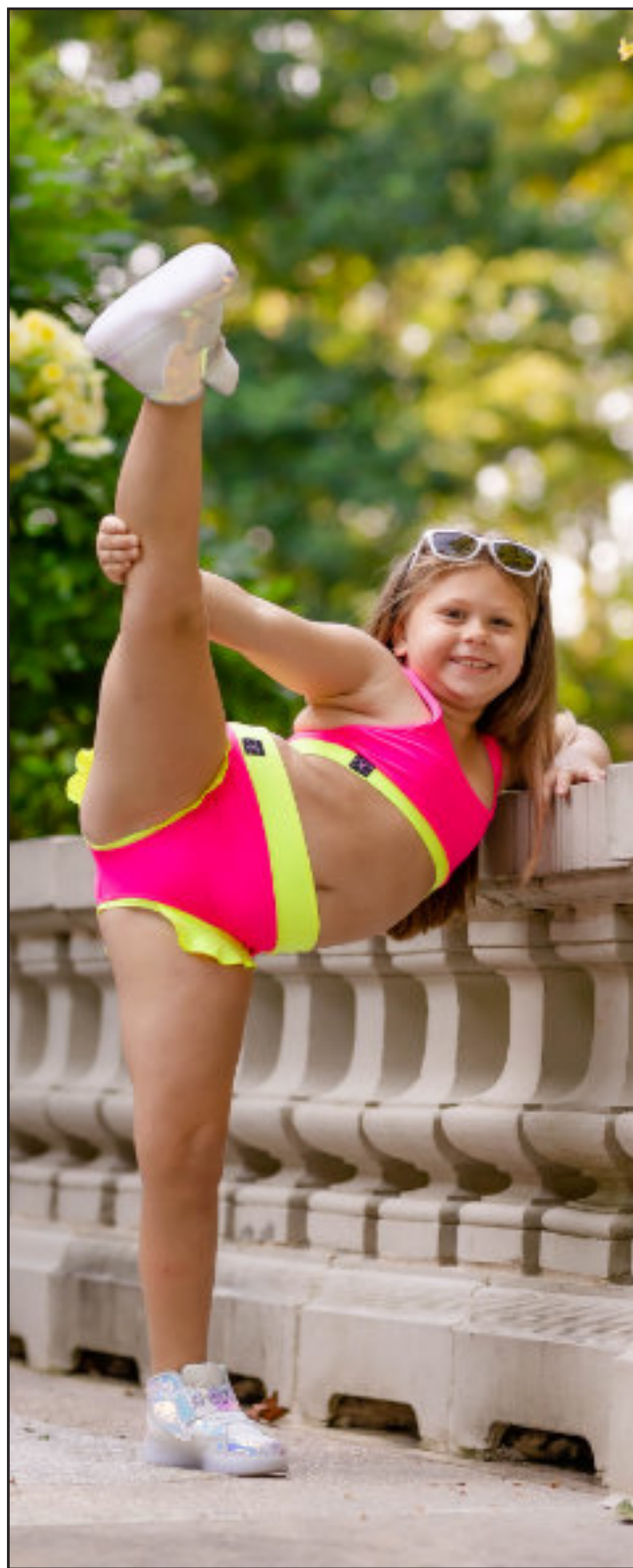
Living in South Central Pennsylvania, just an hour away from Philadelphia and less than three hours from NYC, Maddie shares her life with her biggest supporters: her mother Heather, father James, big brother Jack, and lovable puppy Mickey. In her free time, she relishes exploring the world through travel, indulging in downhill skiing and rock climbing, and cherishing moments with her family. Maddie's passion for experiencing new cultures fuels her desire to collect passport stamps from around the globe.

With an innate talent and an unwavering passion for the performing arts, Maddie is destined to shine brightly in her pursuit of a fulfilling and exciting future.

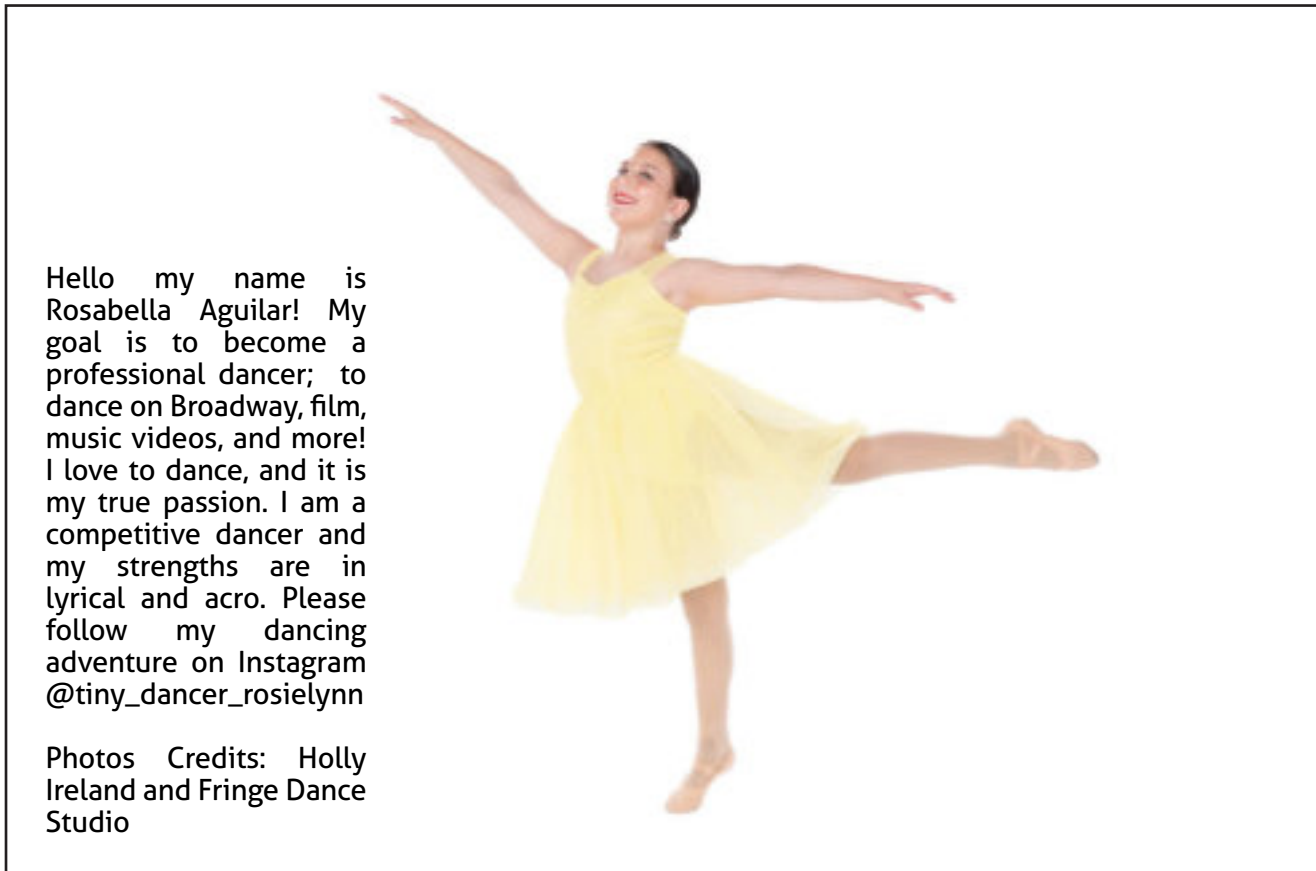
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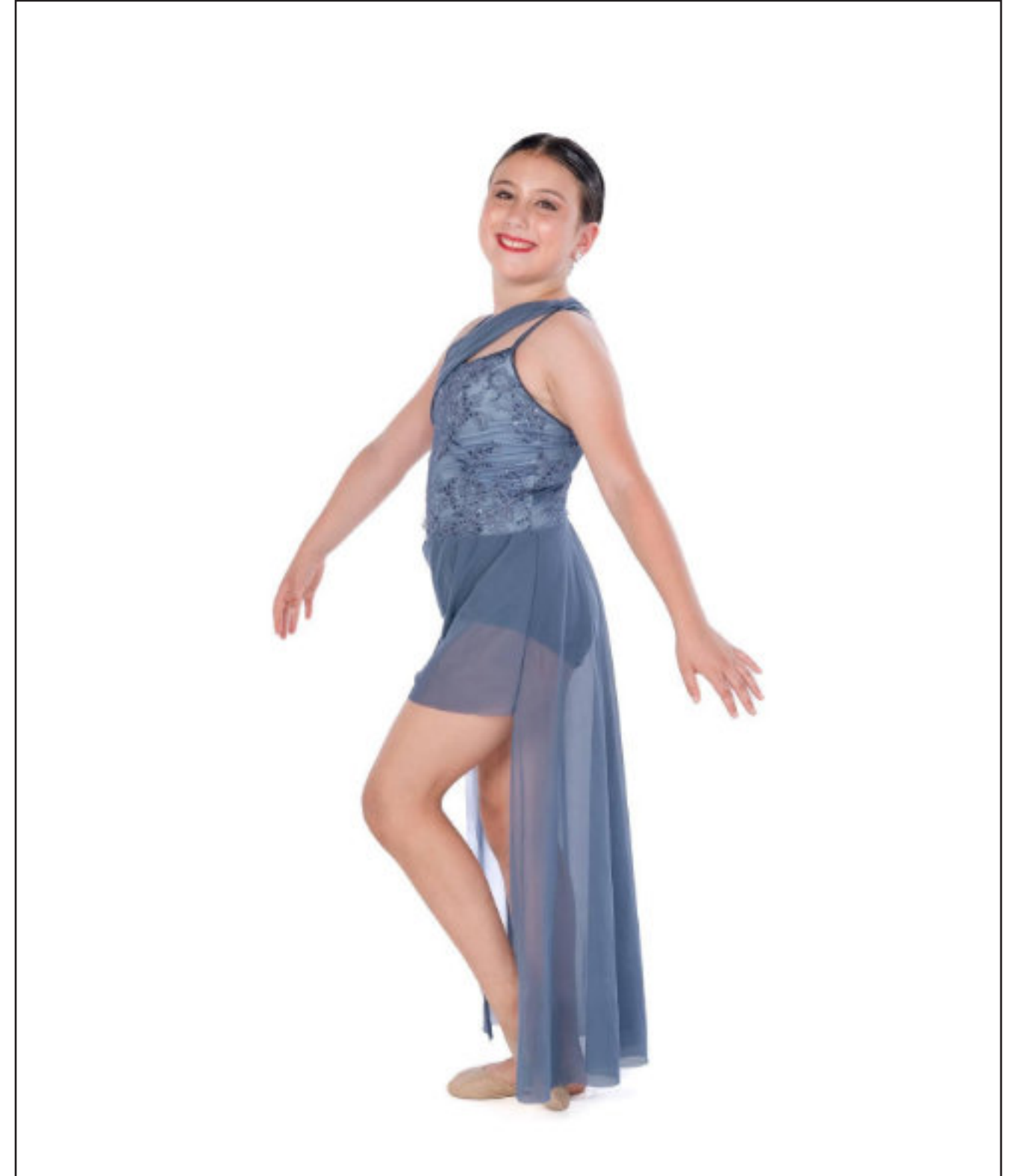


# Rosabella Aguilar



Hello my name is Rosabella Aguilar! My goal is to become a professional dancer; to dance on Broadway, film, music videos, and more! I love to dance, and it is my true passion. I am a competitive dancer and my strengths are in lyrical and acro. Please follow my dancing adventure on Instagram @tiny\_dancer\_rosielynn

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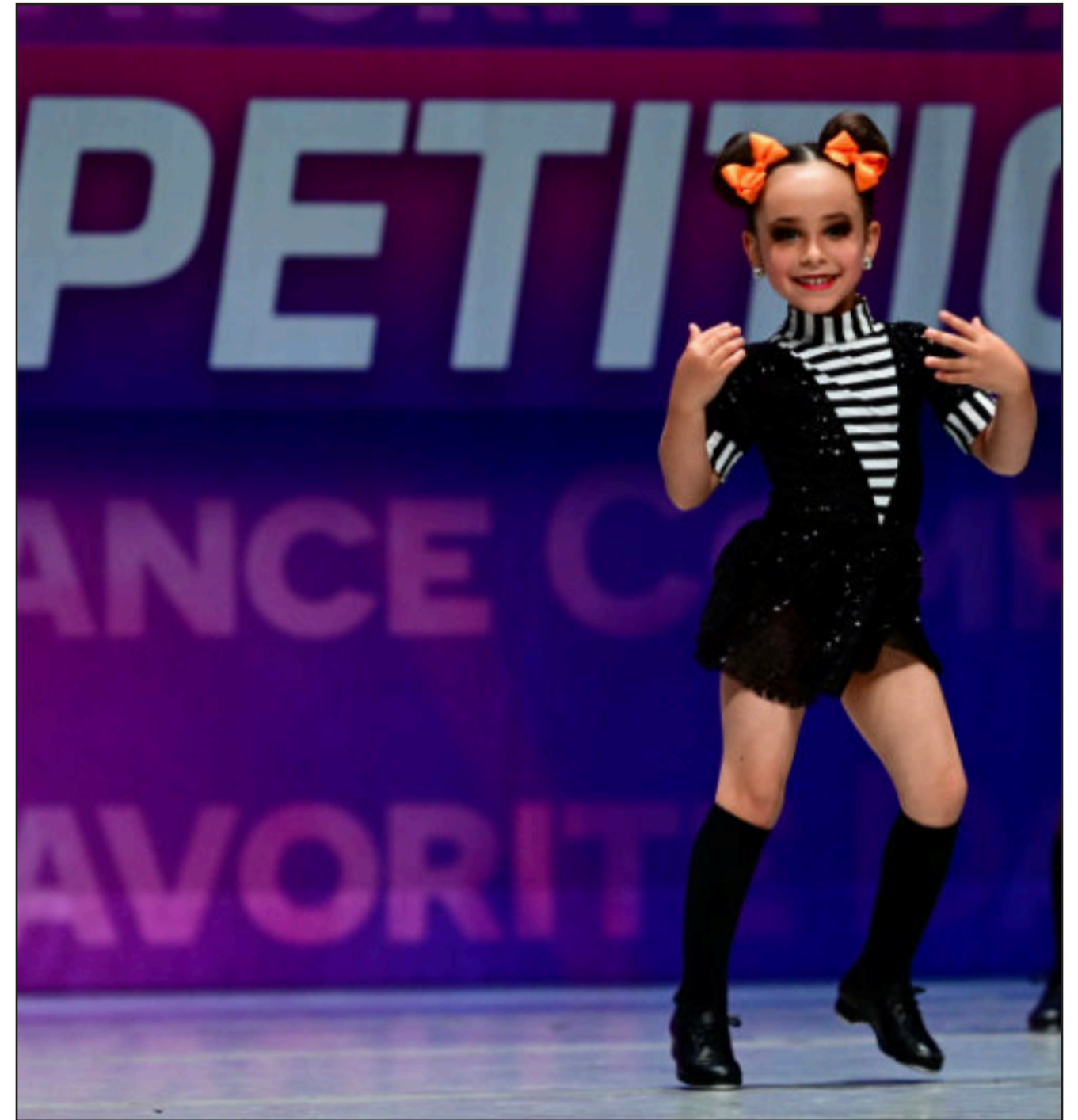






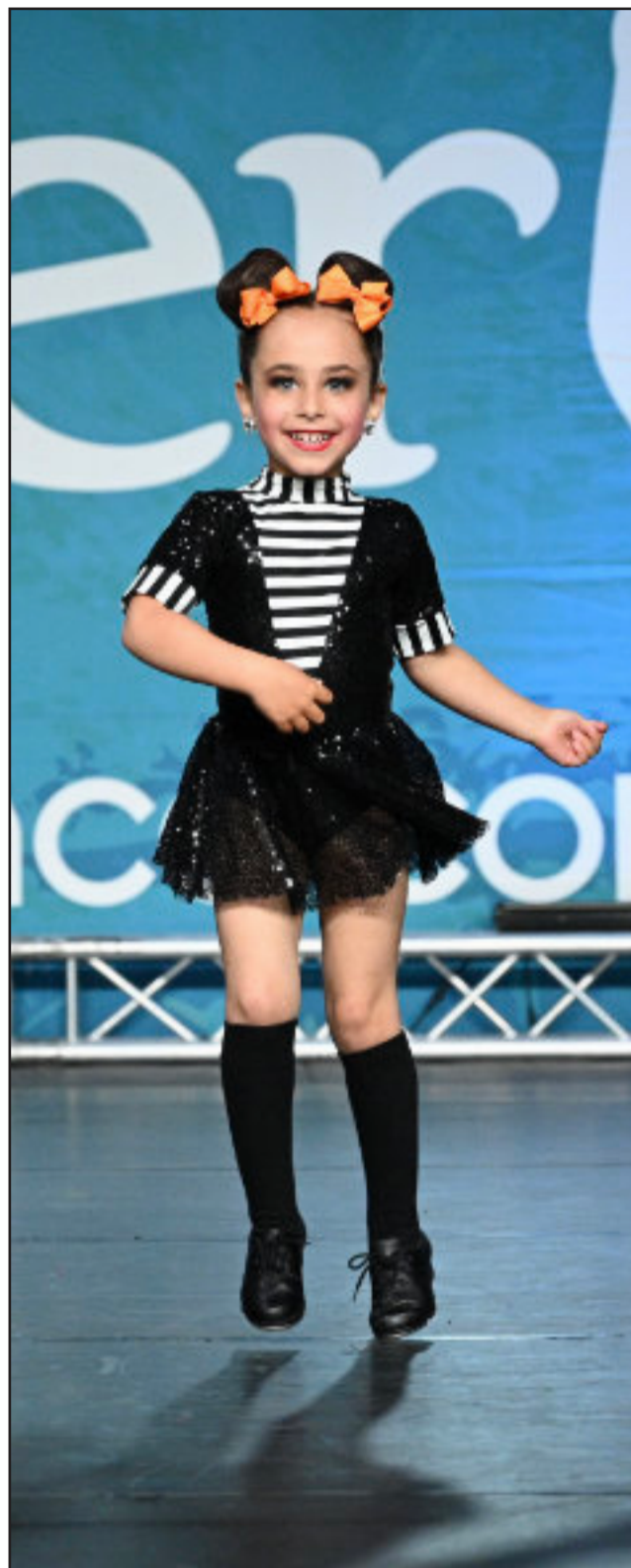
My name is Scarlett and I'm 4 years old. This will be my second year of competitive dance. I love performing and being on stage. My favorite type of dance is tap and I love learning new steps.

When I grow up, I want to be a dancer and veterinarian. This year I want to continue learning and improving my technique. I can't wait to see what this season brings!





# Scarlett Stone



# Shelby Mason

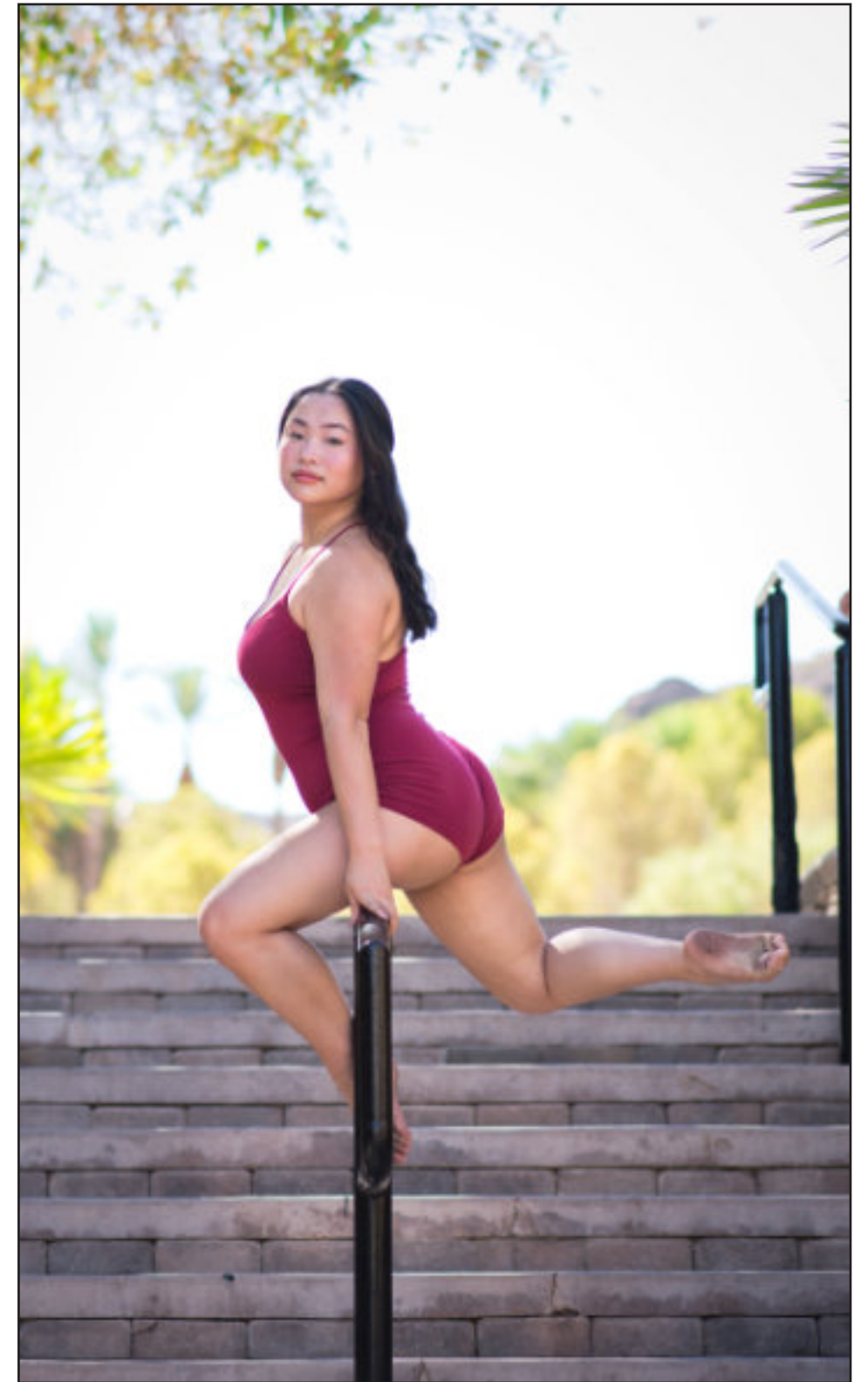


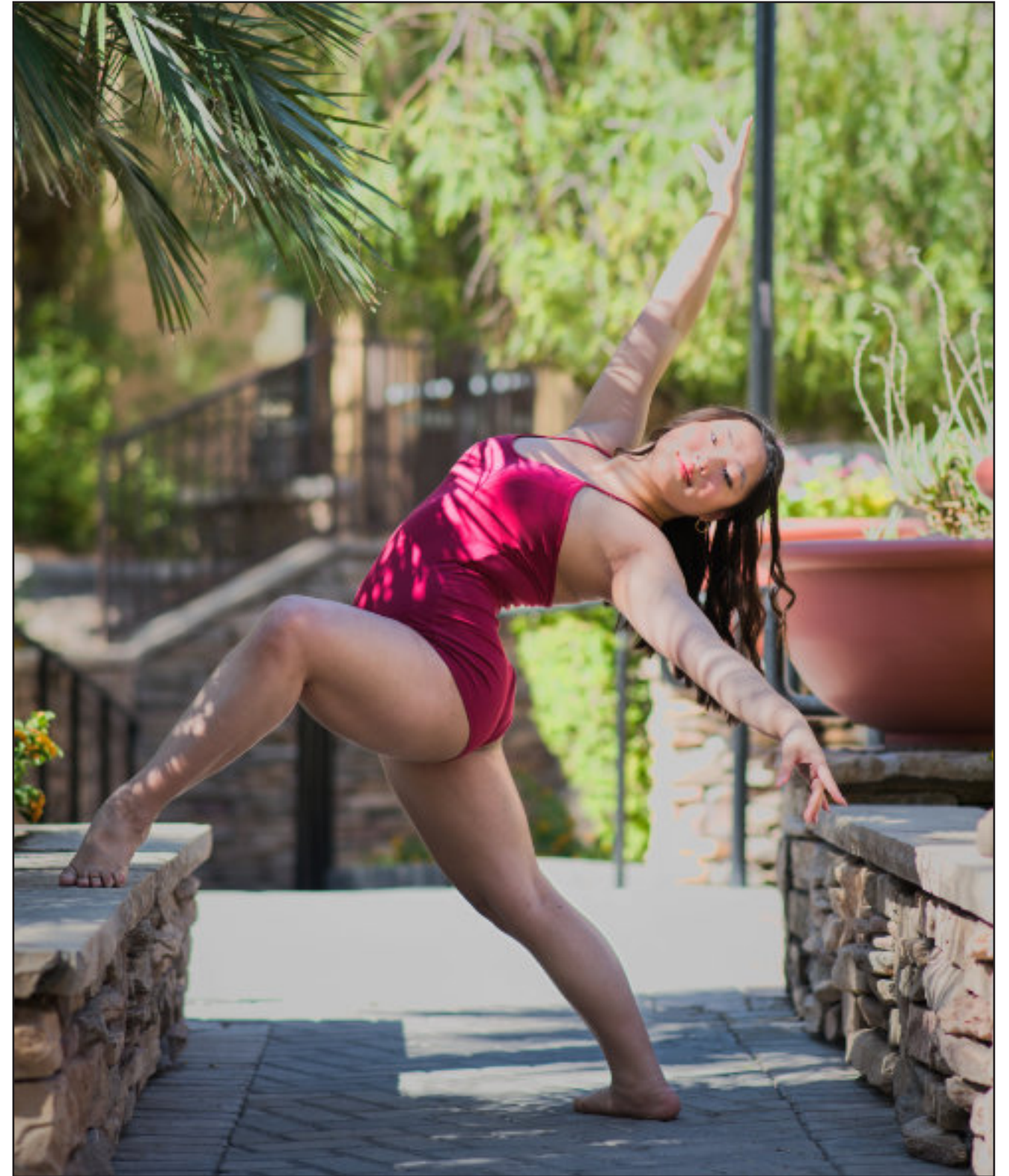
My name is Shelby and I've been dancing my entire life. I love ballet but I also like contemporary and hip hop. This is my senior year of high school and I plan to major in dance in college and pursue it professionally after graduation. I feel I'm a good role model for other dancers because of my dedication and

commitment. I also want to show other dancers that dance, including ballet, is for everyone no matter your height, body type, or age. Anyone can benefit from the physical and emotional benefits of dancing.

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My name is Sophia, I'm 13 years old and I was born and raised in an outer borough of New York City. From a very early age, kids are conditioned to dream about becoming "big" professionally. They are told about the importance of having a successful career. Everyone they've come across asks them what they would like to do when they grow up or what they'd want to be. Once they have figured it out, they put their eyes on the prize and give their best effort and intentions to achieve the dream.

I formulated a dream from an early age: I aspire to be a professional dancer! To dance around the world on cruises or on Broadway or on tour with famous artists or choreographers doing what I love while making a living would be a dream come true! I would feel like my life is complete. Right now I'm focusing on learning and growing each day – balancing myself both emotionally and physically is critical to supporting my development.

The biggest challenge (and accomplishment)

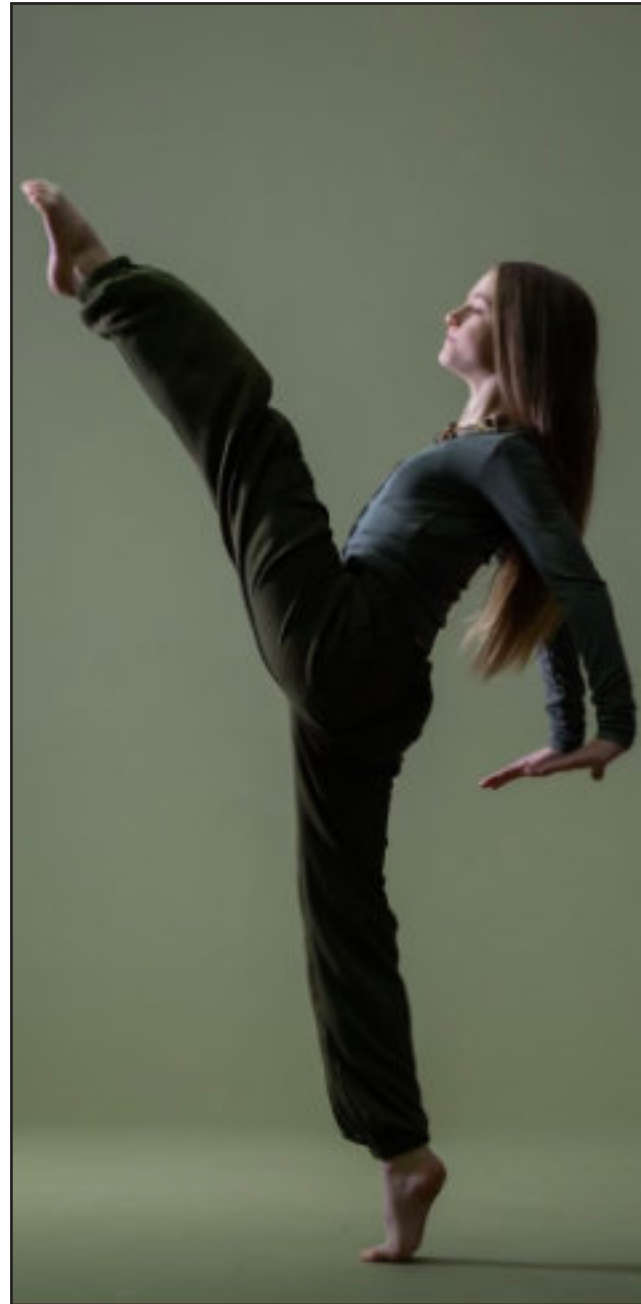
I've faced is overcoming self-doubt. I am my biggest critic and sometimes the critic in me tends to dominate my thoughts causing me to hold back when I should be going "all out" instead. Fun fact: I've been dancing competitively since the age of 6. I've worked extremely hard at conquering my insecurities with unrelenting perseverance, deep-



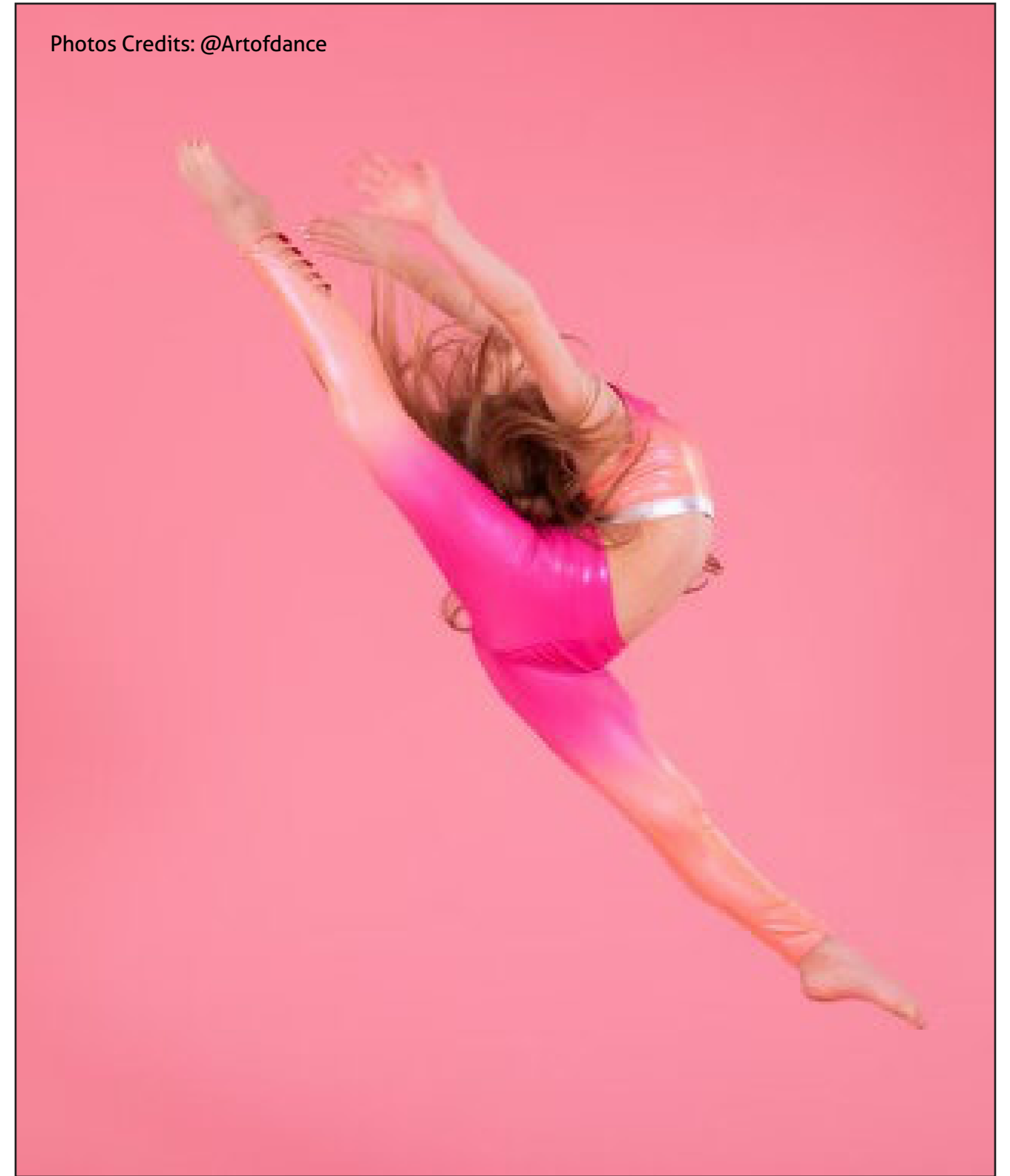
# Sophia Shane

rooted love and unwavering dedication to this artform – doing so helped me move forward despite my self-perceived shortcomings and I grateful to everyone in my life who has supported me every step of the way. I am continuously a “work in progress”.

My most significant achievement is being accepted into the Jazz & Contemporary Trainee Program at Joffrey Ballet School in NYC. I am thrilled to have the opportunity to learn from some of the best instructors in the industry and look forward to starting in September. Carpe Diem!



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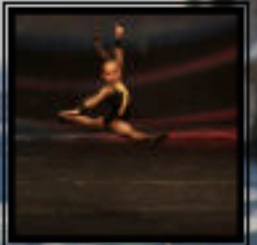
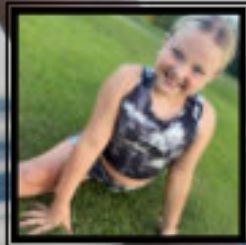


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