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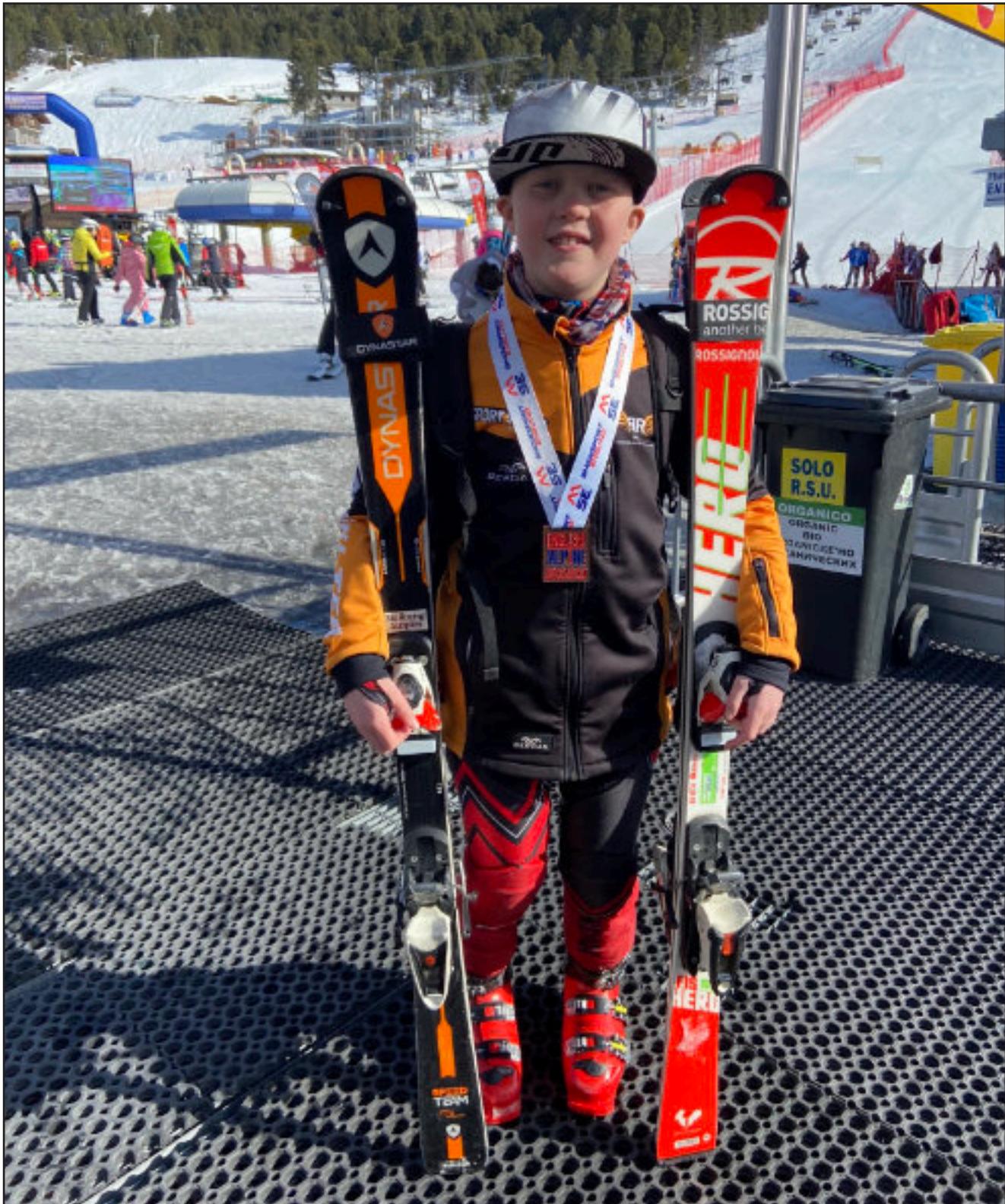


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**A Ski Racer's Dream**  
My family has shown me the beauty and appreciation of nature through hiking, biking, backpacking, climbing, and, my favorite, ski racing. One of my dreams is to meet Mikaela Shiffrin and, hopefully, someday ski at her level. I dream about eventually winning a World Cup Crystal Globe and participating in the 2026 and 2030 Olympics. My main goal is to fine tune my technique in GS and slalom in order to win a podium spot at NASTAR Nationals 2022 in Snowmass, CO. Some challenges that I face include perfecting and improving my line during every race, and to focus on process rather than outcome. My achievements include winning all of the Fun Races that I have participated in during the last four years at my local ski area, Wolf Creek, CO and medaled in all of the Wolf Creek Challenge Series races. I have also won gold at all of my out of town races. I have been an active member of the Wolf Creek Ski Team for the past four years. I qualified at platinum level for 2021 and 2022 for NASTAR Nationals championships. This is my career in ski racing so far in my life, I look forward to what's ahead of me. "ASFTTB" Mikaela Shiffrin  
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# JÉRÔME DRAPEAU



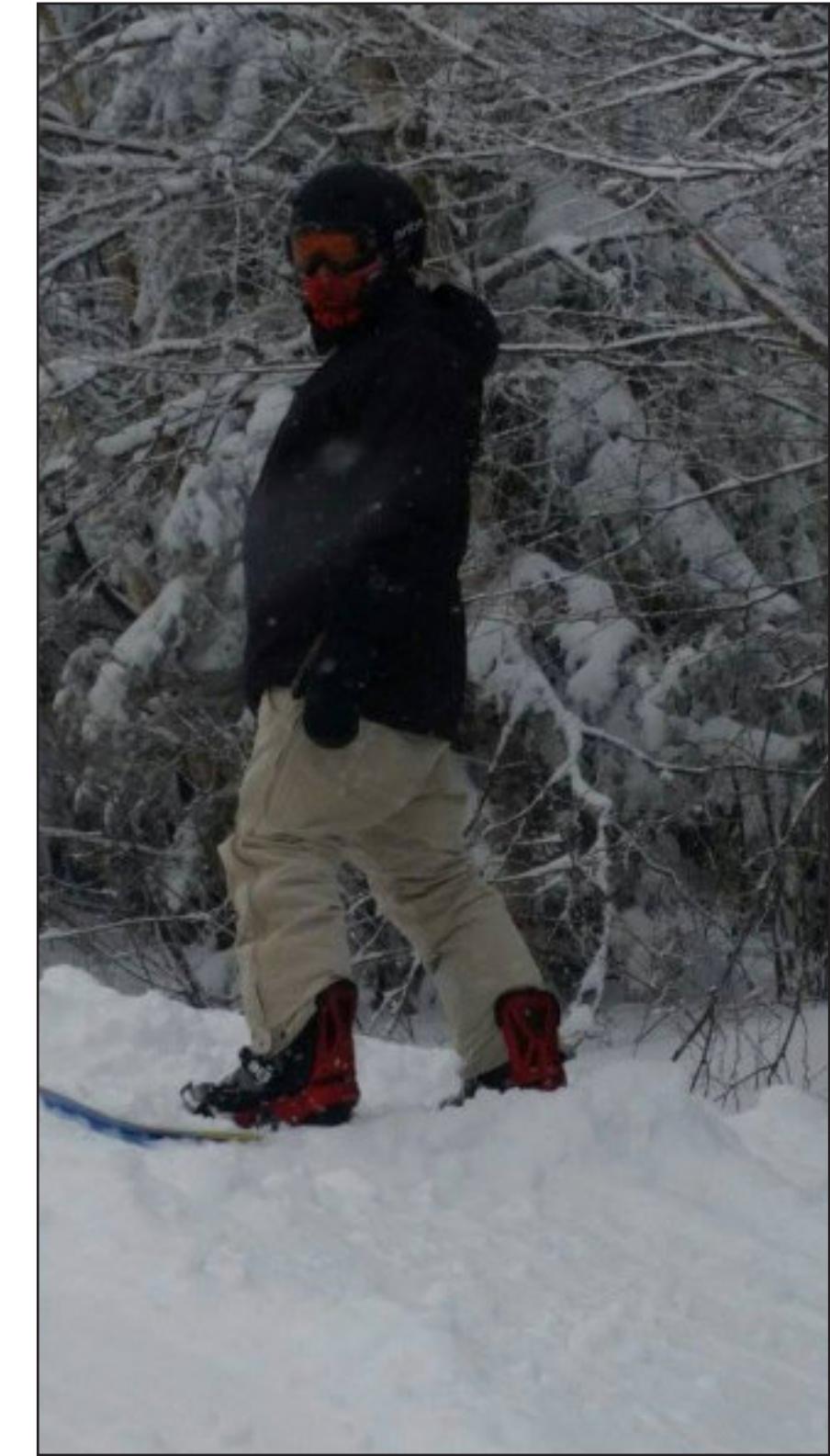
My name is Jérôme Drapeau. Some would like better to say: I usually let my skateboarding do the talking. But the bottom line is: All we want is to go skateboarding. During the 1990's, back when I started, skateboarder was considered bums, and most of us like the underground, its not a sport status. Personally, when I started skateboarding, in 1994, it became a life time choice and all I want to do. To me, it's not a trend, I consider skateboarding as a lifestyle and culture. I like good vibe and friendly mood. I'll keep skateboarding no matter what and until my body is letting me. I'm proudly supporting the

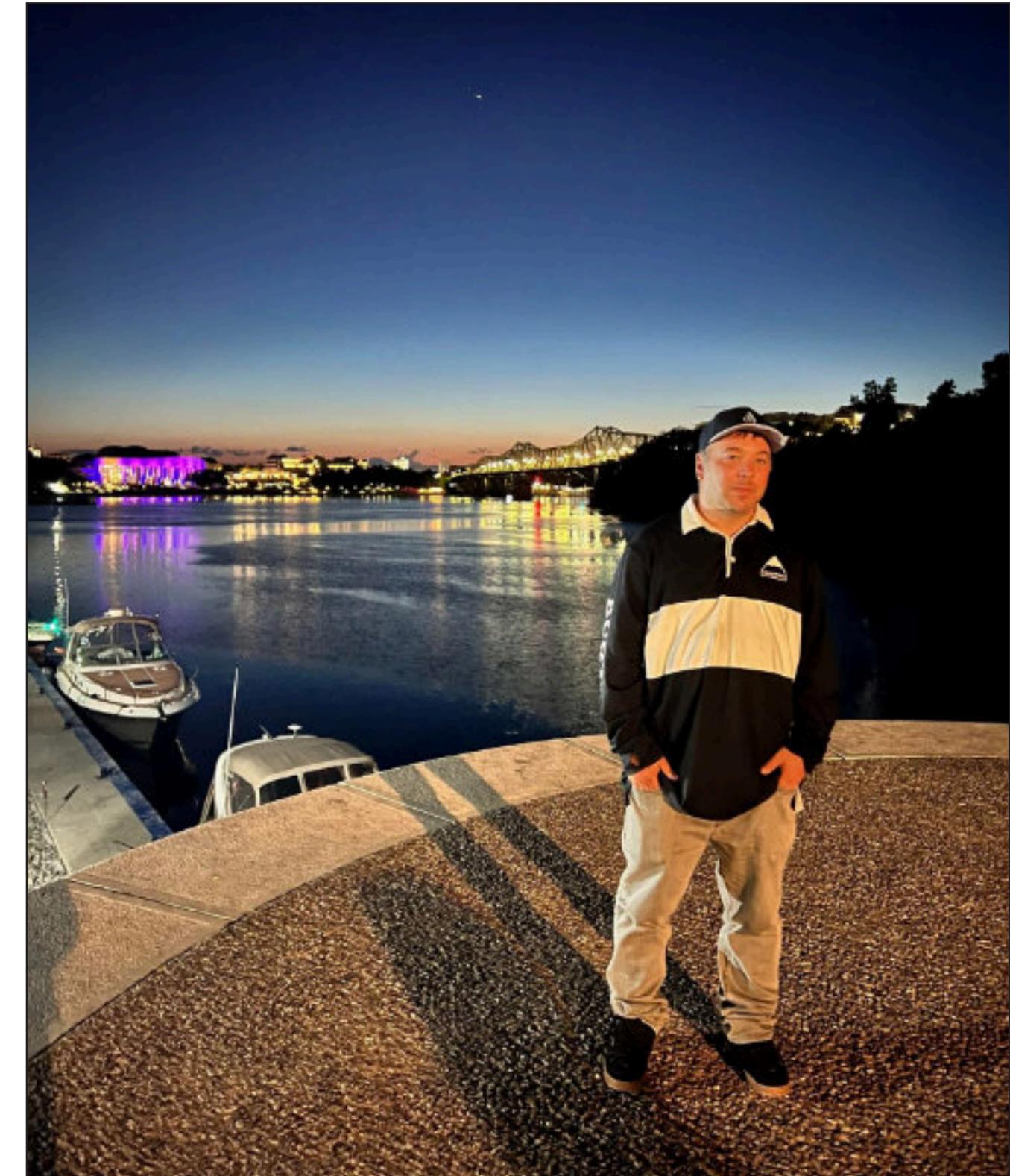
creativity and realization of the act of skateboarding, since 1994. Skateboarding is an activity that you can practice in a complete urban environment. The city = human nature. Skateboarding is a street art; cities are like this big wonderland. Skateboard is making you take a brand-new look to the city. Skateboarding is an individual activity / sport that you can practice alone or with friends. Sometimes friends help to push your own limit. It's bringing personal joy from an individual performance.

Photos Credits: Friends









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# THALEYA SKYE WALKER

My name is Thaleya Skye Walker I live in Lake Tahoe it's always exciting with the Lake and Bears in my backyard. My name is pronounced (Tah'- Ley - ah) I'm a 2 Sport Athlete I play Soccer and Ski Race. I also love backcountry skiing with my Dad. I am American but my heritage comes from England, Mexico, Italy, Philipines and the Netherlands there may also be Native American in our family line. It is my dream to be a Professional Athlete in either or both sports I would love to play for FC Barcelona or Paris Saint Germain and also The USWNT. As a Ski Racer in the Far West Division I have 8 Wins and 12 Podiums and have won the coveted Far West Division Overall Title 2wice! (2020 & 2022) Which means I was the #1 U10 & U12 Girl in the whole division. I have also beat the entire field of competitors (about 160-190) which includes all of the boys 4 different times. I also would have finished 2nd in the Boys FarWest Overall Title 2wice (2020 & 2022.) As a Soccer Player I have played 1 year up in the boys leagues playing for Battleborn FC, I have played for a highly ranked NorCal ECNL Girls Team, I play NorCal Premier PDP and have been selected by an International Academy for opportunities to play in Europe. I am excited to be working with a new Sponsor Top Tier Athletics they have become big supporters of my dreams. It's hard to balance everything, I focus really hard to not waste time at training sessions I must get the most out of the time I have. My Dad is my #1 Ski Coach and has taught me everything I know. My Mom helps me with yoga and makes my lunches and avocado toast in the morning, I Love Her :) My Nana and Papa are always supporting my dreams, I am blessed by God to have them. My Soccer Coach Gio Partida is always pushing my skills to the next level. I have faced all kinds of challenges but some of the biggest are dealing with people who don't understand that I do things different because it works! And it works for me. My Dad always says be open to new information but don't let the limitations of others determine your future. Always think outside the box that others are trapped in.

Photos Credits: Anthony Walker



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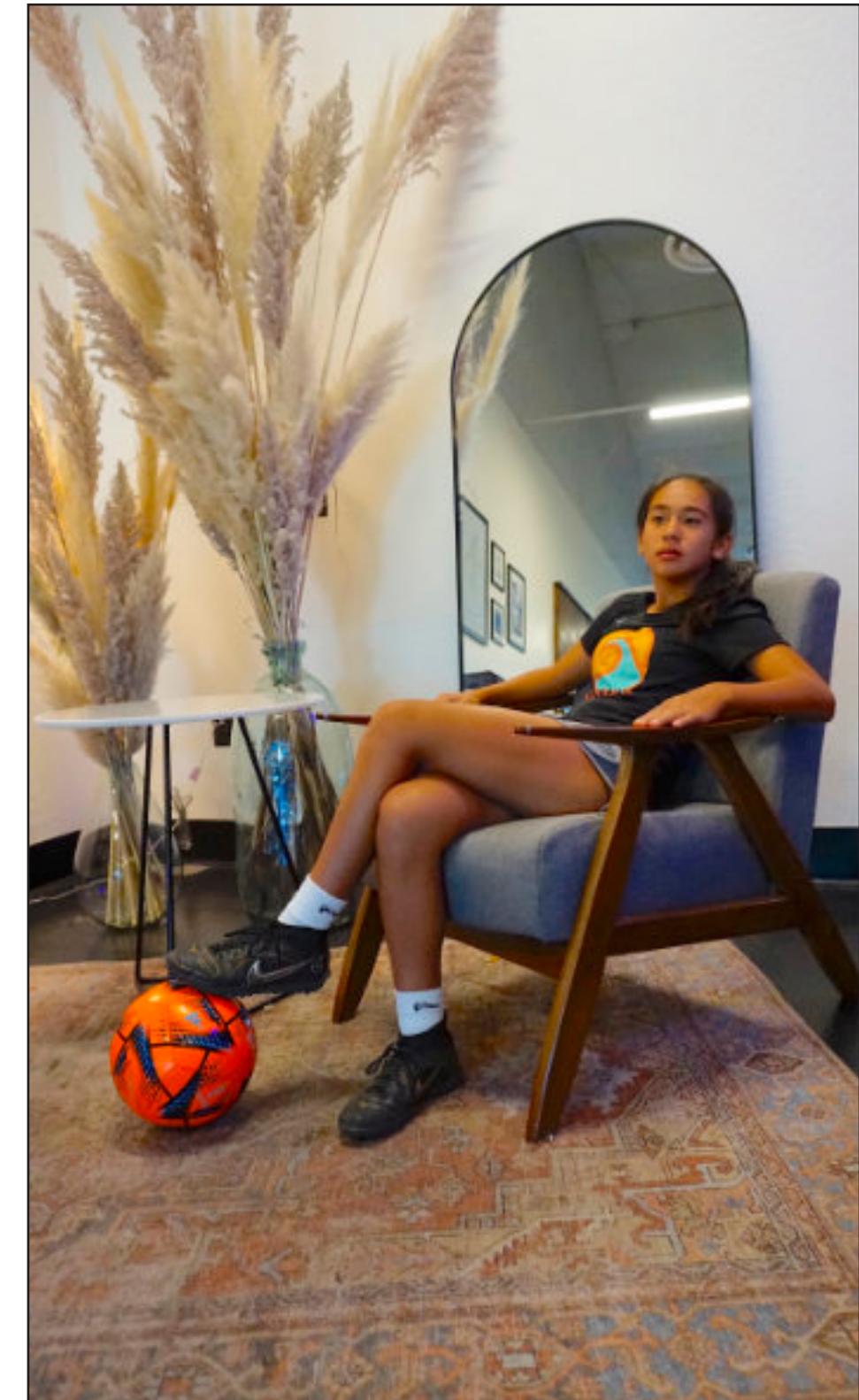
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i'm yll shabani from kosovo. i live in peja. i am very passionate about skiing and want to become a professional skier.







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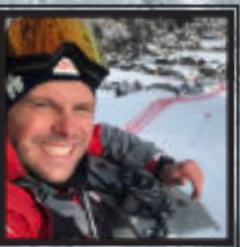
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