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# MESSAGE

We made it to 39 years and our message continues to be the same as it was when SKIP was established many years ago. SKIP was and continues to be a place for our kids to join together to learn respect, to be committed, to practice teamwork, to support each other, to practice self-confidence, time management, give their best in everything they do, and the love of God. It was also organized for kids to see the world and learn about other cultures. Through dance, students have an opportunity to develop life-long values including commitment, self-discipline, timeliness, meeting deadlines, taking on challenges, living a healthy life-style, working towards individual potential, teamwork building and enjoying life. However, most important is the development of a deep sense of self esteem so that participants can Dream Big, whether it be in dance, sports, academics or in the corporate board room.

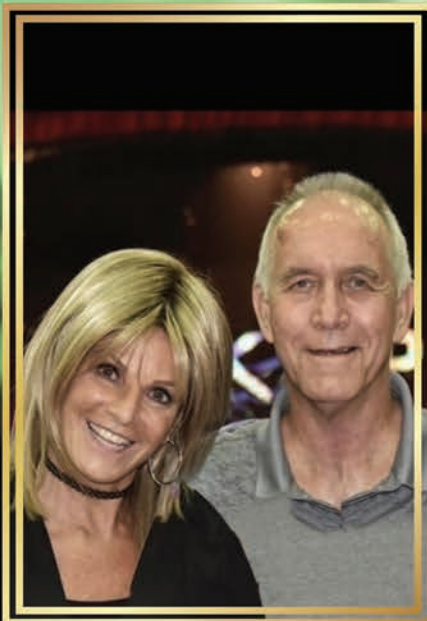
We can proudly say, as a result of the hard work of everyone involved in the SKIP Touring Companies, we have a 95% college graduation rate! We have teachers, doctors, lawyers, business owners, accountants, counselors, TikTok stars and numerous other professions as well as fabulous moms and dads.

We are so proud of our awesome seniors who are the SKIP 2023 graduates: Elena Camacho, Bree Collins, Jodie Perez, Seline Kayle-Jules Tereas Susuico, Genice Torres and Secilia Unpingco. We cannot wait to see the next chapters of their lives.

There are not enough Thank Yous in the world for all our teachers, staff, parents, Phil Flores and all the former SKIP dancers who made the path. You all know how to make us SHINE!!!!

Lee and Teri Knapp

## FOUNDERS AND DIRECTORS



**TERI & LEE KNAPP**

Teri and Lee Knapp are the founders and directors of the non-profit organization, SKIP Entertainment Company. In 1983 there were few extracurricular programs for kids. The Knapps, along with Dan and Joyce McCauley, created several programs so their combined six kids would have nurturing activities. Children's Productions is known as the SKIP Entertainment Company. In addition to SKIP, and with their son Chad Knapp, they created additional dance programs to provide dance education to kids in Australia, New Zealand, Spain and the US Mainland including Sourcedance and Urban Empire. Sourcedance continues to work in conjunction with Choreographer's Carnival out of LA to produce shows in Sydney. The focus has always been to provide opportunities for kids to excel.

Teri has devoted her life to working with kids. She was a teacher and administrator for the Department of Education for 30 years. She was the GATE Academic and Visual & Performing Arts coordinator for over 20 years producing numerous musical productions.

Lee is the financial director for the organization. He has been in healthcare finance, business manager of a law firm and controller for two car dealerships since the 1980's.

Mr. and Mrs. Knapp have three grown sons, three daughters-in-law, three grandsons and four granddaughters. They both agree the best part of the SKIP Entertainment Company is watching these kids grow up to be successful adults who are doctors, nurses, attorneys, teachers, business owners, entrepreneurs and fabulous parents.



# Congratulations GENICE





# HISTORY

The SKIP Entertainment Company (SKIP) is a GUAM SUCCESS STORY! SKIP originally started as a project of Children's Productions, Incorporated in 1982, known as the Sunshine Kids in Production (SKIP). Prior to the birth of SKIP, Children's Productions staged a number of children's musicals. Soon the focus turned to dance, giving thousands of Guam's youth an opportunity to excel. Instructors and choreographers continue to come to Guam from Los Angeles and New York City to work with Guam's best. We want to especially thank all who have come to Guam to give our dancers the best training in the world! The list of choreographers who have come to Guam to choreograph for the SKIP Entertainment Company are the Who's Who of Dance including Ray Leeper, Tina D'Amato, Tabitha & Napoleon Dumo, Dee Caspary, Tony Czar, Tucker Barkley, Andre Fuentes (RIP), Gabe de Guzman, Stephen Tannos, Big Will Simmons, Alysha Percy and Cameron Lee.

The SKIP Dancers began touring in 1985 when the first group toured the U.S. Mainland and since that time have traveled to dance competitions and performances in the U.S. Mainland, Canada, Europe and Australia every year. In 1991, members of SKIP performed on International Star Search, aired in over 63 countries. Later that year, SKIP was once again selected to appear on Ed McMahon's Star Search. That same year, SKIP dancers appeared on the cover of PERFORMER'S EDGE, a national dance publication. From 1991 through 2022, SKIP won numerous National and International Dance Championships. One of the most exciting competitions was during the 1996 Jazz Dance World Congress held at the Kennedy Center where SKIP won the International Choreographic Leo's Gold Award. Due to this honor, SKIP was selected as featured performers at the 1997 Jazz Dance World Congress in Weisbaden, Germany. International recognition was brought back to Guam once again when SKIP was honored by winning the Overall Dance Championship at the International Grand Prix Dance Festival in Cesena, Italy in July 2002, the Canadian National Finals in 2000, 2004, 2008, 2012 and 2016 and the Czech Republic Dance Festival in 2007. In 2014, SKIP represented Guam at one of the most difficult and prestigious competition showcases in the world - the PULSE Showcase in Las Vegas. SKIP won one of the top awards and was invited back as a guest to showcase. In 2014, the group once again won the championship at the European Grand Prix in Barcelona Spain and performed at the prestigious HEAVEN beach club in Marbella Spain.

During the past several years, SKIP has continued to win top awards in five countries including the US, Canada, Australia, Czech Republic and Italy. SKIP was also selected to audition for America's Best Dance Crew and made it through to the final selection. For the past several years, SKIP dancers have teamed up with dancers from the US and Australia as a part of EMPIRE, THE CREW to win the Championships at the Battlegrounds Hip Hop Competitions in Australia.

The group has become well known on youtube - again representing Guam. During this past year - the choreography of Brian Esperon (along with the SKIP Dancers) has been recognized by TikTok as one of the most influential choreographers for the past year. He has also been recognized by Chris Brown, Nicki Minaj, Cardi B and Jason Derulo. In addition SKIP dancers were featured on the latest Steve Aoki Music Video. These are huge honors for our island dancers to be recognized as some of the best in the world.

SKIP has also been named as one of the top 50 dance studios in the entire United States by Dance Teacher magazine. Thousands from around the world are able to read about Guam's very own, SKIP Entertainment Company.

Prior to the Covid year(s), SKIP represented Guam at the 2019 Dance World Cup in Braga, Portugal. Over 20,000 competitors from 61 countries were competing for the championship. SKIP was named 1st runner up and Brian Esperon was named as the top choreographer of the entire competition. In 2021, SKIP was able to attend the National Finals in Orlando where SKIP won the championship and received the highest score given at the Finals. Throughout the last couple of years, SKIP was able to present two very unique concerts: June 2021 at the Park N Play Outdoor Movie Theatre and in January 2022, the beautiful Taotao Tasi Stage was the performance venue. We were so happy to return to our Theatrical Home - the FD Phoenix Center for our June 2022 Concert!

In July 2022, SKIP won the Victory Cup over thousands of dancers at the Revolution National Championship in Anaheim. Later in the year, SKIP won top awards at the Battle Grounds in Sydney Australia.

SKIP will be returning to the International Dance Finals in July at the Prague Dance Festival in the Czech Republic.

## WHO'S WHO in SKIP

### Founders/Directors

Teri & Lee Knapp

### Show Director

Asia Star Arizala

### Office Manager

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### Company Choreographer

Asia Star Arizala

### Instructors/Choreographers

Asia Star Arizala

Elizah Camacho

Francine Saymo Esplana

Lauryn Fernandez

Kiana Lujan

Tahni-Joie Sablan

### Guest Choreographers

Brian Esperon

Cameron Lee

Alysha Percy

Big Will Simmons

Stephen Tannos

### Photography

Arnie Arizala

Asia Star Arizala

### Lighting & Sound

Jeff San Nicolas

### Costumes

Teri Knapp

### Booklet

Aaron Arizala

Aidan Arizala

Asia Star Arizala

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Lee Knapp

Alex Saymo

Chrissy Taitano

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# SENIORS





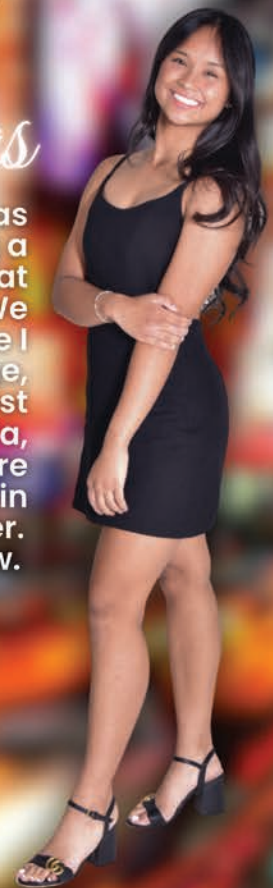


## AIDAN *Arizala*

15 year old Aidan is a student at Guam High School who is dedicated to advancing his craft in dance - "At first, you may feel uncertain and inexperienced, but with time and practice, it becomes second nature." Aidan is ultra talented, meticulously cultivating a style all his own. SKIP is one of his priorities, as it is "one of the few things that consistently makes me proud of what I accomplish." Traveling around the world and watching other crews perform and compete introduces "opportunities to witness new perspectives of dance." He is most proud of SKIP receiving the highest score at the 2021 Showstopper competition in Anaheim. "Five years from now I see myself teaching my style of dance to others and guiding them to improve their skills as dancers and as individuals."

## SOFIA *Blas*

14 year old Sofia is a student at Notre Dame High School and has discovered the secret behind what makes SKIP so special: "being a part of SKIP is truly being part of a huge family. No matter what group you are in, or how old you are, we take care of each other. We support and are proud of each other for our growth. It's the place I can do what I love most, dance." Sofi is a diamond on that stage, shining bright with her big energy and radiant smile. Her most memorable SKIP moment is preparing for competition in Australia, 2022. "We were all stressed and exhausted but couldn't be more excited to compete and perform." In 5 years, Sofia sees herself in college, working towards a degree while dancing one way or another. She hopes to still be as close to her SKIP friends as she is now.



## ELENA *Camacho*

17 year old Lena is a 2023 graduate of Guam High School and describes being a part of SKIP to having a second family...of course there will always be ups and downs but we get through everything together as a team, no matter what." It has also had a positive impact on her work ethic "SKIP has taught me to work hard for what I want to achieve." She is most proud of winning multiple Victory Cups at competition in 2022. "This competition showed some of our best work and brought us together as a team." In 5 years, Lena envisions herself to be in college, working to become a nurse.





# BREE ALYSSA *Collins*

18 year old Bree is a 2023 graduate of Guam High School and considers SKIP to be a second home because "in the studio, everyone understands each other's passion for dance - we've grown up together, traveled the world together and shared so many memories. Standing on that competition stage, side by side with your family, knowing how hard you all worked" is what makes Bree twinkle on stage. "Of course, winning is always the best." She is most proud of how much she has grown as a dancer - in skill and in her love for the art of dance. "I genuinely love to dance. It has allowed me to truly express myself." In 5 years, Bree plans to have graduated from college with a nursing degree and wants to pursue a career as a travel nurse, to "make more memories that will last a lifetime."



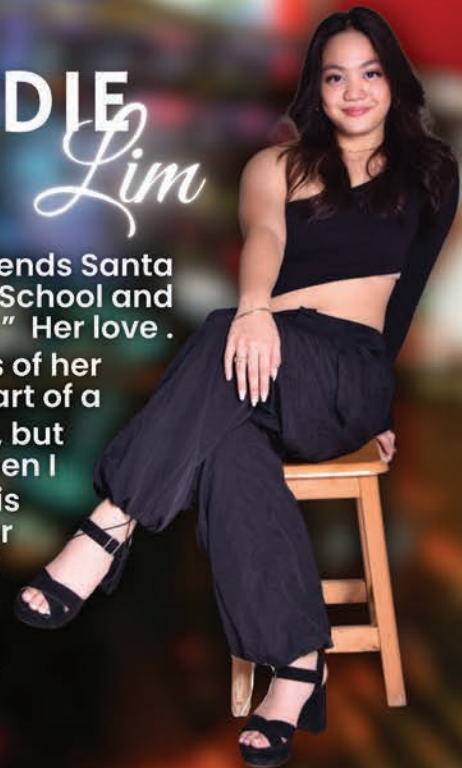
# TAYLOR *Cruz*

14 year old Tay is a student at Academy of Our Lady of Guam and is proud to be a part of SKIP. "I take pride in being a SKIP dancer, so it is a big priority in my daily life...we have become a family, and it is where I am my happiest and feel the most at home. I love what SKIP allows me to do and love those around me who make it happen." Taylor can be counted on to deliver her best performance Every. Single. Time. No excuses, Tay gets it done. She is most proud of winning those Victory cups in Anaheim in 2022. In 5 years, she hopes to still be dancing while studying to become a doctor at her dream college.



# MADDIE *Lim*

14 year old Maddie attends Santa Barbara Catholic School and "absolutely loves to dance." Her love . for dance translates easily, in the smoothness of her dance movements. Being a part of SKIP is "being part of a commitment...I show up not only because I want to, but because I love to. It's my 2nd home, and I turn to it when I need to let things go, to get back to myself." Maddie is most proud of dancing with, and learning from the older SKIP dancers. "It forces me out of my comfort zone and gives me the extra push to grow as a dancer." In 5 years, she imagines she will be teaching kids how to dance, or attending a school dedicated to dance.







## ELISE *Miguel*

17 year old Elise is a student at Academy of Our Lady of Guam and attributes her positive outlook to her family at SKIP. "SKIP helped to change the way I view my life. My dance fam never fails to make me feel seen and appreciated...they push me to be a better person - as a dancer and as an individual because I am surrounded by people that give off only positivity! Being together never feels forced." Elise is ultra talented, and can execute choreography with precision. In 5 years, she hopes to take her dance career to the next level, hopefully on tour with a professional dance company.

## JODIE *Perez*

18 year old Jodie is a 2023 graduate of George Washington High School who realizes that being a part of SKIP is like having another family. "We grew up with one another and were there to be a part of everyone's progress and successes." Jodie is a powerhouse on

the stage and can be counted on to do her best, always. She is most proud of the hard work every single dancer contributes in accomplishing their team's goal. She also recognizes that SKIP has helped her to be independent - "whether it's with hair and make up, costumes and choreography, it's up to me to do my best." In 5 years, Jodie envisions that she will have completed her studies in law enforcement, will have bought her first car and home, and will be happy, living life!



## TAHNI-JOIE *Sablan*

16 year old Tahni attends Notre Dame High School, and has found a way to share the colors of her personality, through SKIP. As 1 of the top 3 students in her class, and a member of the fast-pitch softball team, Tahni is busy! But she makes time for SKIP because "dancing is one of my safe places to express myself, and SKIP is practically another home to me. I've made some of my closest friendships there" She credits the choreographers, Brian and Asia for helping her to realize that "expressing your true self through dance correlates to how you express your true self in life. You can apply what they teach you in dance to your life" In 5 years, she envisions her life to still revolve around dance, somehow.





# KAYLA *Stettenbenz*

16 year old Kayla attends Notre Dame High School and considers SKIP to be like home - a place where she is comfortable to be herself without being judged. "I love to dance! My motivation comes from the people I dance with...the hype and vibe at practice is very moving!" Kayla is a burst of energy (like an energy drink) and is most proud of SKIP being recognized by an island leader for their hard work, as representatives of Guam. In 5 years, she plans to have graduated with a business degree and will be enjoying life, traveling as a flight attendant.

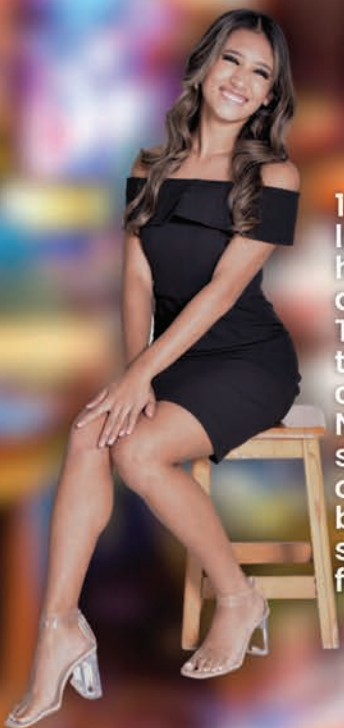
# SELINE KAYLE-JULES *Tereas Susuico*

18 year old Kayle is a 2023 graduate of Academy of Our Lady of Guam, and considers SKIP to be a place where choreographers and the SKIP dancers "create masterpieces to perform." Her fierce dance personality can bring a choreographer's vision to life! She is most proud of "proving the doubters wrong," by being the first group in SKIP's history to win TWO Victory Cups in a single competition. In 5 years, she envisions herself to have a degree from UNLV and a career as a flight attendant, living her dream of dancing around the world.



# NINA *Taitano*

16 year old Nina is a student at St. John's School, and truly loves being a part of SKIP. "SKIP in short, is a family." It has become an outlet for her, and is "the one place that allows me to escape the daily stress of life and school. The moment I'm on those checkerboard floors, things that happen outside the studio don't matter anymore. I can express my creativity and emotion through dance." Nina is very clean in her movements, and loves to tell the story behind the choreography, especially in a contemporary or lyrical piece. In 5 years, she envisions being in college, dancing on her school's dance team; she also hopes to stay in close contact with her SKIP family.







## MIA *Topasna*

16 year old Mia is a student at Academy of Our Lady of Guam, and credits SKIP for helping her to develop an unwavering commitment to do her best in everything she pursues - academics, sports, dance, and life. "I have been in SKIP pretty much my whole life and it has taught me so many things in life, like dedication." It is a joy to watch Mia perform. After each concert, she is most proud of how far the SKIP team has come and how much they have accomplished together. "It has been a great ride with the SKIP family - they have shown me that lifelong friendships are possible."

In 5 years, Mia envisions that she will be happy, have a good job and will have graduated from college.

## GENICE *Torres*

17 year old Genice is a 2023 graduate of Academy of Our Lady of Guam who never "fell out of love for dancing," even after 13 years with SKIP. "SKIP is all about family...you feel at home right when you walk in those doors. It's a positive and free environment filled with talent." Genice is a natural - one of those dancers who can make the most intricate choreography seem easy. She is most proud of how much they all have grown as dancers. In 5 years, she aspires to obtain a degree in Kinesiology, and will have begun graduate school to become a physical therapist.



## SECLIA *Unpingco*

17 year old Seci is a 2023 graduate of Southern High School and considers SKIP to be a place that teaches way more than dance. "The amount of effort I put into my education is the same amount of effort I put into SKIP" and it shows! "Throughout the years, SKIP has taught me that hard work, commitment and determination will help me to succeed in school, in life or in dance." She will never forget meeting and taking a dance class with one of her dance idols, Matt Steffanina. In 5 years, she hopes to have graduated from college to be a nurse or a dental hygienist, but she would still like to be involved with dancing...she isn't ready to give that up yet!







# SOPHIA

*Unpingco*

15 year old Southern High School student Phia considers dancing in SKIP to be an amazing opportunity to dance your emotions, let loose and express yourself. "SKIP is a priority for me because I love to dance. It has helped me step out of my comfort zone and gain confidence in my abilities. It has also influenced me to do my best and work as hard as I can." She is most proud of being able to do all the variations of the splits: left, right and middle. In 5 years, she hopes to graduate from high school and college, and become a successful pediatric nurse or a PA.





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# Quest CHOREOGRAPHERS

## BRIAN ESPERON



Brian started his dance training at the age of 8 at the SKIP Entertainment Co. and continued through receiving his dance degree at Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles. With over 1M subscribers on youtube and 1.5M followers on TikTok, Brian rose to internet fame as he created the viral dance trend to WAP. This dance has been done by multiple celebrities including Jack Black, Lizzo, Rose from Blackpink, Vanessa Hudgens, and Cardi B herself. Brian has been recognized by multiple news sources including Time magazine, CNN, The New York Times, NBC News, and Billboard Magazine and has been reposted by artists Nicki Minaj, Bruno Mars, Jennifer Lopez, Shakira and Ariana Grande. Brian is the company choreographer/instructor for SKIP Entertainment and teaches master classes throughout the US from California to New York. He has been named choreographer of the year at numerous national and international dance championships.

## CAMERON LEE

Cameron started his journey as a dancer in his hometown of Seattle. He trained in all dance styles, but transitioned to hip hop as a teenager. Since moving to LA in 2008 he has been working as a dancer and choreographer. He has danced with Taylor Swift, JLo and has toured with and choreographed for Paula Abdul. However, Cameron's true passion is teaching. Besides teaching throughout the US mainland, he has taught in Hong Kong, Taiwan, China, Australia, Argentina and Guam.



## ALYSHA PERCY



Alysha started dancing at the age of 2 in Sydney Australia. At the age of 8 she won an all-expense trip to the JR Hollywood Tour in California. From that day forward she set her sights on becoming a professional dancer, teacher and choreographer. At 17 years old she won one of the most prestigious spots as a Pulse Elite Dancer in the US. Having moved to Los Angeles this past year, she is very busy keeping up with teaching. Alysha is a very bubbly girl who loves to inspire performers and teach them new things to help them reach their dreams.

## WILLIAM "BIG WILL" SIMMONS

Big Will began training at the age of 5 in Fullerton. Currently he is a professional dancer and award-winning choreographer who has danced and worked with some of the biggest names in the entertainment industry including Justin Bieber, Chris Brown, Jason Derulo, Missy Elliott, Janet Jackson, BTA and TLC. Most recently he was a choreographer for NBC's dance show "Dancing with Myself." When teaching, Will strives to elevate the potential of every student while leading with their love of dance.



## STEPHEN TANNOS



STEPHEN TANNOS has one of the most innovative minds in the performing arts displayed through his unique choreography combined with his infectious personality. He has a very eclectic style combining many styles of dance. Stephen's career took off initially in Musical Theater with roles in "Cats," "Fame," and the opera "Carmen." Stephen plans to continue teaching while pushing limits when creating original choreography.



# STAFF & INSTRUCTORS



## ASIA STAR ARIZALA COMPANY ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

Asia, "Miss Star" started dancing at the age of 2.5 years old and now she is a university student! By the age of 6, she auditioned and made it to the SKIP Touring Company traveling and competing in the US, Canada, Europe and Australia. She graduated from SKIP in 2019 and trained under the various choreographers SKIP brought to Guam. She also attended workshops from top choreographers in North Hollywood to broaden her style. When she moved off-island for college, she continued to dance in San Francisco, training under esteemed choreographer and Kinjaz member, Pat Cruz and his team. Though the global pandemic sent her back home to Guam, she has gained from the experience with the dancers in SKIP. She teaches the Teen and Senior Company, as well as the beginner Hip Hop classes with her younger brother Aidan. She loves to teach the kids foundations and watch them grow into amazing movers!

## LAURYN FERNANDEZ COMPANY, JAZZ FUNK, & BROADWAY JAZZ INSTRUCTOR

Lauryn is a SKIP legacy. Her mother, Francine Saymo was a top company dancer in her younger years. Lauryn is now and alumna of SKIP and has accomplished many things alongside her team. She has participated in over 25 SKIP concerts and has competed with the SKIP Touring Company nine times, earning many trophies and awards throughout the years. She is currently balancing her busy life as a full-time college student at the University of Guam and an instructor for the Little SKIP Company Dancers and the Jazz Funk classes. Growing up at the studio, she has learned a lot from her previous instructors. She is excited to share from her experiences and train the next generation of dancers.



## FRANCINE SAYMO ESPLANA JAZZ & BROADWAY JAZZ INSTRUCTOR

Fran is a former SKIP Dancer with many years of experience. She toured and competed in numerous dance competitions with SKIP and represented SKIP on Star Search in the mid 90's. She continued her passion for dance, performing professionally as a showgirl and magician's assistant for the Sandcastle Theater and later continued her career in performing arts from behind the scenes as the production coordinator for the Baldyga Group, casting and performers. Francine has continued to stay connected with the SKIP Entertainment Company for the past 20+ years as beginning jazz dance teacher and dance mom to 4 SKIP kids. Many of the touring company members began their dance journey with "Ms Fran".





## JEAN MILLER FRONT DESK MANAGER

Mama Jean is a certified Nursing Assistant and is currently the SKIP Front Desk Manager. She brings happiness to the SKIP Parents and dancers with her warmth. She enjoys meeting everyone every day and works on bringing joy into their lives. Jean was a SKIP mom for many years as the mother of Janine, SKIP Alumni Dancer.



## ELIZAH CAMACHO HIP HOP INSTRUCTOR

Elizah, aka "Miss Lizzoe" has been dancing with SKIP since the age of 5. She traveled with the touring company to the U.S. and Europe where she was able to compete and win in many competitions. She has just completed her sophomore year at the University of Guam majoring in Business Administration. Elizah is now 20 years old and teaches Hip Hop and the SKIP Training Company sharing her knowledge of dance with the new generation of dancers.

## KIANA LUJAN BALLET INSTRUCTOR

Kiana has been training as a dancer for over 10 years. She has traveled the world and has performed in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, collaborated with the German contemporary company FLOCK, was a professional dancer with the Dance Alliance of the Pikes Peak Region, and choreographed/performed with the Colorado Springs Conservatory. As a

Platinum winner and scholarship recipient for several conventions, her experience is diverse. In addition to teaching ballet and lyrical dance at SKIP, Kiana is currently a Junior at UOG pursuing a Bachelors degree in Psychology.

She loves sharing her dance experience with the students at SKIP Entertainment and is grateful for the warm welcome she has received.



## TAHNI-JOIE SABLAN BALLET INSTRUCTOR

Tahni-Joie is the pre-ballet teacher at the SKIP Studio. She continues as a SKIP Company dancer and is an honor student at AOLG.





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*Love, Marta and Papa*

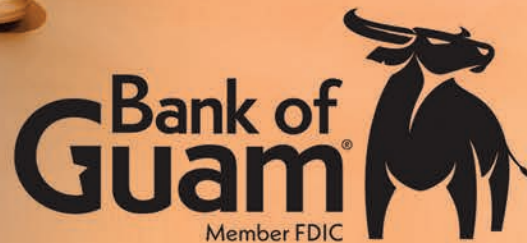




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# TEENS







## SARAI

*Dela Cruz*

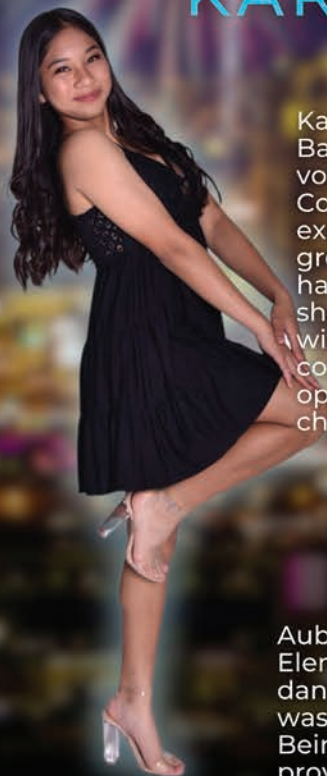
Sarai Dela Cruz is a 14-year-old student from LPUMS who has a love for volleyball, reading, and traveling. She is also a passionate dancer and a member of SKIP Company, where she has learned the importance of self-discipline, time management, and confidence. Being a part of SKIP is a priority for Sarai, as it has given her many opportunities to grow and develop her skills as a dancer. Her proudest moment with SKIP was competing off-island to represent Guam through dance. Overall, SKIP has influenced Sarai to become the person she is today by teaching her essential life skills, such as leadership, self-worth, and discipline.



## ADDISON

*Duenas*

Addison Duenas is a 14-year-old student at Bishop Baumgartner Memorial Catholic School who loves dancing, volleyball, and basketball. Her most memorable moment with her dance company, Skip, was winning the 2022 competition. Through SKIP, Addison has learned the value of dedication, hard work, and respect.



## KARYSE

*Herrero*

Karyse Herrero is a 14-year-old student at Bishop Baumgartner Memorial Catholic School who loves volleyball and dance. She has been a member of SKIP Company for several years now and cherishes the experiences she has gained from being a part of the group. Karyse recognizes that being a part of SKIP requires hard work and dedication, and she values the friendships she has made through the group. Her proudest moment with SKIP was winning first place in the Blackpink competition. Overall, Karyse is grateful for the opportunities that SKIP has given her and will always cherish all the memories she has made with the group.



## AUBREY

*Manibusan*

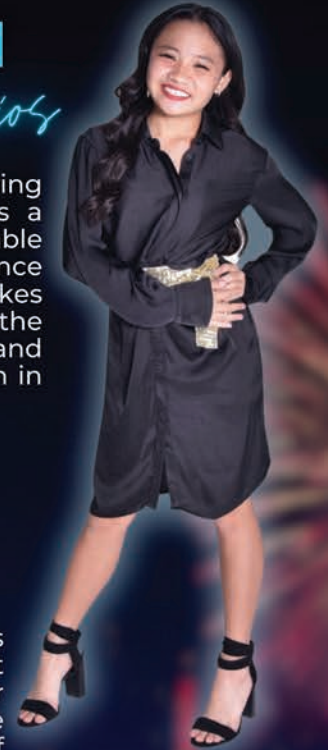
Aubrey Manibusan is 14 years old, and she attends McCool Elementary/Middle School. A few of her favorite things include dance, food, and God. Aubrey's most memorable SKIP moment was when Blackpink won 1st place in the California Competition. Being a part of SKIP is like being part of a big family that always provides support and love to its members. For Aubrey, SKIP is a priority because she loves dancing and wants to get better, so she puts in the work to improve. SKIP has influenced Aubrey in every way possible, shaping her behavior and mentality. As she grew up in SKIP, she has seen the changes within herself over the years while learning and being a part of the team.



## LAUREN

*Palacios*

Lauren Grace Palacios is a 13-year-old volleyball-loving student at Oceanview Middle School who also has a passion for animals and music. Her most memorable moment with SKIP was participating in her first dance competition in California last summer, and she takes pride in representing Guam and bringing home the Victory Cups. SKIP has not only kept her active and healthy but has also helped her build confidence both in and out of school.



## ANTOINETTE

*Perez*

Antoinette Perez is 14 years old, and attends St. Francis Catholic School. Last year, she competed in her first national dance competition with SKIP. She will forever cherish that experience and all the memories she made with the team. All their blood, sweat, and tears paid off when they won first place with their dance BlackPink. Antoinette cannot wait to create more memories with everyone in the upcoming years.



## KARA

*Quichocho*

Meet Kara Quichocho, the spunky and fun 13-year-old from Andersen Middle School who loves volleyball, chatting with friends, and dancing. As a member of SKIP Company, Kara feels like she is part of a growing family that will continue to grow through generations. She recognizes that being part of SKIP requires hard work and dedication, including attending classes regularly to learn new skills. Kara's proudest moment with SKIP was winning first place in the Blackpink competition during her first-ever competition. Being a part of SKIP has influenced Kara to become a more hardworking person and has pushed her to become better. Overall, Kara's energy and enthusiasm make her a valued member of SKIP and a joy to be around.



## KYRA

*Quichocho*

Kyra Quichocho is a 13-year-old student at Andersen Middle School. Her love for dancing and drawing drives her passion to excel in both fields. One of her most unforgettable moments in SKIP was when she traveled to California for a competition. For Kyra, being a part of SKIP is like being part of a big family. She understands that to be part of Company, SKIP must be one of her top priorities, and she makes sure to attend class every day and arrive on time. Kyra's proudest moment in SKIP was when her group won first place with their Blackpink dance at a competition. SKIP has influenced her to be more hardworking, a trait she continues to carry with her both as a student and as a person.







## RAEYA

*Santos*

Meet Raeya M Santos, an outstanding 11-year-old student from L.P. Untalan Middle School. Raeya's favorite things include spending time with her friends, dancing, and her family. As a humble member of SKIP, Raeya feels that being part of this dance company is amazing because the people there are incredibly welcoming and supportive. SKIP is a priority for Raeya because dance is essential to her, and she enjoys being part of different dances with choreographers from all over the world. Raeya believes that SKIP has influenced her in a positive way, teaching her to express herself through music and dance, and to let her body move freely with the beat of the music.



## KEILA

*St. Louis*

Keila St. Louis, a 12-year-old student at Santa Barbara Catholic School, is a unique and fashionable individual with a passion for dancing, singing, music, and fashion. She is an active member of SKIP, where she gets to do public shows, meet guest choreographers, and learn more about dance. Being a part of SKIP is a top priority for Keila as she doesn't want to miss out on any new dancing skills and wants to continue to learn and improve. Her proudest SKIP moment was when she finally got accepted into the SKIP company. Keila believes that SKIP has helped her bond with new people and become a more confident person, influencing her to be the student and person she is today.



## LAUREN

*Stettenbenz*

Lauren Jessie Stettenbenz is 12-year-old student at SIFA LACS who loves jamming to Drake, spending time with her sister Kayla, spiking volleyballs, and cherishing her family. She enjoys being part of the team because they are her second family. Her most unforgettable moment with SKIP was when she had the thrilling opportunity to meet and learn from the renowned dancer Matt Steffanina. Thanks to SKIP, Lauren has discovered the power of family, perseverance, and striving to become the best version of herself.

## BAILEY

*Cruz*

Bailey Cruz is a 13-year-old student at Saint Francis Catholic School who loves playing volleyball, dancing, and basketball. She is a talented dancer and her most memorable moment with SKIP was her first competition in California. Being a part of SKIP has helped her gain confidence, build friendships, manage her time, and push herself to her limits, making it a top priority for her.



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# *Junior Ballet*



Ayva Arceo, Haven Barcinas, Brielle Marie Benavente, Theiah Chaco, Mikayla Chen, Terah Dela Cruz, Piatra Guerrero, Amelia Hoynacki, Charlie Mesa, Ashtyn Jael Pangelinan, Amaya Sablan, & Jaeana Francine Topasna

# *Teen & Senior Ballet*



Sofia Blas, Taylor Cruz, Sarai Dela Cruz, Elise Miguel, Aubrey Manibusan, Lauren Palacios, Kara Mariel Quichocho, Kyra Bailey Quichocho, Tahni-Joie Sablan, Raeya Santos, Keila St.Louis, & Nina Taitano



# HIP HOP 1



Veronica Anderson, Pax Blas, Adeline Brown, Esme Bui, Railiana Cruz, Christia Delgado, Sophia Duenas, Adelaide Johnston, Mason King, Eliana Leon Guerrero, Moira Mcdermott, Barbara "Tiny" Pape, Anastasia Lydia Quenga, Aurora Sanga, Enaia Santos, Eva Taijeron, & Damien Francisco Wolff



Mia Skye Batista, Jennifer-Antoinette Cruz, Kamaya Eng, Julia Claire Garcia, Anaiyah Nucum, Chelsea Pangelinan, Arcadia Santos, Joechel Cherliza Sourgose Perez, Diana Theisen, & Anthony Yu



# HIP HOP 1



Wessen Blas, Madison Bush, Nora Comella, Kallay Cruz, AlexiAna Dickson, Hope Madison Guerrero, Ambrosia Gale Pablo, Janiah Joy Pangelinan, Amaya Quitugua, Solara Taitague, Olivia Torres, & Anthony Yu

# HIP HOP 2



Aria Ada, Jeah Aguon, Mandy Marie Cabrera, Haley Chen, Arhya-Rose Crisostomo, Amaliah Cruz, Kendall Cruz, Ryan Alexander Cruz, Carmen Damian, Naara Dela Cruz, Mila Faith Diaz, Holland Doyle, Allie Elliott, Charlotte Rae Eusebio, Eliana Guzman, Isabelle Kim, Kalena Lopez, Tano Manibusan, Otto Mummert, Abram Patterson, Rokus Patterson, Jett Silas Quenga, Rielle Quito, Emi Rabago, Eloise Sarai San Gil, Amara Santos, Quinn Harper Tabayoyong, Eden Taijeron, Olivia Tareyama, & Linus Wolff



# HIP HOP 2



Peyton Boquison, Arhya-Rose Crisostomo, Precious Crisostomo, Amaliah Cruz, Aria Madison Cruz, Holland Doyle, Allie Elliott, Charlotte Rae Eusebio, Amara Quitugua, Kariah San Agustin, Quinn Harper Tabayoyong, & Elizabeth Theisen



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# HIP HOP 3



Laycee Allen, Ayva Arceo, Haven Barcinas, Brielle Marie Benavente, Janae Blas, Brooke Bordallo, Mina Patrice Buntun, Jasmine Belle Cabrera, Theiah Chaco, Mikayla Chen, Jordyn Crisostomo, Maleyah Crisostomo, Terah Dela Cruz, Danielle Ford, Brigida Goldsmith, Piatra Guerrero, Jessie Bethany Hattori, Stella Johnson, Vince Marasigan, Sophia Mendiola, Laila Owen, Ashtyn Jael Pangelinan, Gaj Quichocho-Gonzalez, Kamaryn Quito, Amaya Sablan, Anysia Siongeo, Sydney Lee Tabayoyong, Naiara Tenorio, Jaeana Francine Topasna, & Alric Wolff



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# JAZZ 1



Hale'ha Angoco, Ma'ina Angoco, Brooke Mya Benavente, Esme Bui, Rhiannon Cepeda, Carter Chung, Jennifer-Antoinette Cruz, Luna Teresa Diego, Mavi Gonzales, Ava Mae Guerrero, Dylan Miller, Marianna Jo San Nicolas, Audrey Sonido, Ezra Mae Topasna, Damara West, & Tina Zu

# JAZZ 2



Amara Atoigue, Olivia Burnett, Measina Chargualaf, Kallay Cruz, Christia Delgado, Kiana DeLoach, AlexiAna Dickson, L'Laina Haliburton, Mason King, Raina Nian, Ambrosia Gale Pablo, Luke Parri, Emilia Pendon, Kara Jade San Nicolas, Solara Taitague, & Stassi Weakley



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Peyton Boquison, Mandy Marie Cabrera, Malia Chargualaf, Arhya-Rose Crisostomo, Aria Madison Cruz, Alessandra Dia Garcia, Eliana Guzman, Mira Lu, Adrienne Pendon, Rielle Quito, Ava Reoganis, Kariah San Agustin, Eloise Sarai San Gil, Amaya Taylor, Lily Walsh, & Sophia Zhao

# BROADWAY JAZZ

Aria Ada  
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Crisostomo  
Amaliah Cruz  
Aria Madison Cruz  
Allie Elliott  
Charlotte Rae Eusebio  
Adelaide Johnston  
Mason King  
Adelyn Martinez  
Addison Naputi  
Sophia Naputi  
Serena Peterson  
Amelia Pruitt  
Maemi Rabago  
Kariah San Agustin  
Charlotte Starcruiser  
Quinn Harper  
Tabayoyong  
Elizabeth Theisen  
Lincoln Isla Tiong



Laycee Allen  
Brielle Marie Benavente  
Theiah Chaco  
Mikayla Chen  
Lana Cruz  
Holland Doyle  
Piatra Guerrero  
Amaya Sablan  
Anysia Siongco  
Jennifer Starcruiser



# *Pre-Ballet*



Mia Skye Batista, Delilah Campos, Carter Chung, Emilia Clark, Elle Daniel, Kiyoko Eng, Jiana Gabun, Haven Hogan, Eliana Leon Guerrero, Lorena Terbio, Elena Trott, & Regal Watson

# *Pre-Ballet*



Audrey Mio Aclaro, Amani Angoco, Emma Beal, Lainey McDaniel, Nola Mitchell, Amelia Pocaigue, Zoie Pocaigue, Savea San Nicolas, Vevolyn Smith, & Emma Torres



# *Pre-Ballet*



Paluma Aguon, Brooke Mya Benavente, Rosalie Boles, Rhiannon Cepeda, Jennifer-Antoinette Cruz, Juniper Ladehoff, Amari Ledesma, Elia Ledesma, Lauren Long, Zelie-Ayana Mendiola, Mila Santos, Audrey Sonido, & Tina Zu

# *Ballet 1*



Vittoria Donaldson, Brooklyn Fickey, Josephine Hinds, Melody Hoynacki, Ava Koch, Mila Koch, Emma Libranda, Natalie Pacheco, Sadie Plummer, Anastasia Lydia Quenga, Joechel Cherliza Sourgose Perez, Aerin Tananusont, Amanda Toves, Royal Watson, Stassi Weakley, & Paisley Young



# *Ballet 1*



Maribella Atoigue, Madison Bush, Rika Carbullido, Ellie Chargualaf, Nora Comella, Aliya De Guzman, Kiana DeLoach, AlexiAna Dickson, Livia Esteves, Hope Madison Guerrero, L'Laina Haliburton, Isla Hogue, Violet Martinez, Ambrosia Gale Pablo, Aya Parris, Jillian Katniss Ramos, Brooklyn Rivers-St. Robert, & Nyana Santos

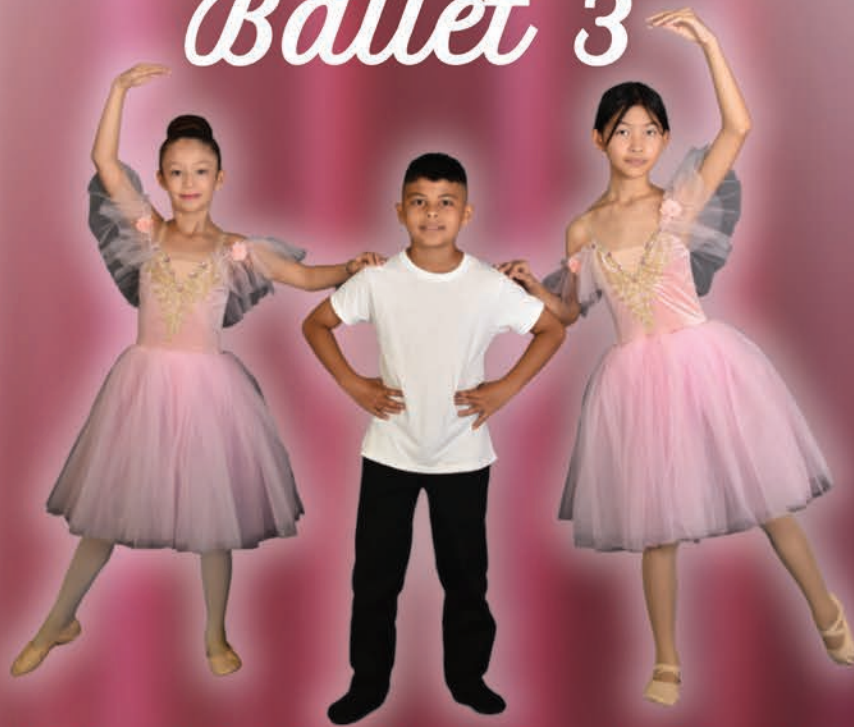
# *Ballet 2*



Mandy Marie Cabrera, Aly Rose Camacho, Isla Cooper-Nurse, Arhya-Rose Crisostomo, Mila Cruz, Christia Delgado, Amelia Lilo Delos Reyes, Alessandra D'ia Garcia, Hailey Garrido, Kalena Lopez, Jeneis Jade Pangelinan, Kariah San Agustin, Olivia Tareyama, Amaya Taylor, Lilia Grace Ventura, & Lily Walsh



# *Ballet 3*



Jessie Bethany Hattori, Gaj Quichocho-Gonzalez, & Maya Santos

# *Little SKJP Ballet*



Haley Chen, Amaliah Cruz, Carmen Damian, Naara Dela Cruz, Holland Doyle, Allie Elliott, Charlotte Rae Eusebio, Claire Hoynacki, Otto Mummert, Maemi Rabago, Moxie Pippa Topasna, & Alric Wolff



# JAZZ FUNK 1



Veronica Anderson, Arhya-Rose Crisostomo, Emma Jade Cruz, Kendall Cruz, Sarah Dadwal, Christia Delgado, Brooklyn Fickey, Hailey Garrido, Adelaide Johnston, Mason King, Albert Lu, Moira Mcdermott, Tomona Okamura, Yuna Okamura, Janiah Joy Pangelinan, Abram Patterson, Amara Quitugua, Kariah San Agustin, Eloise Sarai San Gil, Quinn Harper Tabayoyong, Aerin Tananusont, Diana Theisen, Lily Walsh, & Royal Watson

# JAZZ FUNK 2



Brielle Marie Benavente, Theiah Chaco, Maleyah Crisostomo, Amaliah Cruz, Lana Cruz, Jessie Bethany Hattori, Amelia Hoyacki, Stella Johnson, Sophia Mendiola, Laila Owen, Olivia Patterson, Gaj Quichocho-Gonzalez, Amaya Sablan, Anysia Siongco, Sydney Lee Tabayoyong, & Naiara Tenorio





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