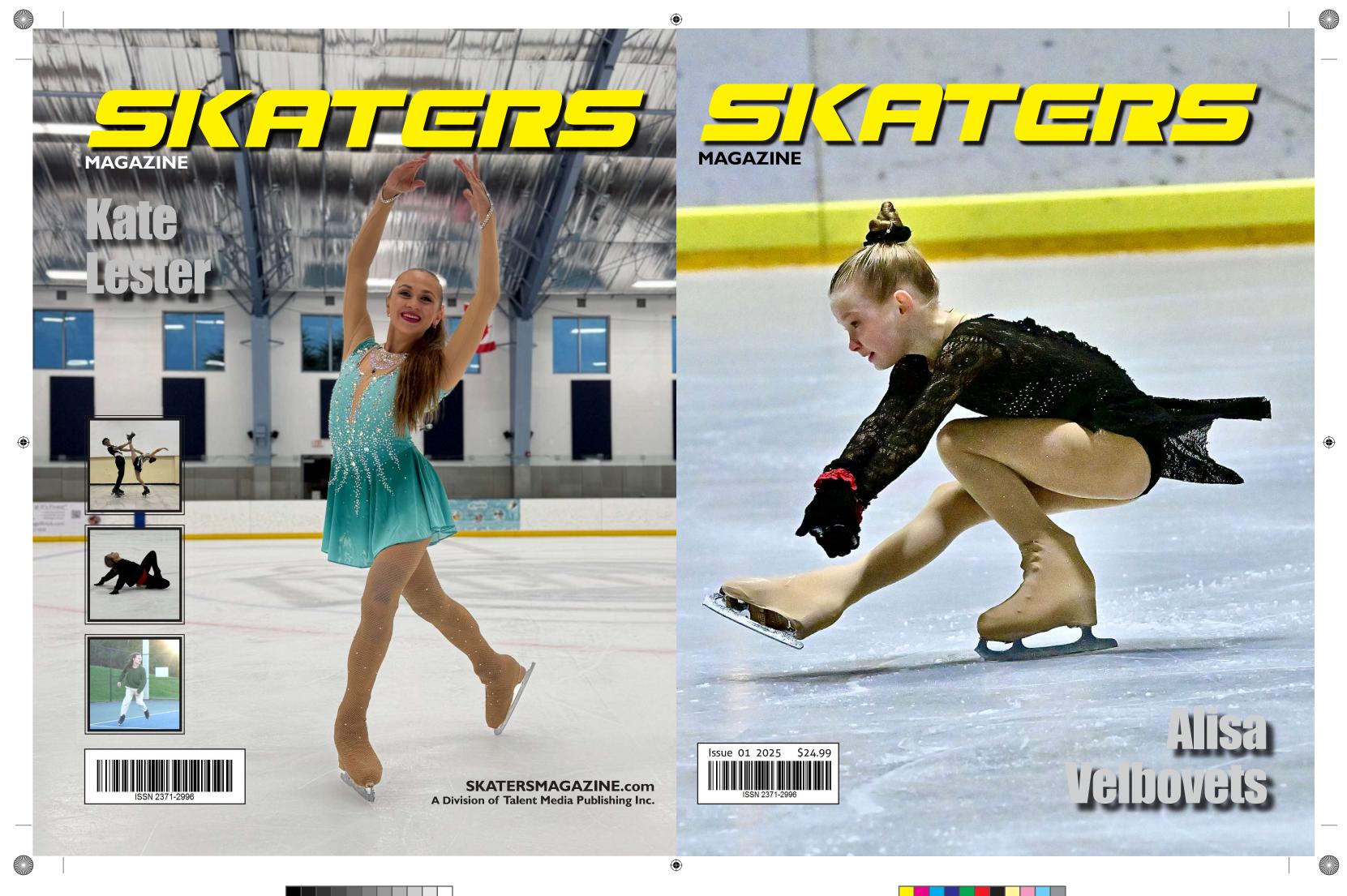
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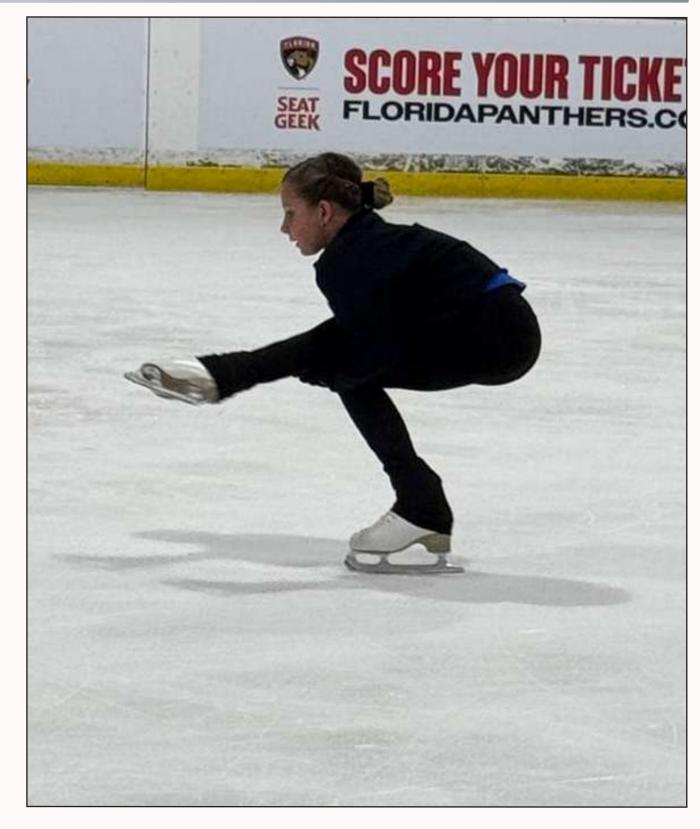


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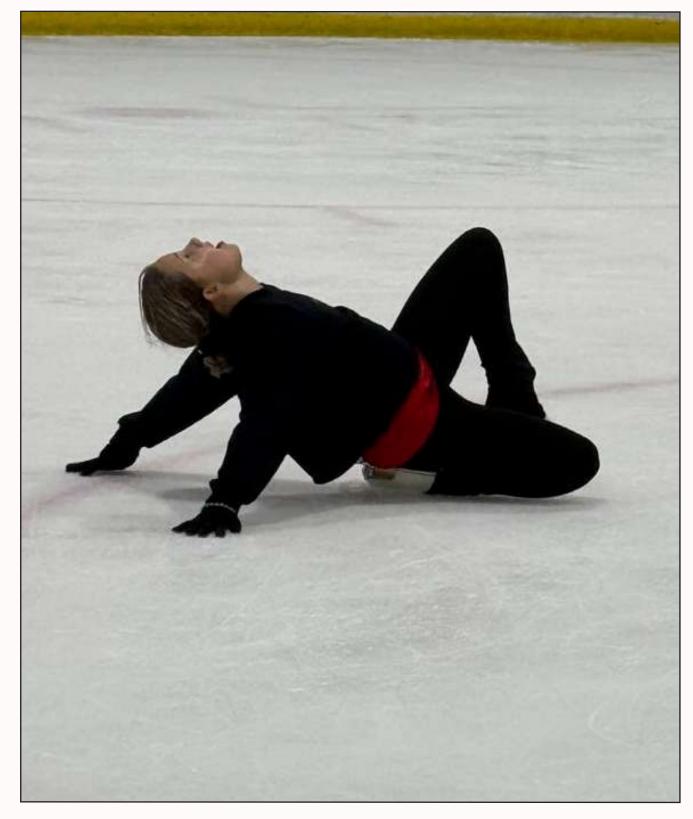






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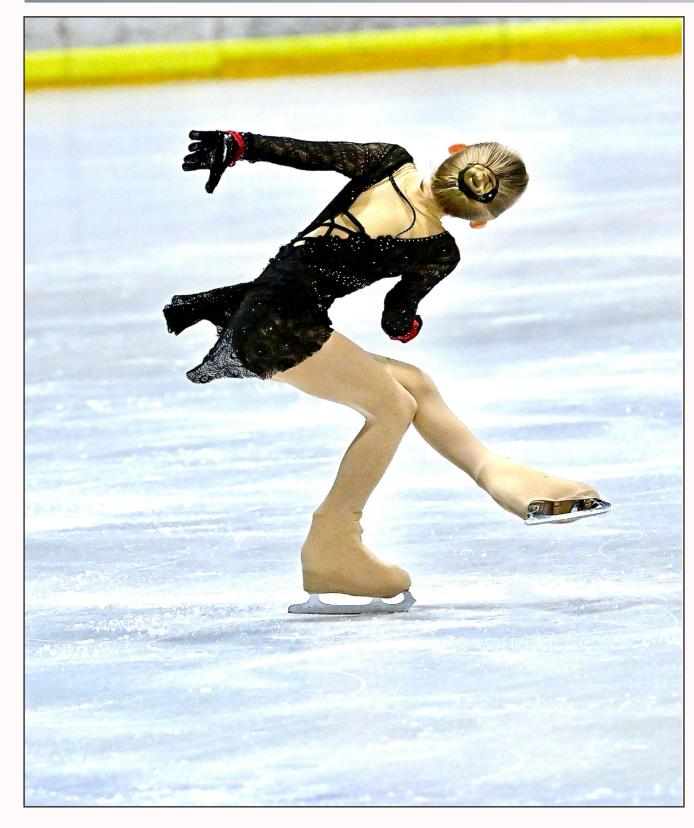








### Alisa Velbovets





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#### Valerie Stremousova





room, my toys, my friends...

I keep practising figure skating. I've been 2 years best lives 🙏 to Los Angeles, LA Elite Ice. Now I'm in Sofia,

My name is Alisa Velbovets.

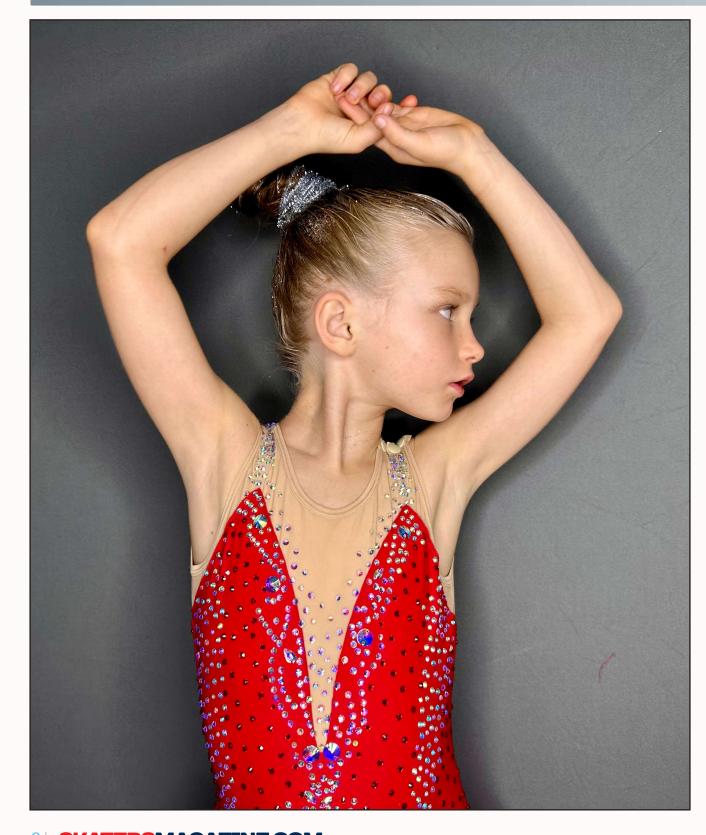
Bulgaria, Denkova Staviski Club. I do all double jumps except double axel. Now I'm a champion of many international competitions in Europe. But I still dream to come back to my lovely Ukraine and to present my home country on international tournaments and competitions.

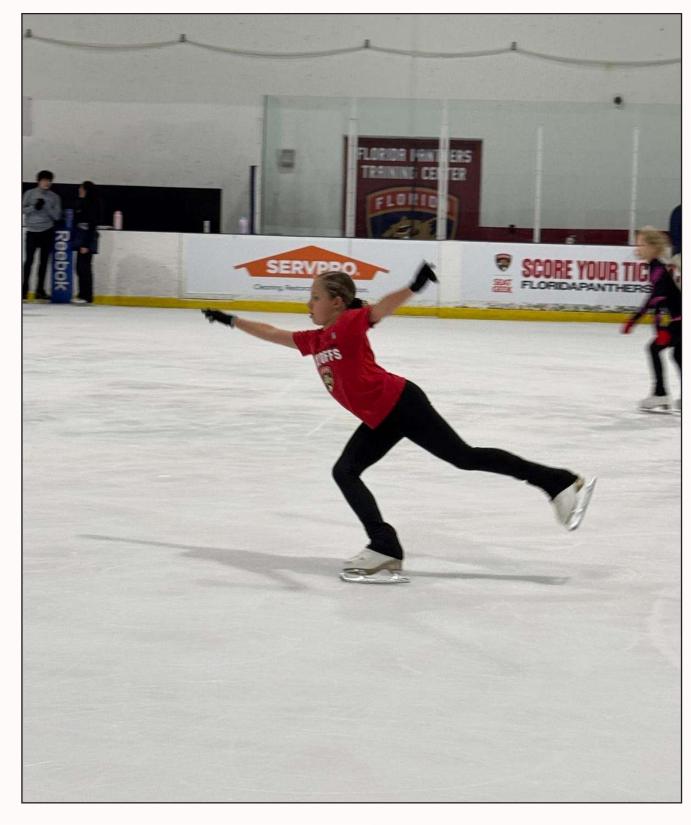
Please, stop the war! And let all the kids live their





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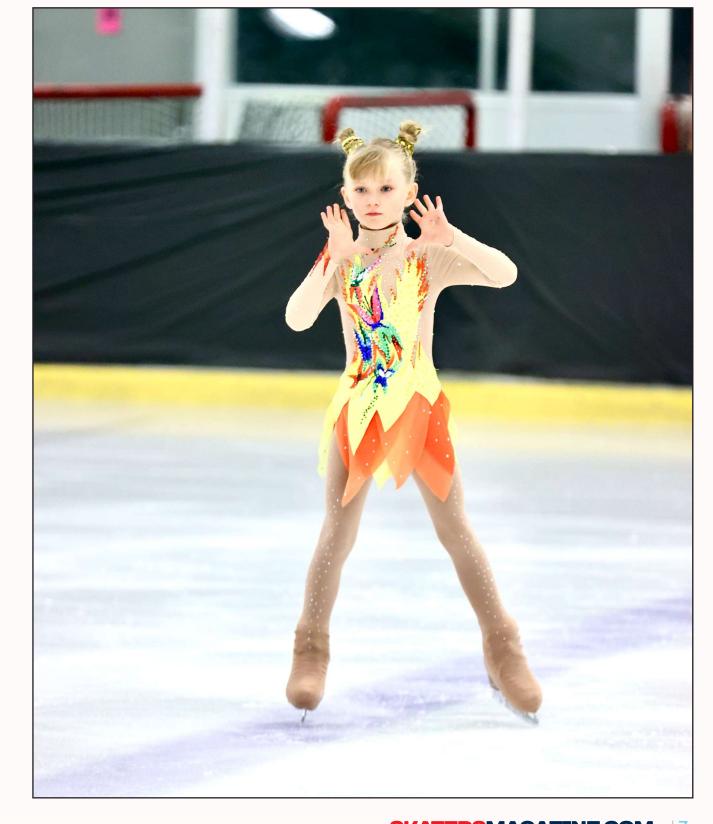
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### Valerie Stremousova



My name is Valerie and I have been figuring skating since 6 years old. I love to figure skate and enjoy every moment. I have so many dreams and goals towards my future. Figure skating plays an important aspect in my life. The world of ice skating affects my life in many ways. It gave me self confidence and made me a very determinate person. I set on my own targets that maximize my ability to challenge myself mentally and physically and work hard to achieve them.

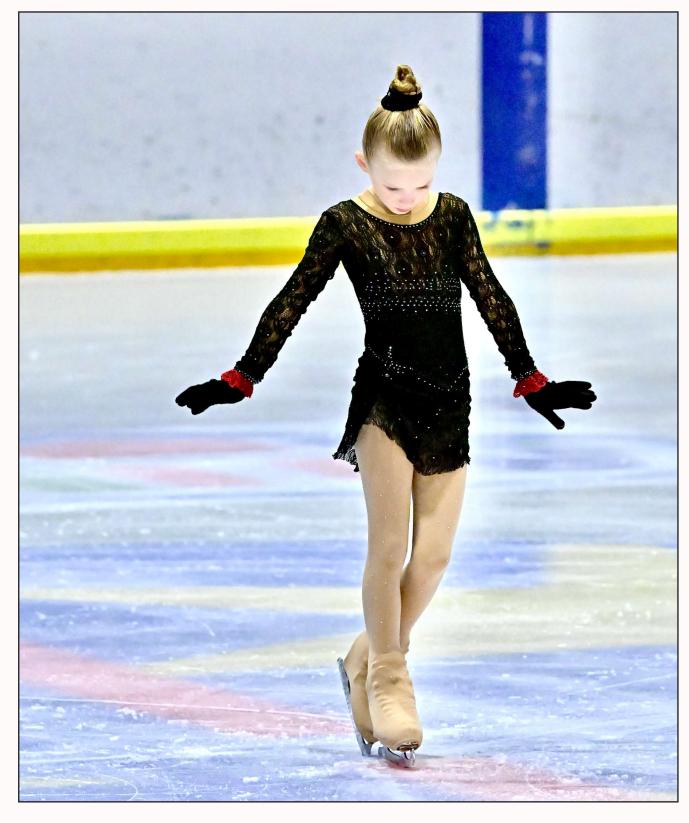


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### Kate Lester





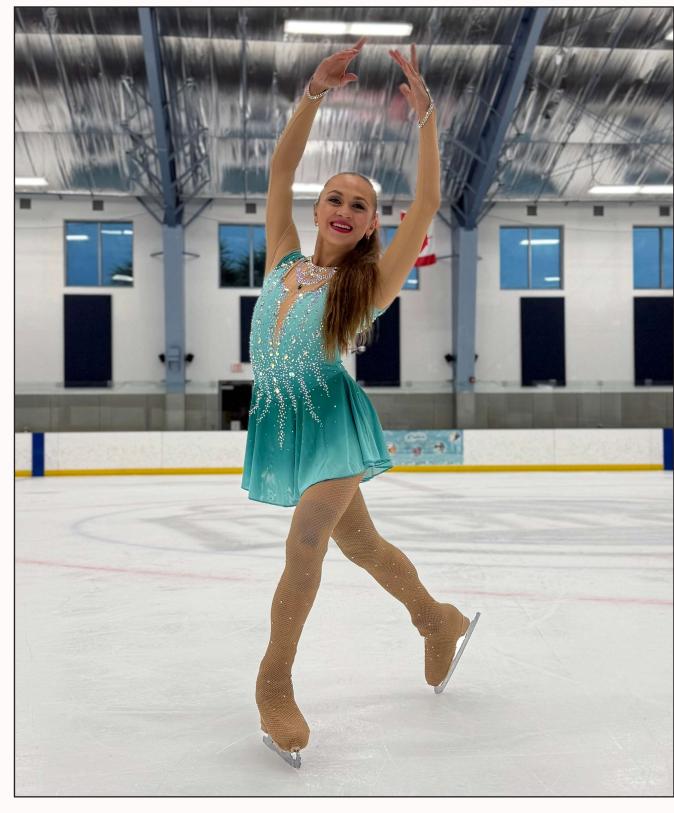
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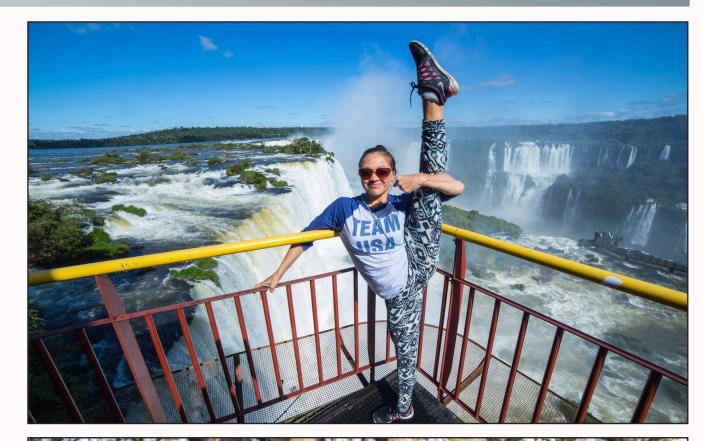


### Clara Muller



My dream is to become better at figure skating my goals are to jump double jumps and improve my pirouettes and also to learn the different types of pirouettes. I have achieved a lot that I would not





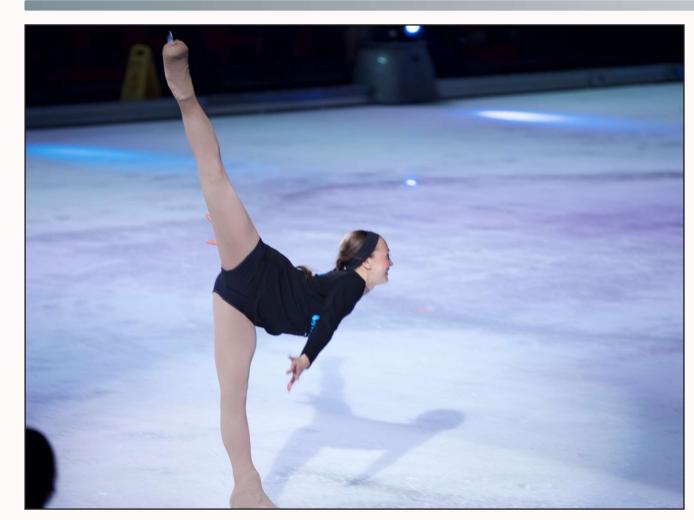


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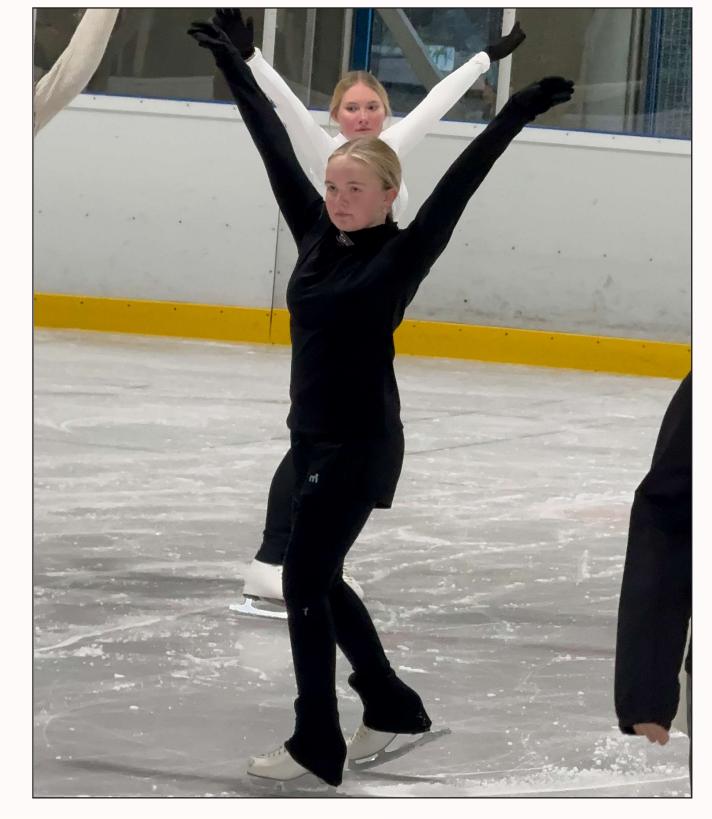














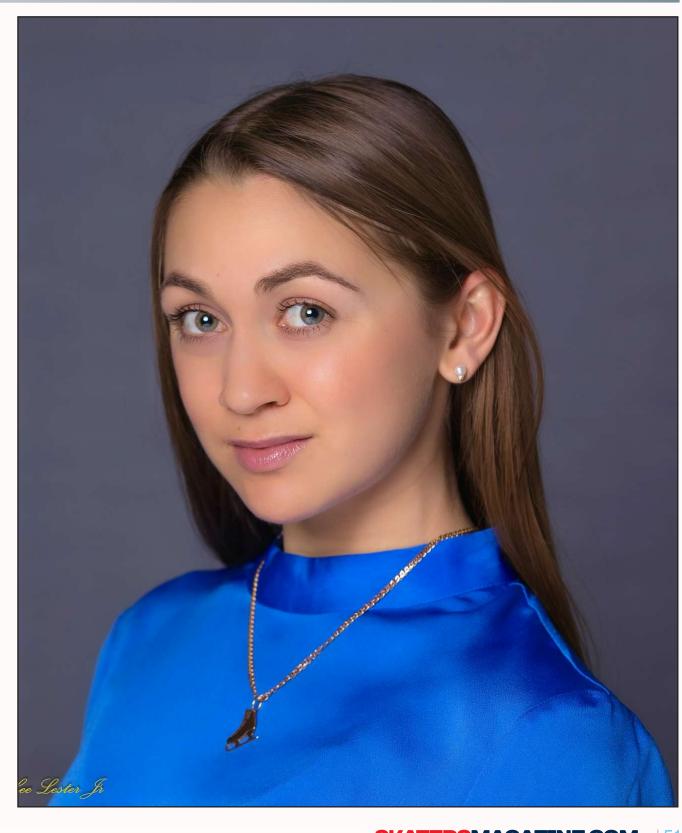






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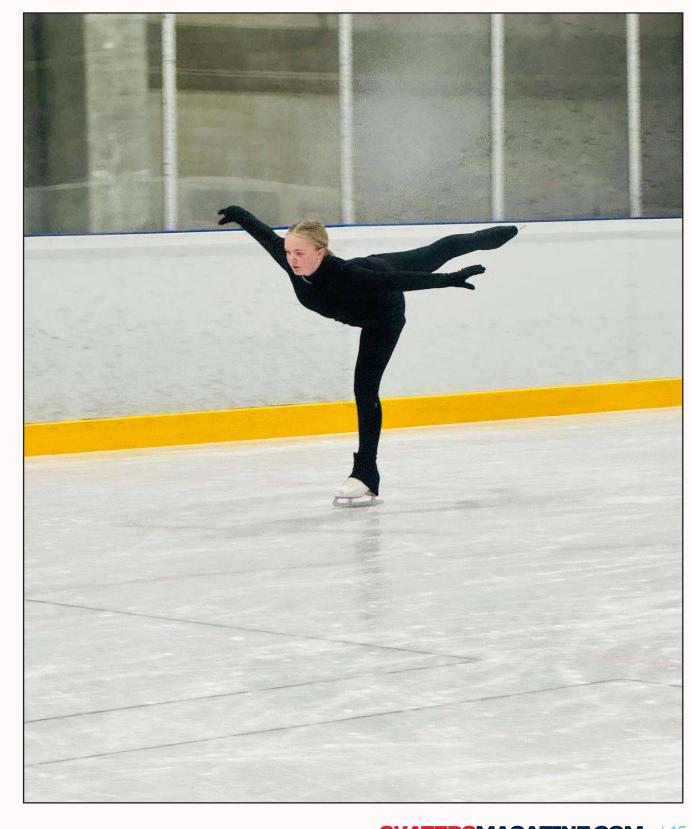
My name is Kate Lester (Katya). I am proud to share my vast skating background with than 25 years of experience. worked as a Principal Performer in world-class ice shows, skating in pairs, solo and performing aerial lyra special acts.

As a young athlete I competed nationally and internationally winning ISU World Mentor Toruń Cup and National Spartakiad.

I feel grateful to have the opportunity to inspire and pass along the love of the sport to the next generation of figure skaters.

After graduating from The Ural State University Photos Credits: Gary Lester with a Masters degree in PR and advertising, I





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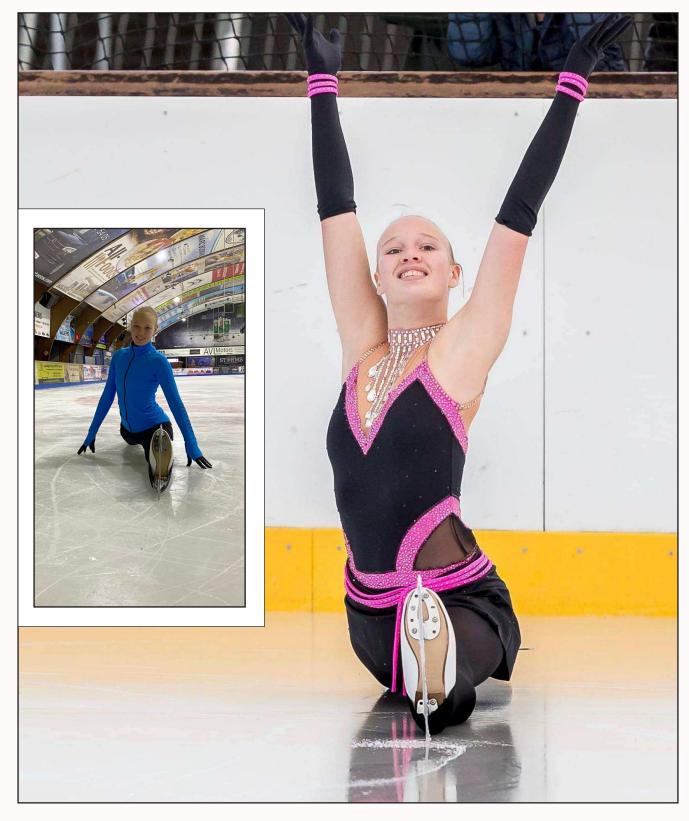
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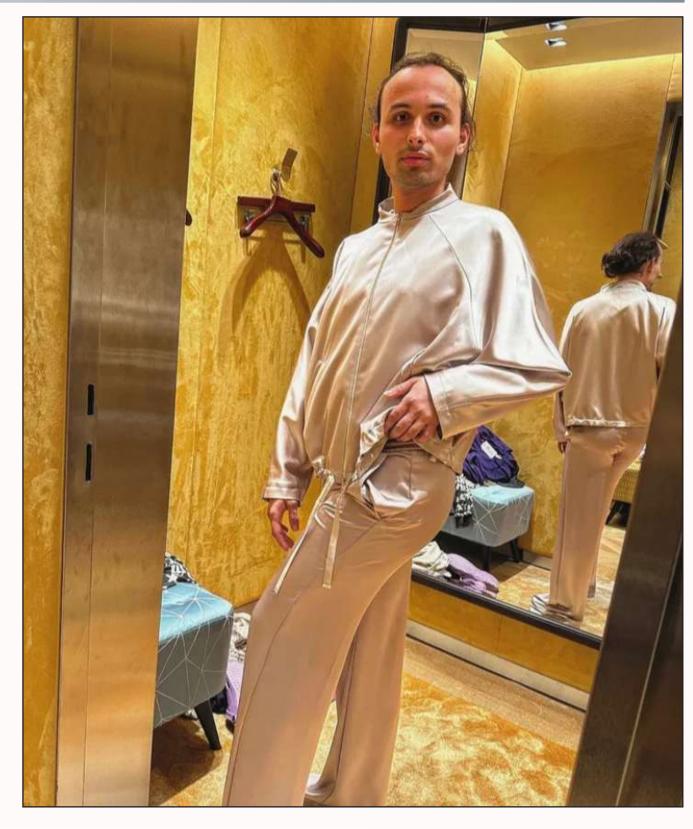




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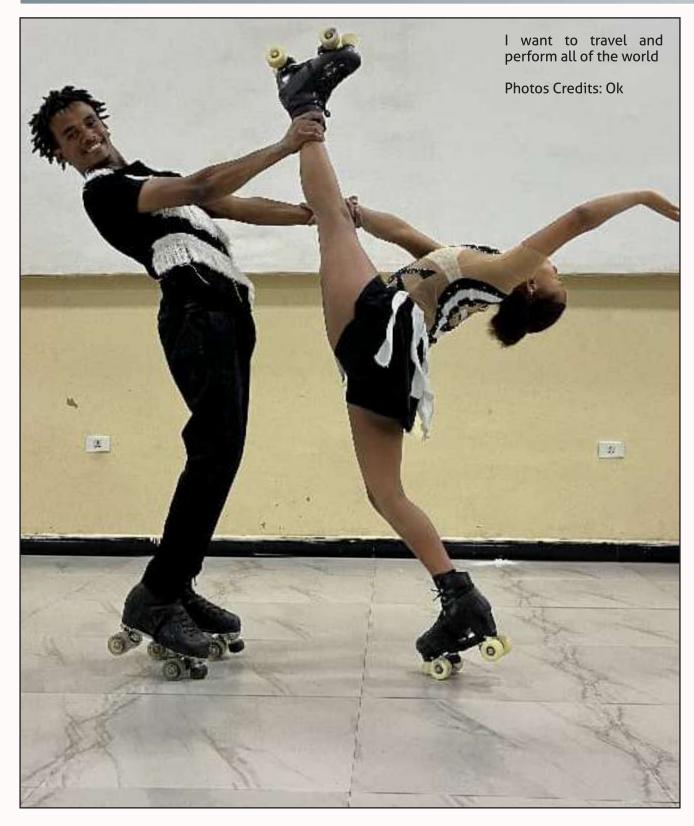


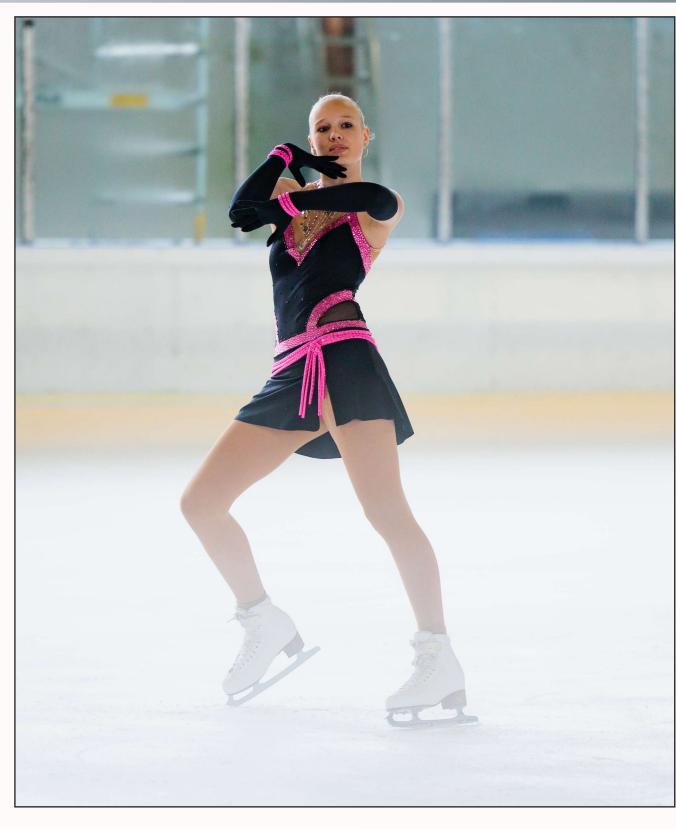


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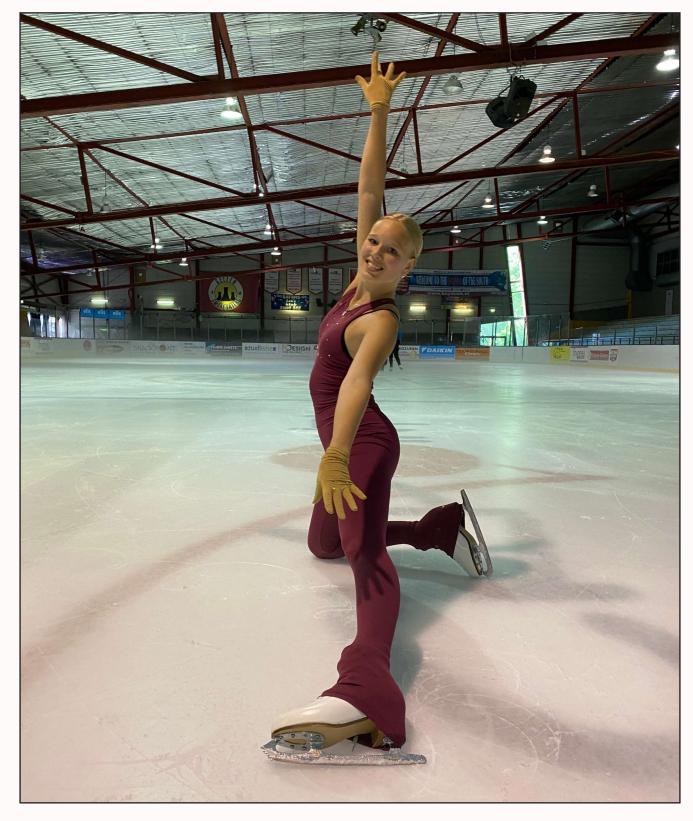




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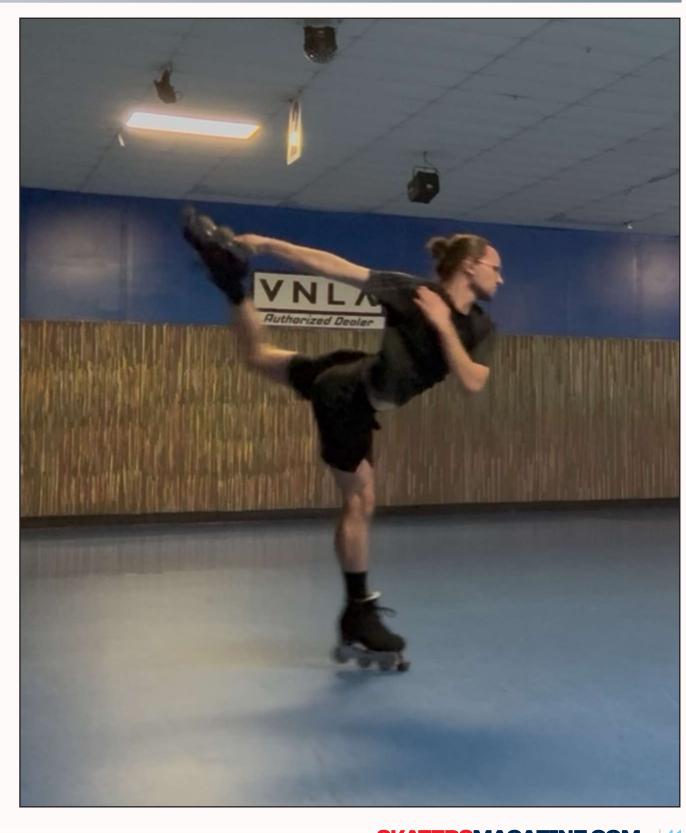
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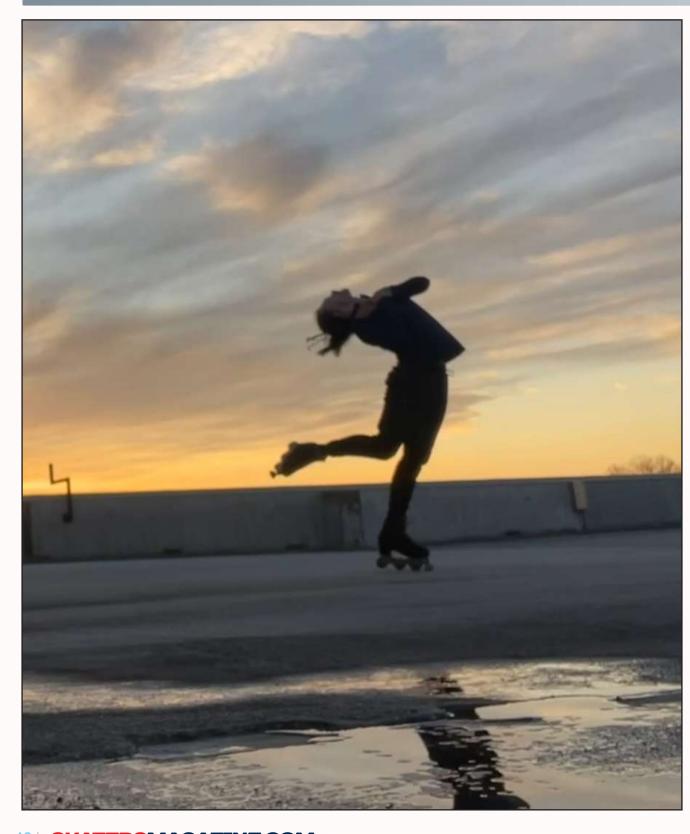




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### Jackson



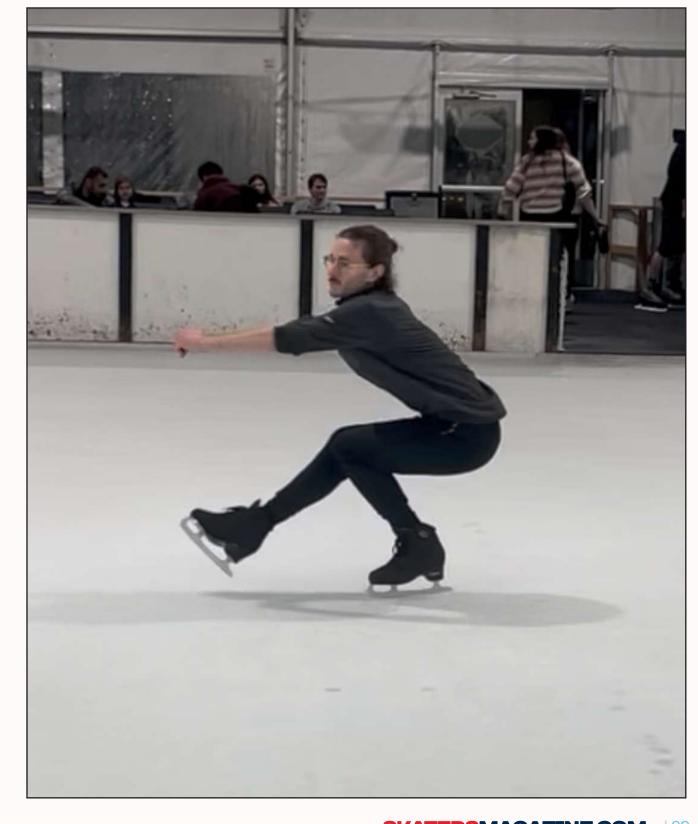


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### Jackson





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### Hugo Brooks



Here's the revised version making it clear that you and Darcy skate pairs for fun but don't compete together:

I'm Hugo Brooks, a 13-year-old competitive figure skater, and skating has been my passion since I first watched an ice show at my local arena in 2019. That moment sparked a love for the sport that has only grown stronger with each passing year.

In 2023, I became the Level 2 Champion in Great Britain, which was one of my proudest achievements so far. This season, I've already qualified for the British Qualifiers and I'm training hard with the goal of competing at the British Championships later this year.

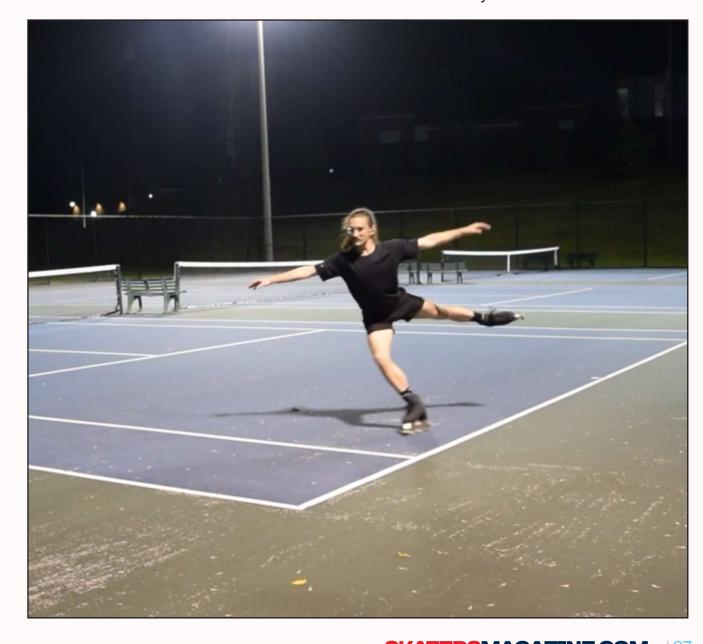
I train at Blackpool and Blackburn Ice Arenas under the expert guidance of Katie Stainsby, a former Dancing on Ice professional, and Oscar Peter, a former Swiss National Champion and World competitor in free and pairs skating. Their experience, passion, and belief in me have pushed me to improve my skills, refine my artistry, and set even bigger goals. Each summer, I also attend an elite skating camp in Switzerland, where last year I was honoured to be selected to perform in the final gala presentation — an unforgettable experience that inspired me to keep aiming higher.

I compete in singles skating, and I also enjoy practising pairs skating with my best friend, Darcy, though we don't currently compete together. Pairs allows us to create something special on the ice — combining trust, teamwork, and storytelling — while singles challenges me to push my own limits and focus on my technique and artistry.

a sport I couldn't have participated in otherwise. I currently live in an area without an ice rink, so I understand that figure skating can be a very inaccessible sport for many, whether it is location, time constraints, or finances. I always want to encourage people to find their own route to success, even if it's a bit non-traditional. Skating has changed my life in a lot of meaningful ways, and I want others to find that opportunity as well.

challenges, but it has also allowed me to discover I'm incredibly grateful for the support I've received online and the opportunity to connect with other skaters, coaches, and most of all, beginners who are exactly where I was four years ago. This sport has brought me so much community and helped me discover new passions I'd never even thought of before. If I can help even one person have the same experience with this sport then I've reached my goals!

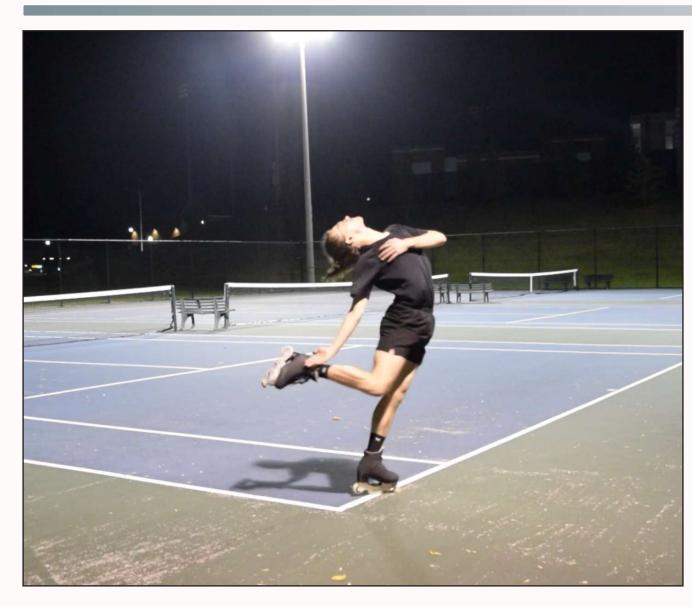
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#### Jackson



Hello! My name is Jackson, otherwise known as current short-term goals are to get all the JumpingAndSpinning online. I am a self-taught technical skills I would need for a Senior-level skater who currently skates in inlines. I started roller skating in December 2020 as a way to kill boredom during the pandemic, and ever since lower the barrier-to-entry for new skaters, then I've been hooked on figure skating.

Starting out, I had no real goals aside from learning cool tricks. As my skating has developed, my goals have changed a lot. Personally, I want to make as much progress as I can, and although competition has never been my goal I will absolutely consider it once I feel ready. My

competition. My goals with social media, however, have always been straight-forward. I want to provide a resource for information regarding technique and training strategies, popularize inline/roller skating as a more accessible way for people around the world to partake in figure skating, and to show people that self-teaching is possible with enough dedication.

Being self-taught has certainly presented its

Beyond competing, I love to perform. I've taken part in numerous gala performances at Blackpool Ice Arena and have been cast in several ice shows, including:

Peter Pan on Ice (2022)

Alice Through the Looking Glass on Ice (2023)

Snow White: A Magical Adventure on Ice (2024)

Most recently, I had once-in-alifetime opportunity perform on Torvill and Dean's Our Last Dance tour — their final-ever tour. Growing up, they were two of my biggest inspirations, and I even did a school project on them, researching their journey from young skaters to Olympic legends. Sharing the ice with my heroes was beyond anything I ever imagined and will always be one of the most unforgettable highlights of my skating journey.



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## Hugo Brooks











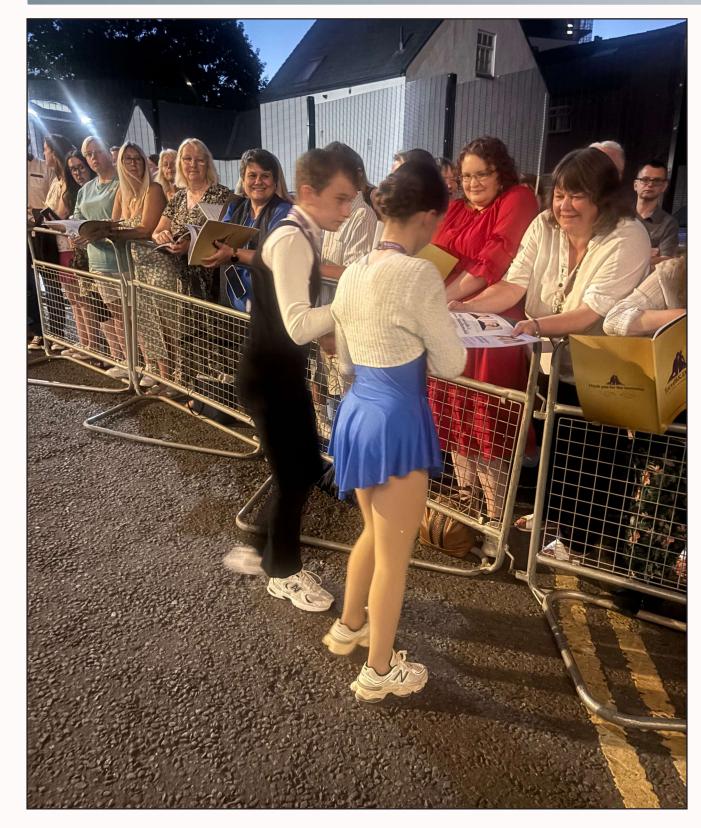


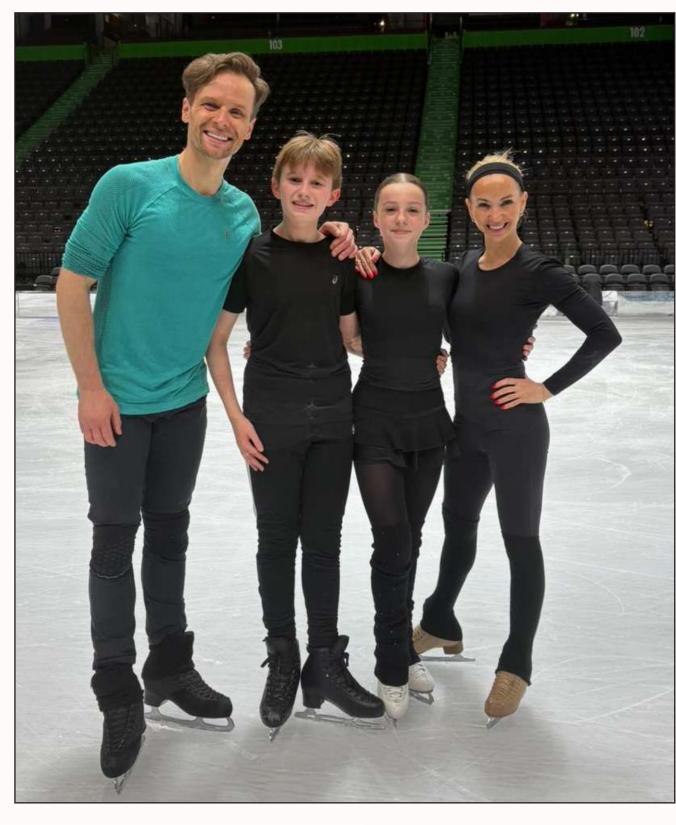


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