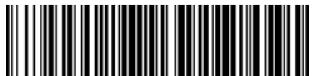


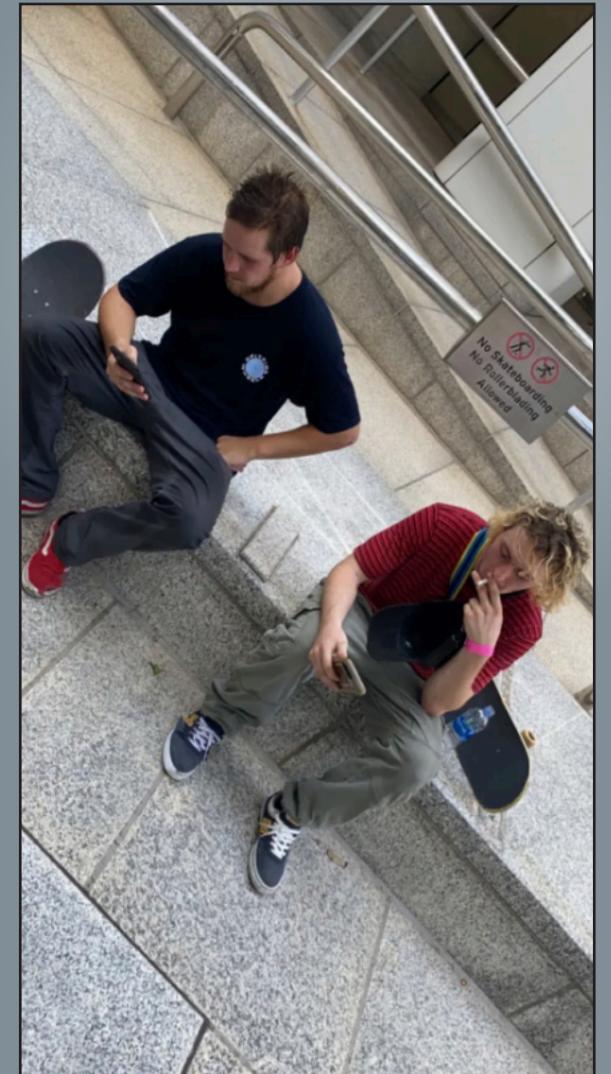
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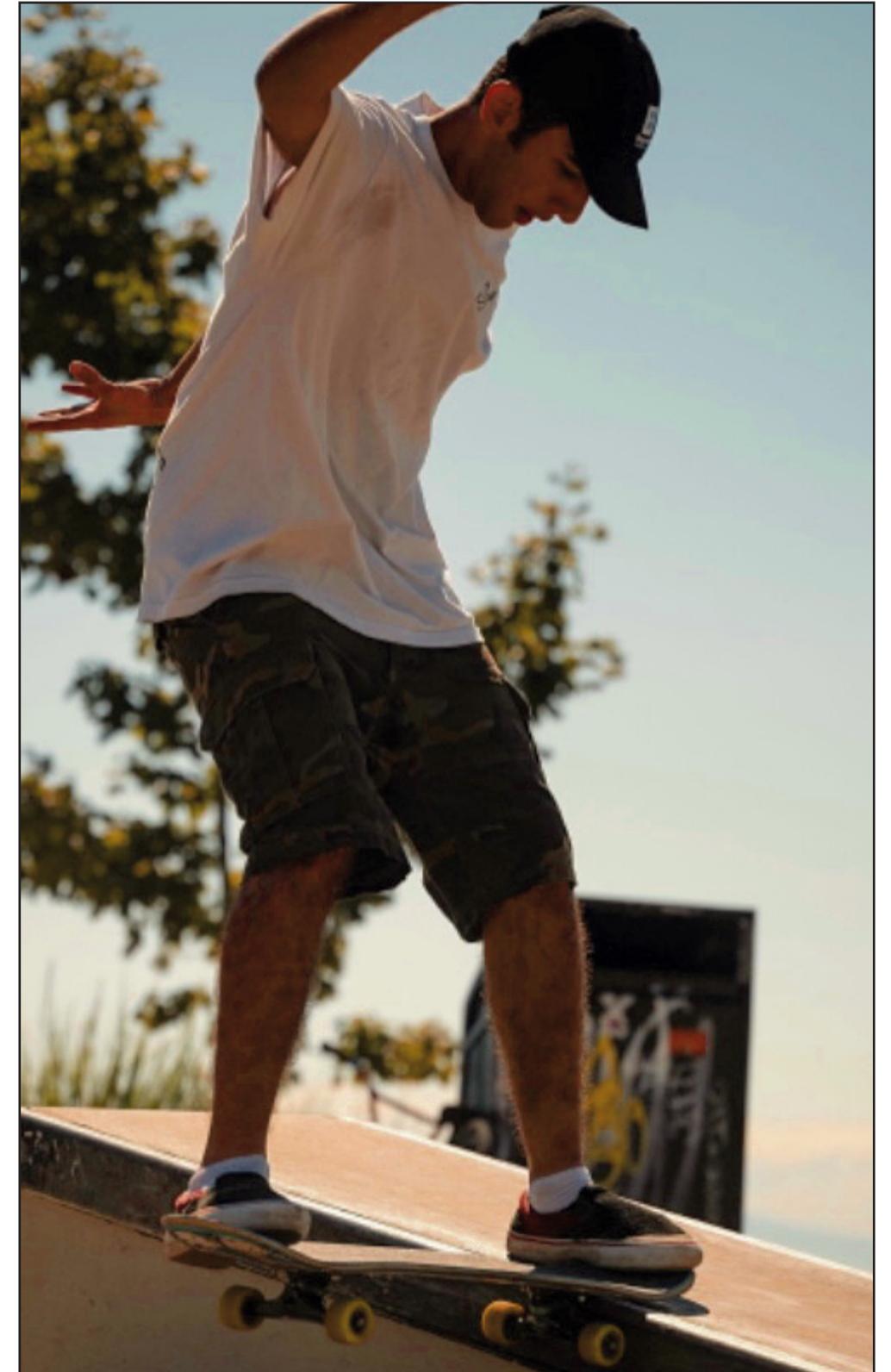
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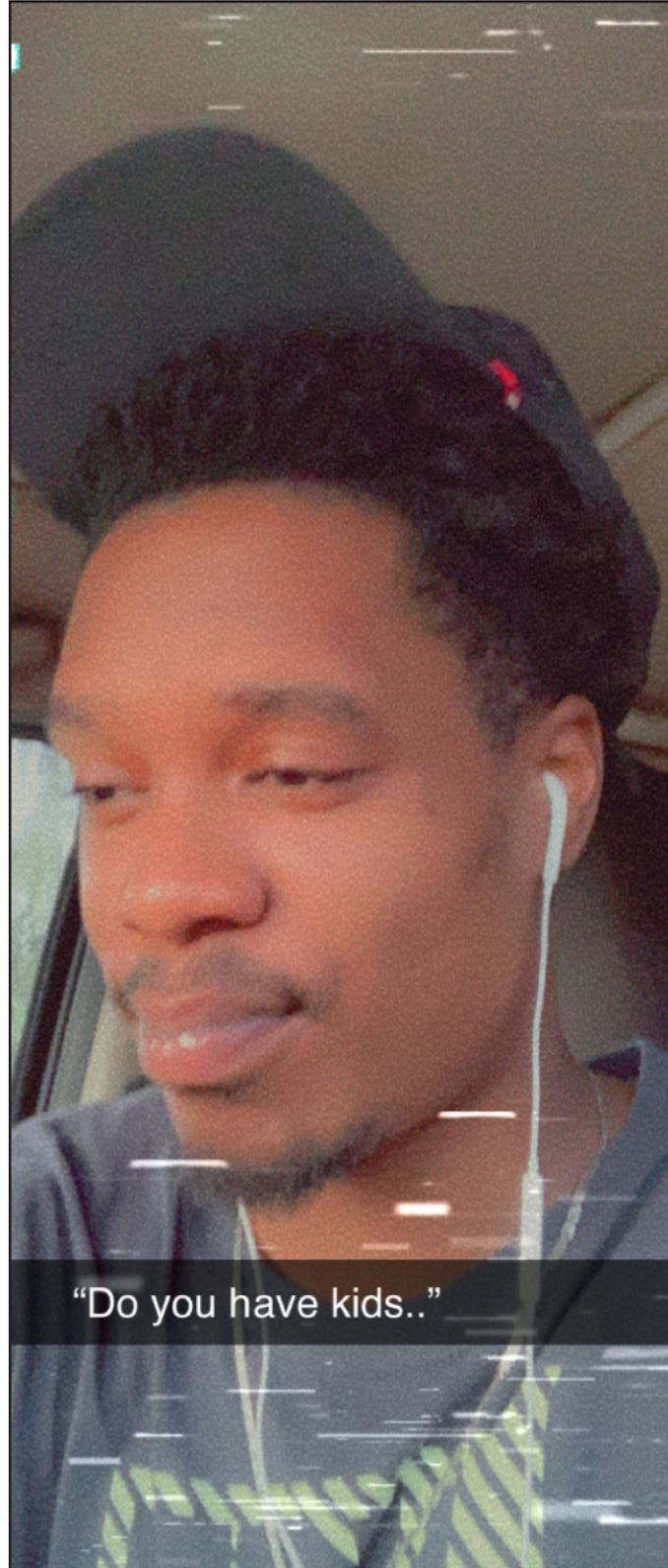


I have always loved skate boarding ever since I was a kid, the idea of gliding without moving a mucks stood out to me, and I made my dreams come true. Growing up I was from East Vancouver and north west Burnaby making my local skateboard park confederation skate park which originally made for rollerblading was then upgraded into an skatepark with a tight bowl. Growing up in the east side was rough specially with my crazy mother and alcoholic dad. Skateboarding became my escape

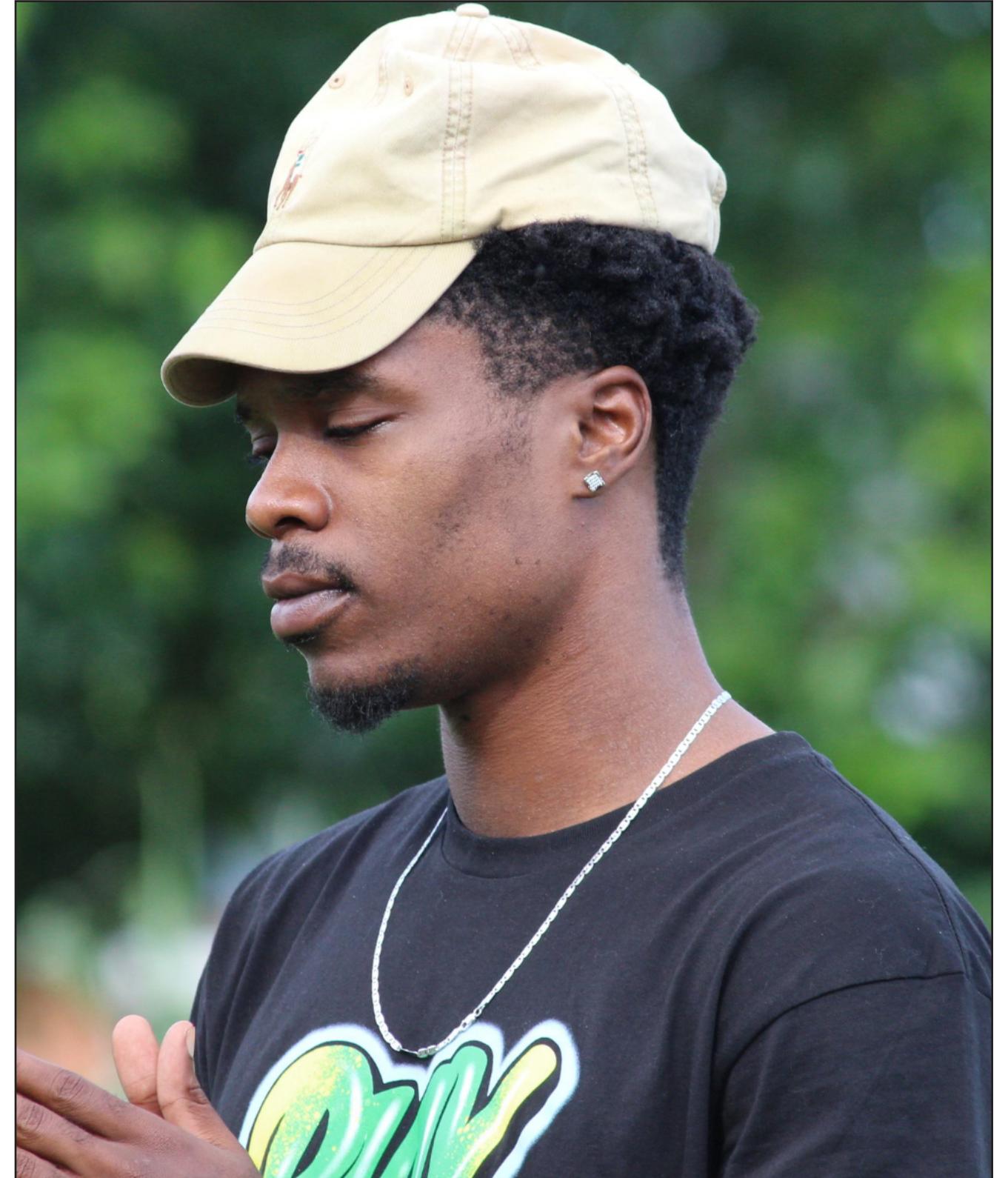
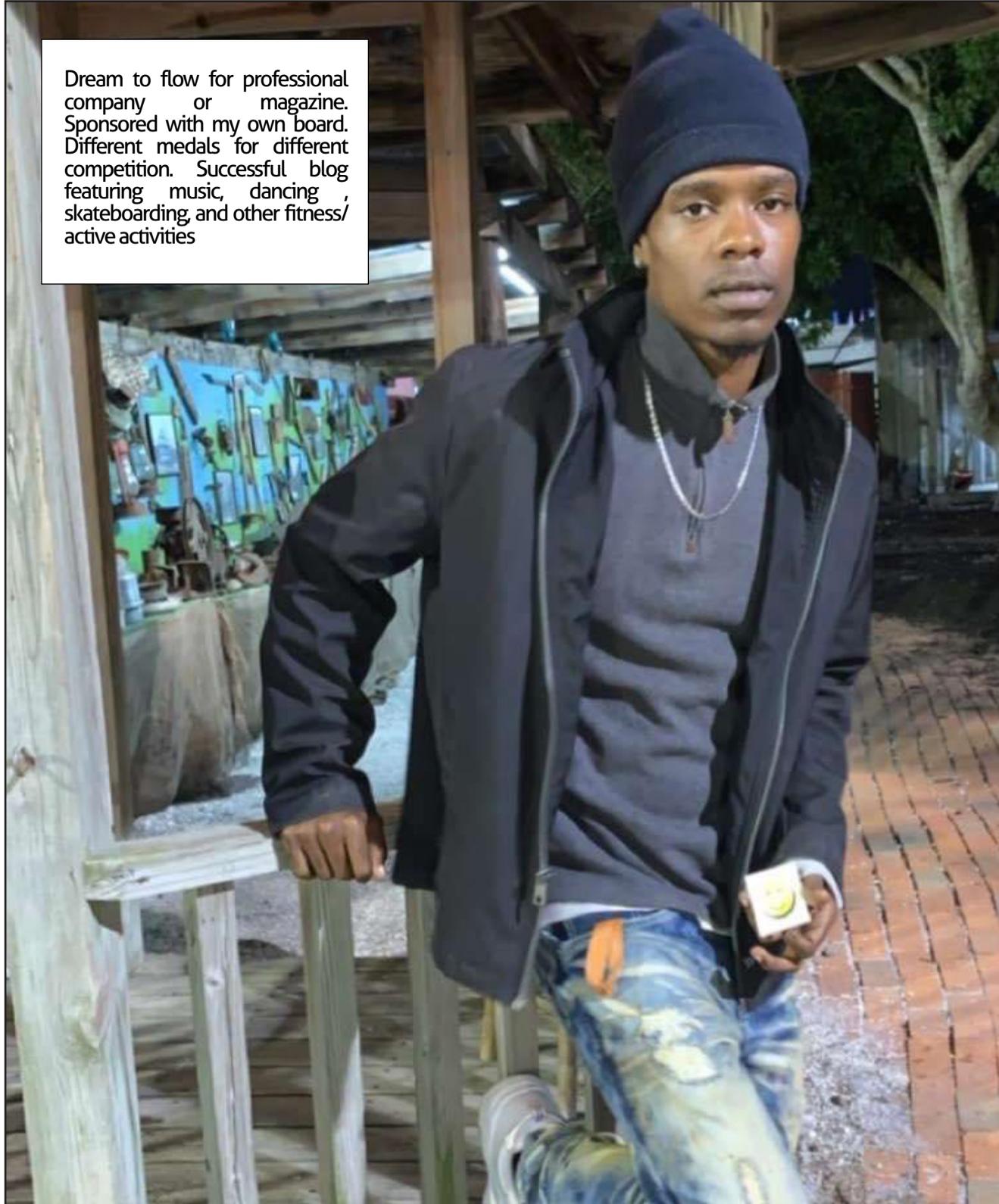
from the reality I was born into and the house hold I lived in. I wouldn't be able to afford boards but the older people at the skate park would always give away old or new boards to kids and I rode a Frankenstein board. Until my father sobered up and we moved to a better place. Skateboarding saved me from being a bad kid and having the same lifestyle my parents did.

Photographers Credits: MBLOCK





Dream to flow for professional company or magazine. Sponsored with my own board. Different medals for different competition. Successful blog featuring music, dancing, skateboarding and other fitness/active activities











Skateboard Magazine - I started skateboarding 3 months ago and I'm hooked! I saw my first video of Sky Brown a year ago and want to be just like her when I grow up. My goal is to be a professional skateboarder and compete in the Olympics and X Games. I love skateboarding because

it is hard and I like doing hard things. My goal is to be able to do a kick flip and a front side 540 eventually!

Photographers Credits: Mom

Christopher Sfreddo



My name is Christopher Sfreddo, I am 6 years old and I am in first grade. I enjoy participating in many sports including baseball, soccer, basketball, dancing, skateboarding and riding my bike. I love playing sports because I like to make new friends, be part of a team and exercise to stay healthy.

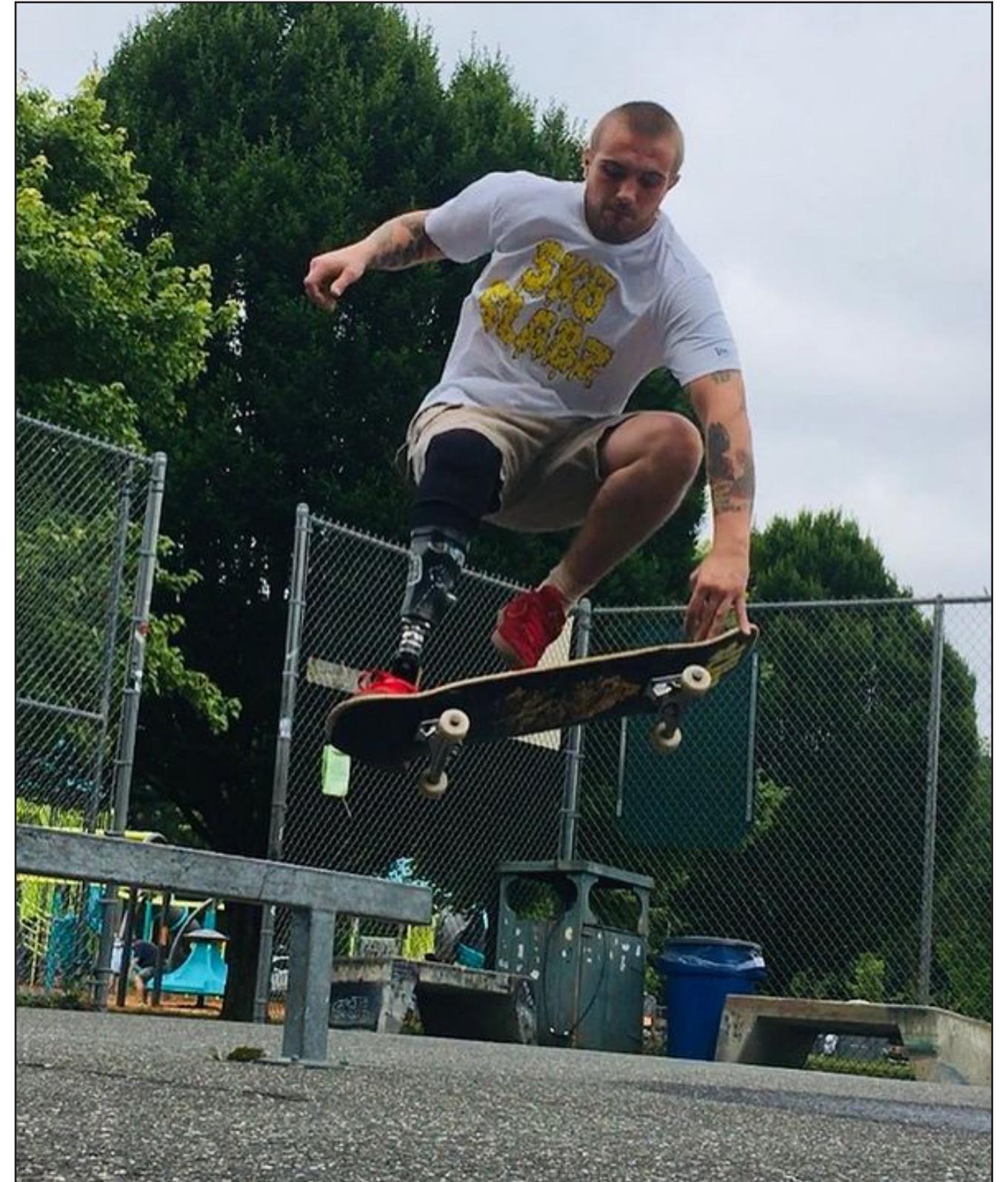
My dream is to be famous one day and to have my own YouTube channel. When I grow up I would like to be an astronaut and an architect.

Photographers Credits: Jennifer Sfreddo - Jennifer Erin Photography









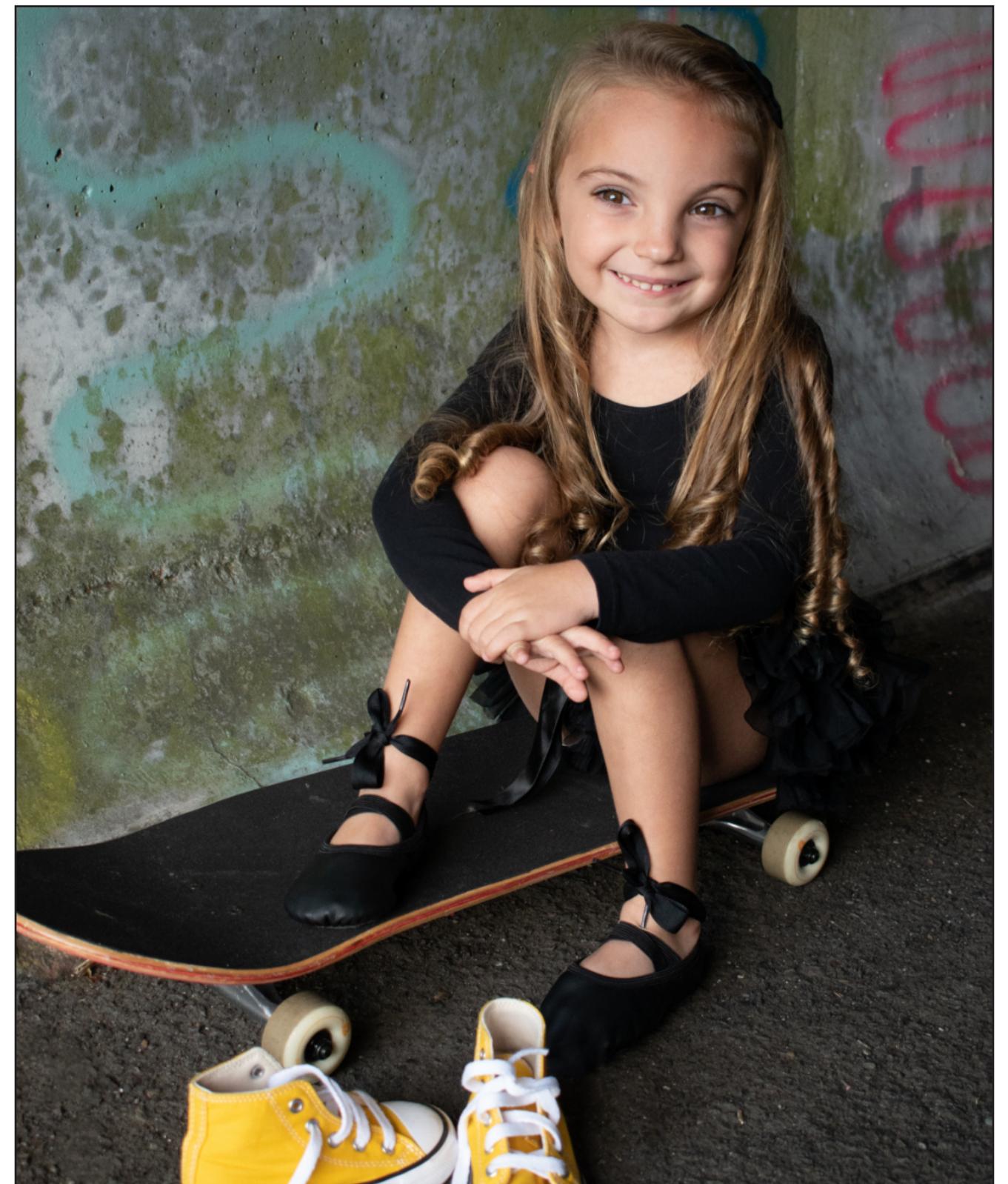


David Coons

My name is David Coons. I'm from New Milford Connecticut, and I'm 29 years old. I'm a right leg below knee amputee. I lost part of my leg due to a motorcycle accident in 2017. I've been skateboarding for 14 years. Since my amputation I've been competing in adaptive skateboarding events around the country. I have also been working with non profits to raise money for the disabled and skateboarding community. My goals are to help those in need and give opportunities to those who have none. Through skateboarding I have been able to impact others in ways I could have never imagined. I feel very honoured and blessed to be able to do so. Skateboarding is a beautiful art that has taught me so much, such as commitment, perseverance, and love. So on that note I'd like to say thank you to God, my loved ones, and my sponsors and supporters for making it all possible. Sincerely-Dave Coons













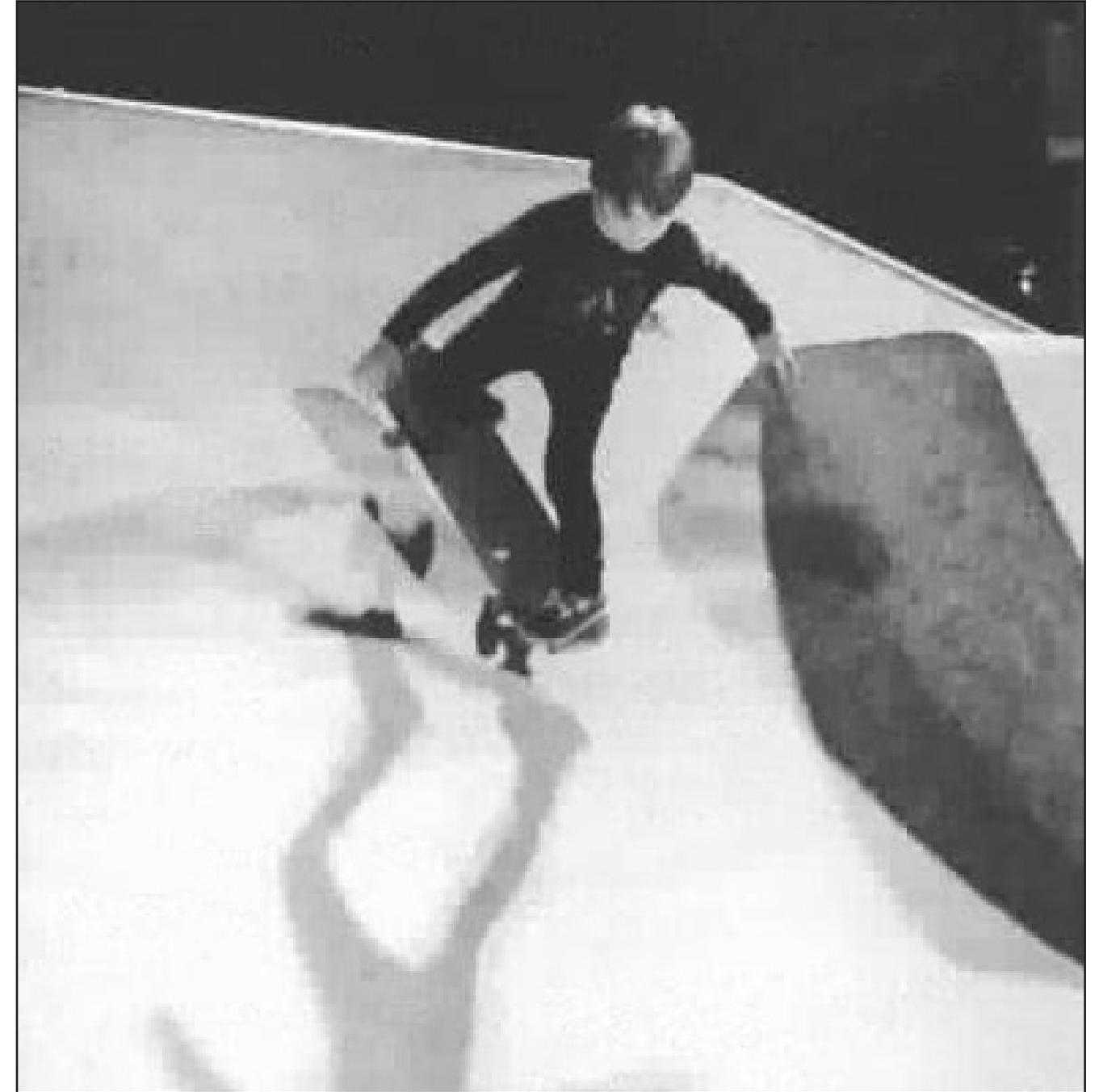
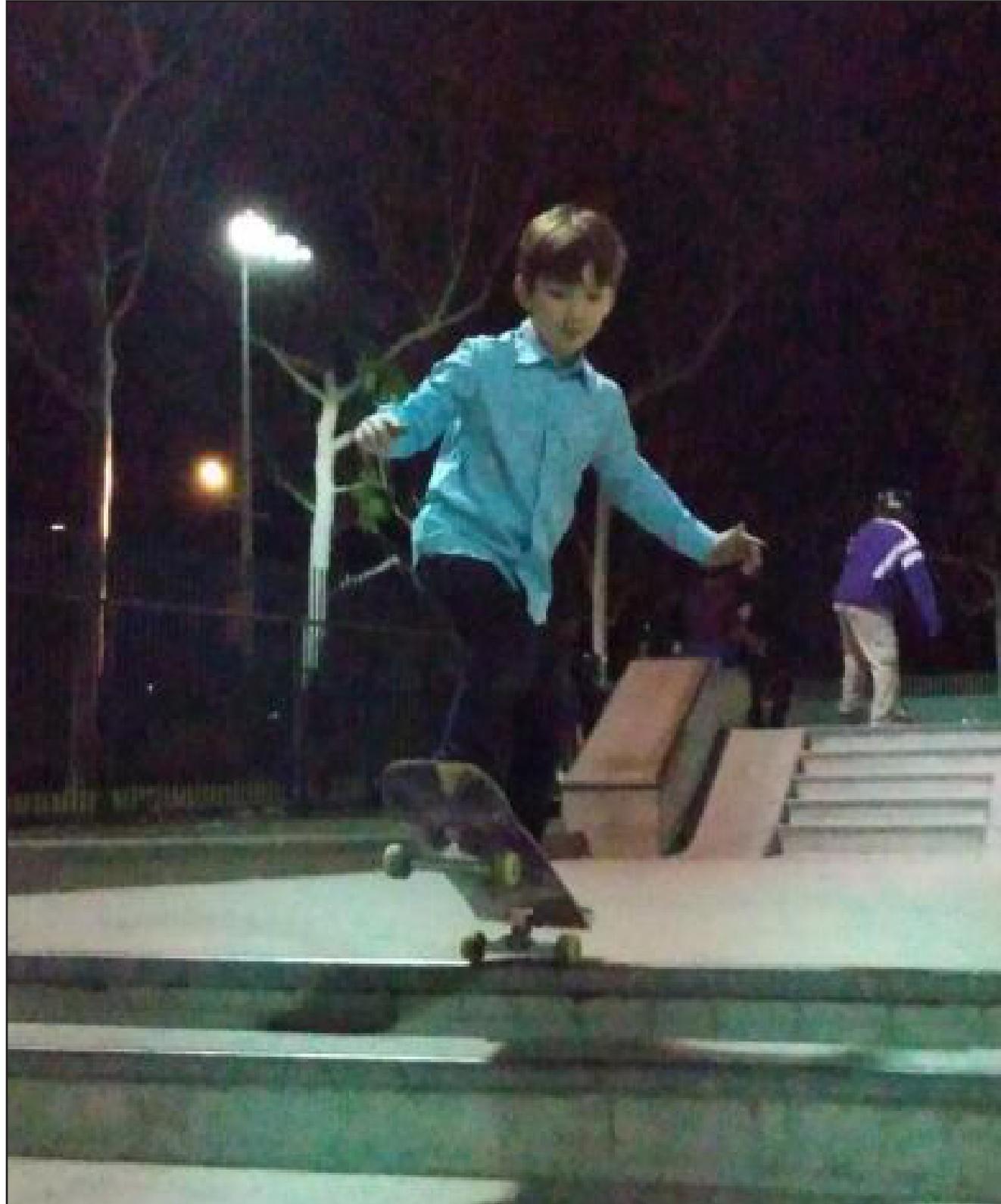












My name is Marlon Price I am 5 years old and I have a dream to be a pro- skater. My goal is to learn new tricks , have fun , make new friends and get a sponsor. Some of my achievements are that I won first place for the street league at my first CASL (California Amateur Skateboarding League) competition in August 2021, I am now a part of the ASK Team (Action Sports Kids

Foundation) and learning new tricks and progressing from them. My passion in life is skateboarding and I enjoy skating with my Dad, Jesse, Taj and my friends.

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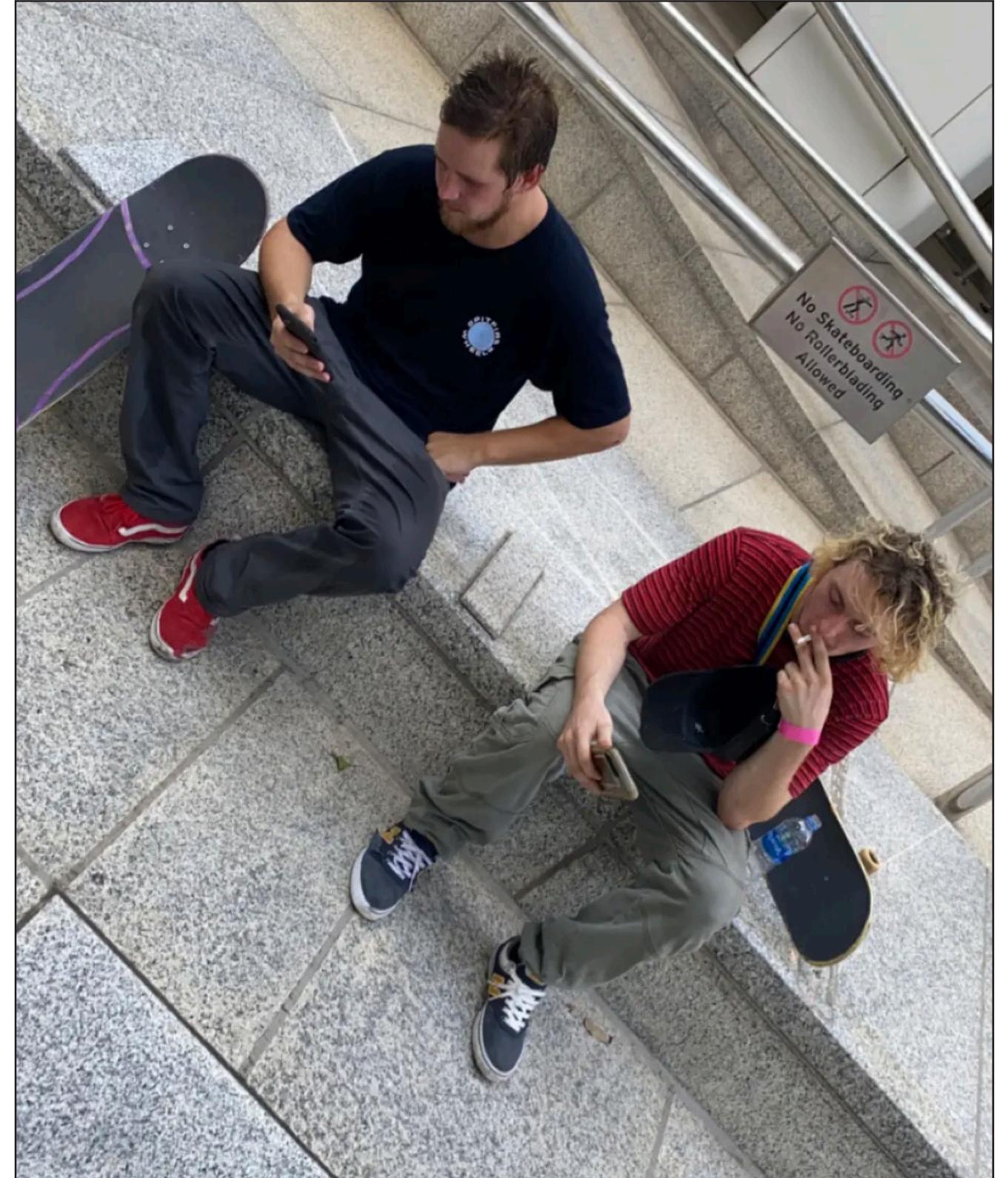
Growing up in port Arthur it wasn't much to do, i played baseball when I was younger took that pretty serious, but skateboarding always had its own little corner in my life. Always playing Tony hawk, watching Rodney Mullen, bam and rob dyrdek, but that first time I seen some dudes actually popping ollies and kickflips with my own eyes I was even more interested. I've always watched Xgames and watching the vert skaters, but there's just something about street skating. I started taking it serious when I was 12-13 and took off from there. We ain't have to many spots, so I'd skate around the neighborhoods and and find things in people's garbage to make something skateable. Then me and the homies started spot searching and hitting them streets. My main goal at that point in life was to skate in the X games one day. But as you grow older them dreams turn into more dreams. All I could think about was getting sponsored and going pro, I'd make wack ass little street edits and send them off, until finally one day monster energy put me on the team and I was getting packages 2-3 times a month. Me and the homies always had something with monsters logo on it. I kinda fell off from skating and took some time away but was always interested in it. I've been in a few edits with the Beaumont homies, but never got a full part cause I never took it to serious. Until about 3 years ago. now that I'm back and pushing me and the homies been working on a full length film called "potential" we're gunna drop in December. I haven't been worried about side clips or anything since we've started filming for it, just focused on getting them part clips. My ender for my part and the part is going to be the biggest achievement in my skating career. Now that I'm getting older I'd still love to go pro, but I do this cause I love this shit. I've met all of my homies from skating, I've learned more about life skating than anything else. There's a lot of things I left out because I'm not sure if this is supposed to be some sort of pg article or what, but I've gone through what most skaters have gone through, but skating litterally saved my life, stay drug free, and keep pushing.

Photographers Credits: Robert Dominguez







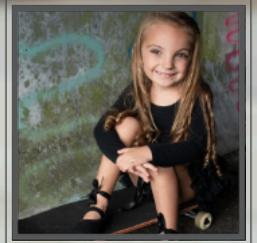






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