

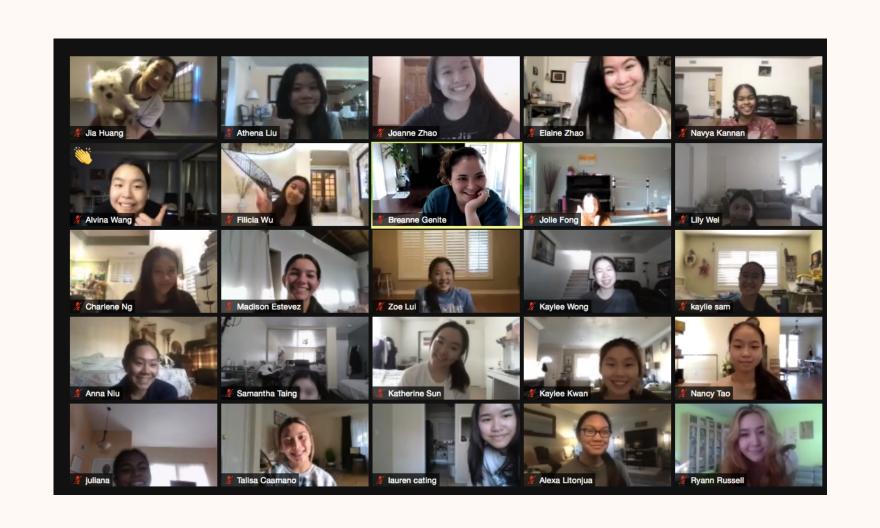
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MASTER CLASS

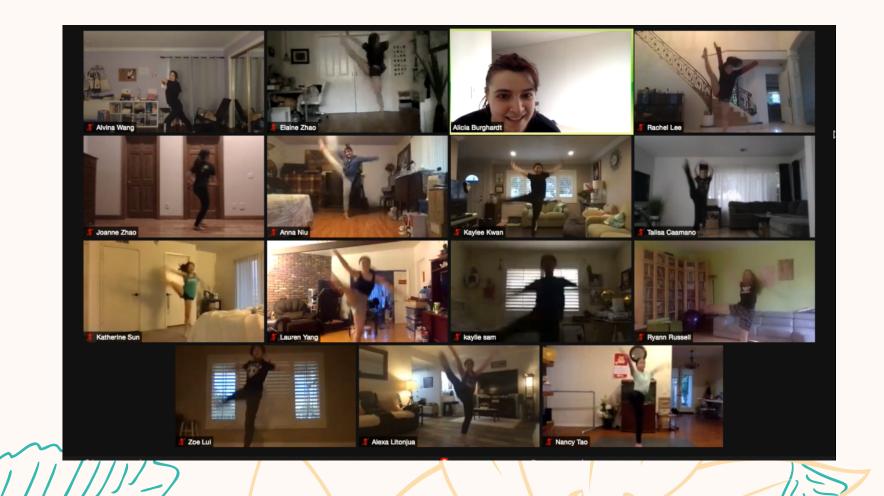
JIA HUANG

Jia Huang, one of Orchesis' previous talented directors, taught a complex and dynamic contemporary routine to "Drivers License" by Olivia Rodrigo that kept dancers thinking quick on their toes. Thank you for this wonderful class!



ALICIA BURGHARDT

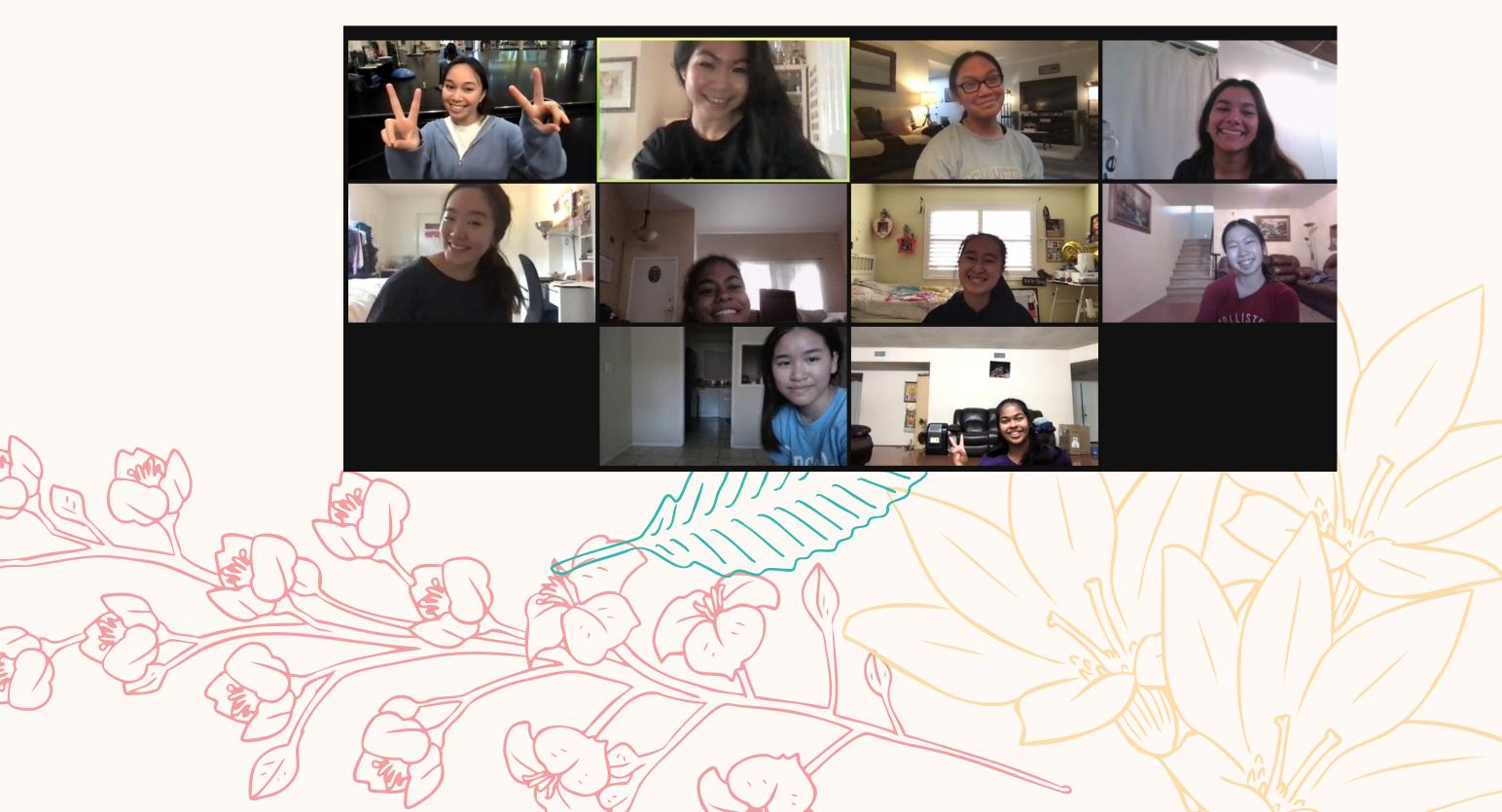
The company was honored to take a class led by Alicia Burghardt, a dancer for the Boston Celtics. Alicia taught a fun and upbeat jazz routine to "Can You Do This" by Aloe Blacc. Thank you for your time and support!





KYLIE GUIKING

Kylie Guiking, an Orchesis alumni and now one of Orchesis' talented directors, choreographed a fun and groovy hip hop routine for the virtual showcase. Thank you for your never ending love and support! If you haven't already, please check out this piece that Guiking and the dancers worked very hard on (more information can be found about the virtual show on the next page).





VIRTUAL SPRING SHOWCASE

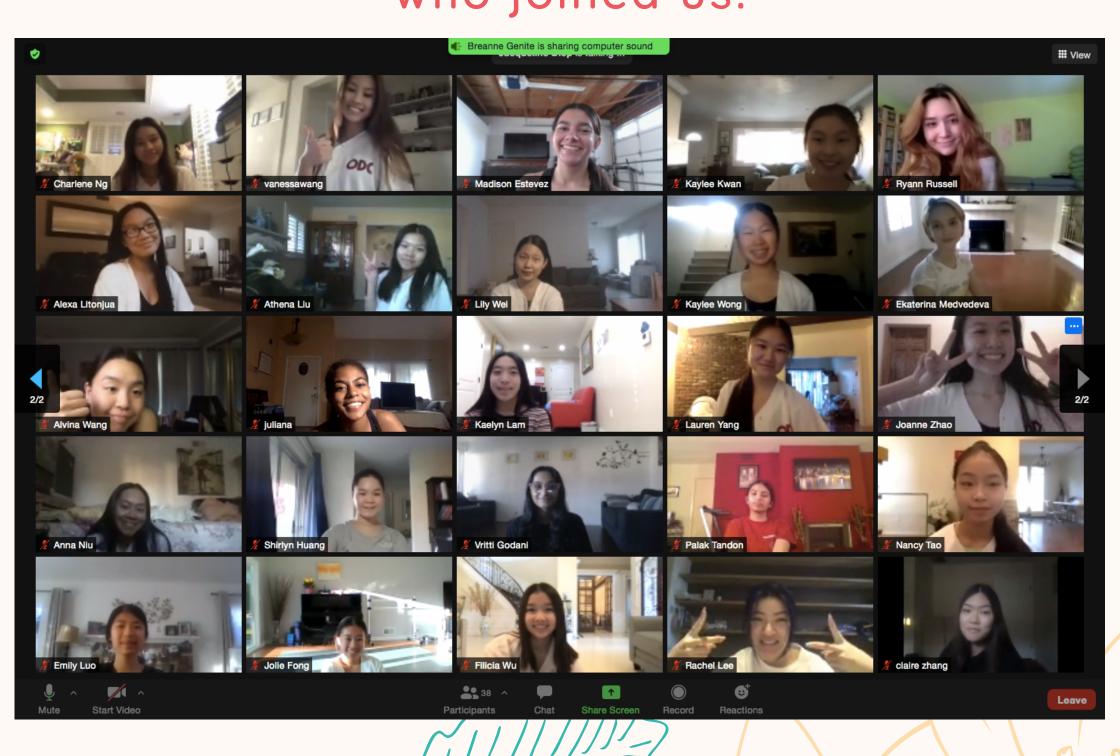
On April 30th, Orchesis held a virtual dance showcase. This showcase is compiled of film projects which features pieces choreographed and edited by the members and directors. Thank you to everyone that tuned in to watch! However, if you missed the live stream, no worries because the link is still open to stream the showcase (see below). You can also visit ahsorchesis.com and make a donation until the "Events & Tickets" page.

Virtual Showcase: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mJlxvx9i7kE&ab_channel=OrchesisDanceCompany



INTERMEDIATE JAZZ CLASS

In March, Orchesis held a dance class that was open to the Intermediate Dance classes. Dancers were able to learn a technical and upbeat jazz routine to "Yes I Can" by Rayelle, choreographed by officers Madison Estevez and Jacqueline Diep. Thank you to everyone who joined us!





BONDING

There is never too much when it comes to friendship and bonding! During April, the officers organized a bonding to help the company take their minds off of all the school stress. Members had a great time bonding through a cooking scavenger hunt as well as playing Jeopardy. On top of this, points from these games will contribute to the O-fam Olympics. Soon we will see which o-fam comes out on top...





2021-2022 AUDITIONS

We are currently in the process of holding auditions for Orchesis Dance Company 2021-2022. An informational meeting was held on April 19th and workshops are currently taking place. We are excited to invite new talent and fresh faces to the company!

The new company members will be announced on May 21st.





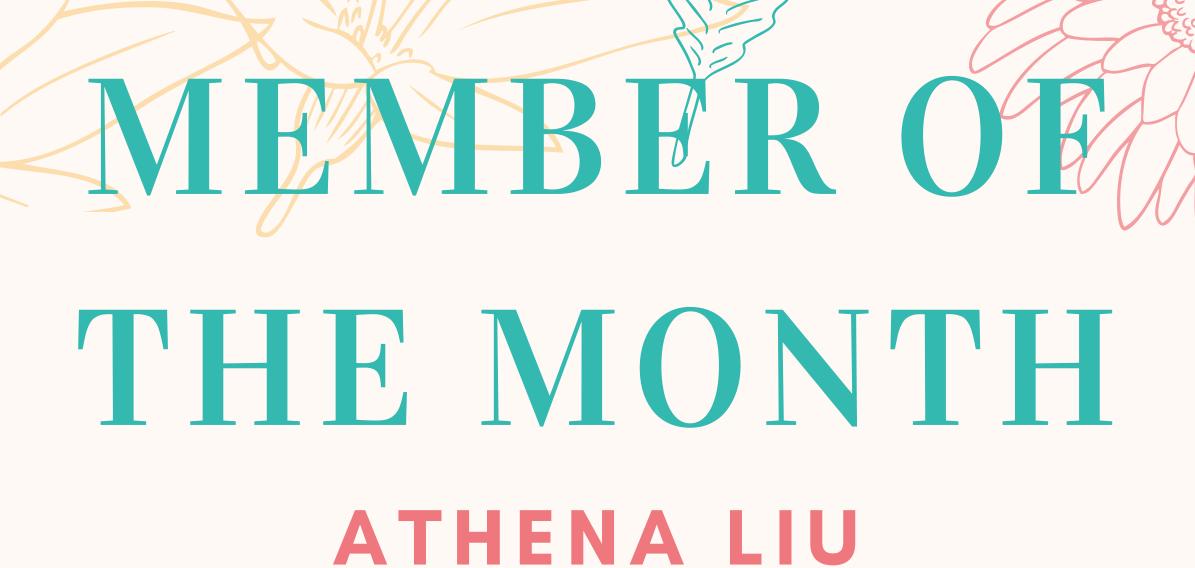
THE MONTH

KAYLEE KWAN

Kaylee started dancing when she was three years old.

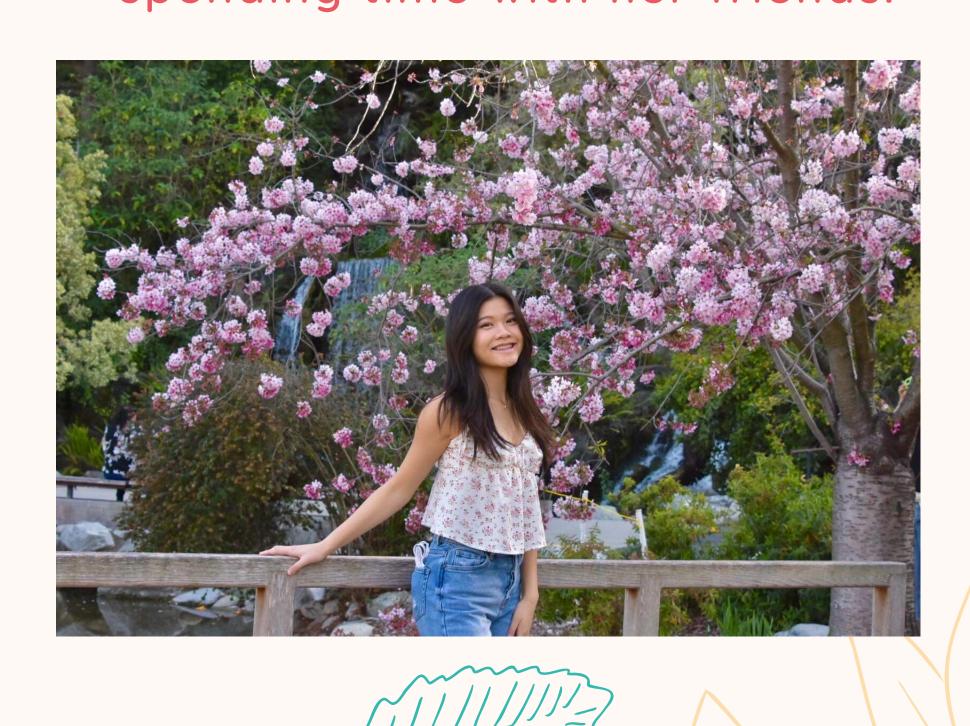
She liked dancing because it gives her a way to express myself without using words and there are no limits. In her free time Kaylee likes to read, eat food, and hike with her dog!





Athena started dancing when she was 5 years old.

She loves dancing because it offers her endless opportunities to express her creativity, and it allows her to bond with people who share the same passion. In her free time Athena likes eating, sleeping, and spending time with her friends.





UPCOMING EVENTS

BANQUET

To wrap up the 2020-2021 school year, Orchesis will be holding its annual banquet on June 1st through Zoom during the Finals class period. Thank you for your continuous support through these times!

