

# Mariah Wilson

## YOUNG HOLLYWOOD BIG-SCREEN 2-WAYS MAKES WAY FOR "MAGIC"

Mariah Wilson launches singing career with the release of her new hit sing "MY BABY" on iTunes. Mariah is a triple-threat, actress, singer and dancer that had brought tears to movie goers who watched her performance as "Magic" in the motion picture movie "DREAMGIRLS." At age 11, she starred in the movie as the daughter of Oscar and Grammy winners Jennifer Hudson and Jamie Foxx. Mariah was so excited to work alongside of Hollywood and Broadway's award-winning actors; Danny Glover, Eddie Murphy, Beyonce Knowles and Anika Noni Rose. Mariah said both her idols, Beyonce and Jennifer gave props to her performance on the set. "I watched these ladies in awe...they really put their hearts and soul into the project." It made me want to be the best actress, singer and dancer I could possible be."

Today, this talent teen actress is moving audiences with more than just her on-screen performances, she is moving audience with her original music and live on-stage singing performances. Mariah, who is now 16-years-old performs has a featured National Anthem Singer for the Los Angeles Angels Baseball, LAKidsMarathon and the WNBA "Sparks." She has also been seen throughout Los Angeles performing for various events and at landmark venues; such as the Los Angeles and Oakland Convention Centers for the College Expo and Black Business Expo before thousands of spectators. She has showcased her talent at the famed Hollywood Knitting Factory, Crazy Horse in West Covina and Eco Station in Culver City. Mariah is a natural on-stage, performing since she was 2-years-old in dance recitals and 4-years-old in childrens musical theatre at Desert Stages in Scottsdale, Arizona.

"MY BABY," which plays on radio in a few selected markets was co-written and produced by Fingazz from Street Light Music. Mariah is working with music producers, S7evon Daze who wrote her other R&B/Pop singles "Turn it Up," "Girlfriend," "Shawty Got Moves," and "Girls Hang Out." Mariah is co-writer on the majority of her songs on the soon to be release album. S7evon says, "Mariah has a great understanding for sound and a joyable presence which comes through in her music. She has also worked with producer/artist Almad Kennedy from the hot new male group "Meant2b" on part of her upcoming album. He and his team of writer from Boxbeatz wrote her single Myspace." "Meltdown," and her very first original recording "Come On," which can be sampled on Mariah's myspace page: [www.myspace.com/mariahwilson](http://www.myspace.com/mariahwilson).

In addition to managing her professional music and acting career with guest-starring roles in TV shows like ABC's Family "Lincoln Heights," CBS Television "NCIS" and national commercials such as KMART and Joanne etc., Mariah also hosted a kids radio show, "Making Magic" on KWAV Radio.Biz. To her credit, Mariah attends high school and is on their competitive dance team. She will be launching her 2011 High School performance Tour to promote her new single - "MY BABY" which she will perform with the schools High School Dance/Cheer teams at their pep rallies. She continues to wow audiences with her championship dance moves and iconic R&B/Hip-Hop/Pop sound. She will release another single "Turn it Up" before the end of the year. For bookings, please email: [info@go2mediaimages.com](mailto:info@go2mediaimages.com) or call 310-967-2028

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# TEEN FILMMAKER & ACTRESS... ON THE BEAT

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This teen dual is making their way in hollywood, and around hollywood as they launch a new entertainment magazine news show "TEENS AROUND TOWN" (TAT) w/Ben & Mariah. This magazine formatted show hosted by two of Hollywood's up and coming stars will take young audiences around town; running into their favorite teen stars at various events, entertainment spots and anywhere teen hangout in tinsel-town.

Film director and producer, Ben Lee Foster is a film student at Columbia College Hollywood and Actress, Mariah best known for her role in the blockbuster movie "DREAMGIRLS, will also star in the new Disney Movie "Geek Charming." coming out later this year. Both teens are embarking upon a career in music, as new recording artist promoting hit songs and performing throughout Southern and northern California. They will be taking their act on the road this summer performing at various events and amusement parks.

The dual collaborated on a few songs that can be heard in the opening of their show, the single "Tinsel Town" for their web-based teen entertainment show. They are also collaborating on producing a teen drama series that they hope will make an impact on teen making good choices in life. Something both of them have had to do when encountering peer pressure and lifes obstacles.

No obstacles keeping these two from bLowng up their talents on and off screen. Ben has his first full feature film "Peep Game" and book "How I Made My"Movie with Zero dollars and . 50¢" soon to be released. Both mediums are encouraging teens to persue their dreams. Mariah has an album also soon to be released. Her first single "MY BABY" is now available on iTUNES. Follow them on: Myspace•Facebook•Youtube at Benbez, MARIAHWILSONMUSIC and Twitter: BenLeeFoster and imariahwilson.

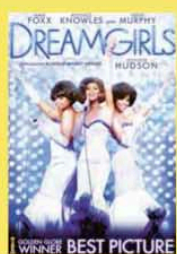
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# Dreamgirls' Magic Makes Her Mark

By **NICOLE BUTLER**



began with dance recitals. By age four, she was in a children's musical at Desert Stages Theatre in Scottsdale, Arizona. At age 11, she landed her role in "Dreamgirls."

Today, this young actress is moving audiences with more than just her on-screen talent. She

is inspiring her fans with original music and live singing performances. Wilson has been selected as the national-anthem singer for Los Angeles Angels Baseball, the L.A. Kids Marathon and the WNBA Sparks.

Wilson has been seen throughout Los Angeles performing for thousands of spectators at various events, such as the College Expo at the Oakland Convention Center and the Black Business Expo at the Los Angeles Convention Center. She has also showcased her talents at the famed Hollywood Knitting Factory, Crazy Horse in West Covina and Eco Station in Culver City.

For the past few years, Wilson has been exploring new opportunities in the entertainment industry. At the age of 16 she is a triple threat: actress, singer and dancer. This spring,



Wilson launched her singing career with the release of her new hit single, "My Baby," which is available on iTunes and has received radio play in a few selected markets, and it was co-written and produced by Fingazz from Street Light Music. Mariah is working with music producer S7evon Daze, who is signed to EMI publishing Group. He wrote Wilson's other R&B/pop singles "Turn it Up," "Girlfriend," "Shawty Got Moves" and "Girls Hang Out." She is the co-writer of the majority of her songs and the soon-to-be-released album. "Mariah has a great understanding for sound and has a pleasurable and uplifting message, which comes through in her music," said Daze.

In addition to her careers in music and acting (which also includes guest-starring roles in TV shows like ABC's Family's "Lincoln Heights," CBS Television's "NCIS" and national commercials for corporations such as Kmart), Wilson also hosts a kids radio show, "Making Magic," on KWAV Radio Biz. In addition, Wilson maintains excellent grades in high school, all while working on a new webisode, "Teens Around Town."

Wilson will release another single, "Turn it Up," by the end of the year, and she'll continue to wow audiences with her championship dance moves, iconic R&B/hip-hop/pop sound and flavorful on-stage and on-screen performances. To learn more about Mariah Wilson, check her out on Myspace at [www.myspace.com/mariahiwilson](http://www.myspace.com/mariahiwilson).

BiH member Nicole Butler is the founder of A&B Productions, a non-profit organization that recently produced a new kids reality web series called "Flip the Script," where youth learn the ins and outs of creating, directing and producing their own television show.

Teen actress Mariah Wilson starred as Magic in the \$154 million worldwide box office film, "Dreamgirls." Wilson brought tears to moviegoers' eyes as they watched her riveting performance as the daughter of Curtis Taylor, Jr. (played by Jamie Foxx) and Effie White (played by Oscar-winner Jennifer Hudson.) "I was thrilled to work alongside award-winning actors from both Hollywood and Broadway—Danny Glover, Eddie Murphy, Beyoncé Knowles and Anika Noni Rose," exclaims Wilson.

As a natural on the stage, Wilson knows how to dazzle her audience and leave them with an everlasting impression. She has been performing since the age of two. Her early years

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**"DREAMGIRLS"**

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# Magic & SunShyne

"Brains, Beauty and Brilliance"

## Mixing it Up" Hip-Hop Style!

The collaboration between this hip-hop/pop duo is "car-stoppin and star-struddin." **Mariah Wilson** (15) aka "Magic from the movie DREAMGIRLS has teamed up with **Lil Mizz Sunshyne** (16) who's rap voice is a ringer for TLC's "Left Eye."

These two girls, who left their boyfriends at home, are hanging out, rockin the beat with their new hot single... "**Girls Hang Out.**" This number has the right mix for mega musical success. It's catchy, timeless with a poppin beat. It will be a girls fan-favorite.

Mariah who co-wrote the song with producer S7evon Daze, knew exactly who to call for the rap version of the song. "She's gifted with poetic lyrics and a great sound," said Mariah. Sunshyne who is also known as Steviana Taylor put a spin on the song that is guaranteed to get you pumped.

**SunShyne**

These young independent female artists have a bright future ahead of them as entertainers; Mariah as a triple-threat; actress, singer and dancer now R&B/hip-hop, performer. Sunshyne the next up and coming female rapper are just a few hits from closing a deal. Record labels take note!

The two talented teens have many scheduled performances throughout 2010, starting with the Los Angeles & Oakland College Expo, Black Business Expo, and the School Tours throughout Southern Cali.

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# Action Young Hollywood Is Ready For Their Close-up

Reporting by Aishah Alassan

## MARIAH WILSON

### The Breakout Sister

### Why Does She Deserve A Close-Up?

It's been more than a year since movie screens all over the country lit up with the most black star power moviegoers have seen in a long time in the blockbuster film *Dreamgirls*. But even though the film has left theatres, Mariah Wilson, who played Magic, the daughter of Effie (Jennifer Hudson) and Curtis Taylor, Jr. (Jamie Foxx), is still floating on cloud nine. It's not everyday that a small-town 12-year-old girl gets to exclaim, "I made history," and actually mean it. But that's just what Mariah did when she nabbed the bite-size part from the grasps of other young hopefuls, who tried out for the coveted role. The young screen siren was the first actress in the long history of the *Dreamgirls* franchise to play the newly fashioned character. Besides landing her in a premier spot on the red carpet—alongside Jennifer Hudson at the NAACP image awards—the role also helped secure Mariah's current gig as the host of an internet-based radio show on KWAV.biz.

Raised on a little spec of Arizona known as Scottsdale, Mariah Wilson strapped on her acting shoes even before she could utter a complete sentence. At the age of two, she enrolled in Plumb Dance School, where she began grooming for a career in entertainment. Taking up acting, singing and dancing at the school, Mariah soon began acting at Desert Stages Theatre under the guidance and direction of the late Gerry Cullity and his wife Laurie. After picking up lead roles in stage adaptations for just about every play ever made (*Cinderella*, *Annie*, *Wizard of Oz*, *Grease*), the budding star eventually decided to walk it out and join the Arizona Angels performance dance team, showcasing her choreographed steps at sporting and community events throughout her hometown. In 2003, Mariah made the big move to Hollywood. There she shifted gears concentrating on her acting efforts and soon nabbed roles in the feature films *Kicking and Screaming*, *Christmas with the Krantz* and *Be Cool* with music artists Christina Milian and Andre3000.

Apparently, the musical dust rubbed off on Mariah and helped land her most career-defining role to date, as a *Dreamgirls* mini-dreamette. Judging from the outpouring of admiration she received from the role, it's a safe bet this won't be the last time we see the breakout starlet. ★

### Star Power

★★★★

While Jennifer Hudson is placing the finishing touches on her album, her on-screen daughter is coming into her own musical calling. Mariah has belted out her sassy vocals at sporting events, restaurants and small concerts with the Sabado School of Music. Now, the future Golden Globe winner is sharpening her chords and acting chops, studying under a team of industry professionals.

### Ratings

- ★★★★ The A-List (4 stars)
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- ★★ Emmy Worthy (2 stars)
- ★ Hollywood (1 star)





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## Actress and recording artist performs with Etiwanda's Dance Team at recent event to promote her new single

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Actress and recording artist Mariah Iman Wilson stopped by at Etiwanda High School recently to promote her new single, "My Baby," during her "Pep Rally Tour."

Mariah performed in partnership with the Etiwanda Eagles Championship Dance Team in Arabian-styled garb to celebrate the school's upcoming prom. Etiwanda's group is preparing to participate in the national competition in Las Vegas.

Mariah is best known for her role as Magic, the daughter of the Jennifer Hudson and Jamie Foxx characters in the movie "Dreamgirls."



Mariah Iman Wilson (center) performs with the Etiwanda Dance Team.

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**CELEBRITY TEEN PERFORMS WITH  
THE PERRIS HIGH SCHOOL DANCE TEAMS**

*"Mariah Iman Wilson (DREAMGIRLS) brings a little Hollywood  
Magic to the Inland Empire"*



A new iTunes Pop/Hip-Hop song release by Hollywood's newest Recording Artist **MARIAH IMAN WILSON** pep up high school auditoriums throughout Southern California. The 4<sup>th</sup> leg of her **2011 "My Baby" Pep Rally Tour** jumped off this past week in the **Inland Empire**...a glitzy and glamour partnership with **Perris High School** dance teams performing her newly release single **"MY BABY"** currently on iTunes

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and cheer teams performances, which is targeted for radio airways this year. Mariah has another single and music video **"Turn it Up"** soon to be released.

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Hollywood. Today, Mariah joined PHS dance squad bringing a high spirited performance and photo ops to some young fans.



For more information about booking this teen performer at your school or become a fan, follow her on **Myspace**, **Facebook** and **Youtube** at **MARIAHWILSONMUSIC** and on **Twitter** at **iMARIAHWILSON**.  
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Cub Scout Pack 457, front from left, Patrick Bartolotti, Adrian Rivas, Christopher Kelsall, Matthew Avila, Brandon Correa, with leaders, back, Darryl Bartolotti and Maria Rivas and councilman Walt Allen.



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with family and friends at the Grand senior living West Covington attended.

A full album is set to be released later this year.



Covina High School cheerleaders perform with teen actress and singer-songwriter Mariah Wilson during the school's Winter Sports Rally on Jan. 14. The special performance is part of Wilson's "My Baby" Pep Rally Tour.

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## Diamond Bar teen celebrity releases song on ITUNES

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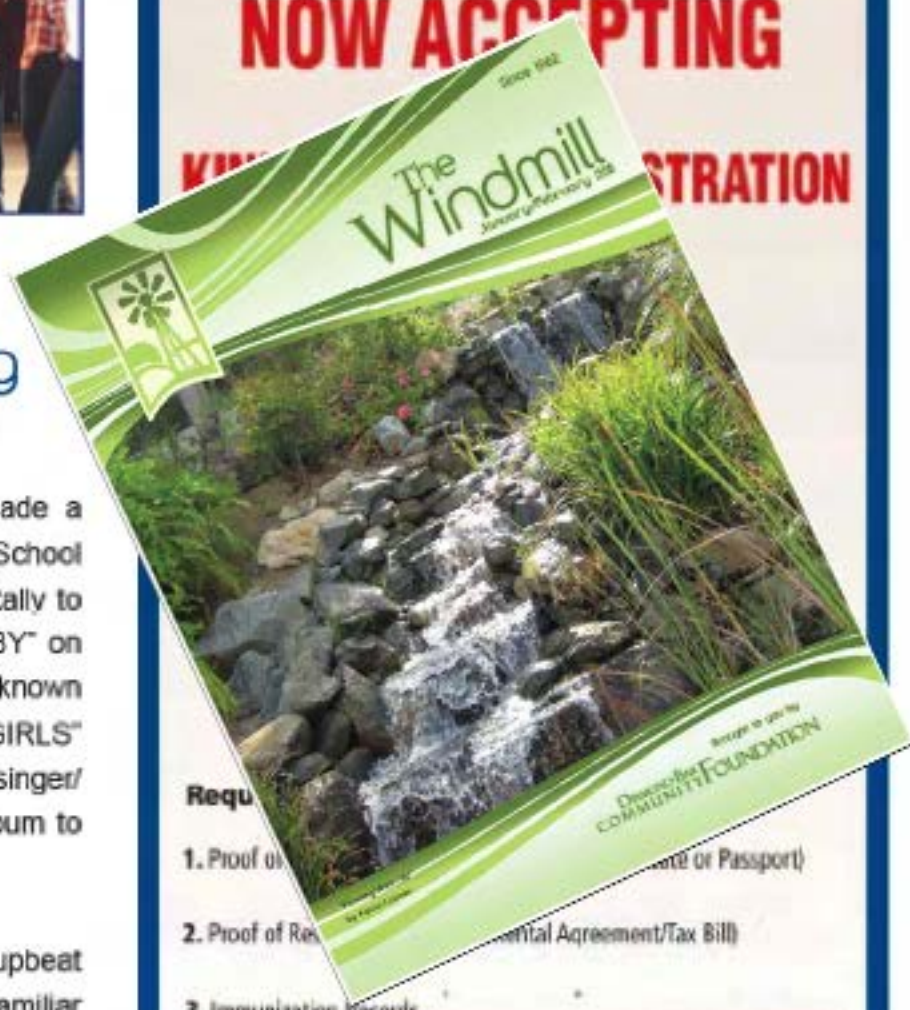
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## DB Performer Takes on Role of Dorothy in Musical 'The Wiz'

The Diamond Bar performer Mariah Wilson will be taking on the lead role of Dorothy in a production of the musical 'The Wiz' at the Whittier Center Theater Friday and Saturday night.

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Diamond Bar resident and multi-talented entertainer Mariah Wilson will be taking a break from her pep rally tour to take the lead as Dorothy in a performance of the musical "The Wiz" in Whittier Friday and Saturday.

Wilson's pep tour brought her to [Diamond Bar High School](#) for a performance of her new single "My Baby," but Wilson will now be turning back the clock to take the role of Dorothy in The Wiz, a role played by Diana Ross in a feature film based on the Broadway musical.

"It was very important to me to be apart of this production because this Broadway Musical represents the African-American Culture and our contributions to the Arts," Wilson said.

Wilson said the performers in the film — Lena Horne, Michael Jackson, and Richard Pryor — are some of her inspirations.

"I hope to make them proud," Wilson said.

Wilson also performed recently at [Lorbeer Middle School](#) as part of her Pep Rally Tour.

The performance of The Wiz will start on Friday

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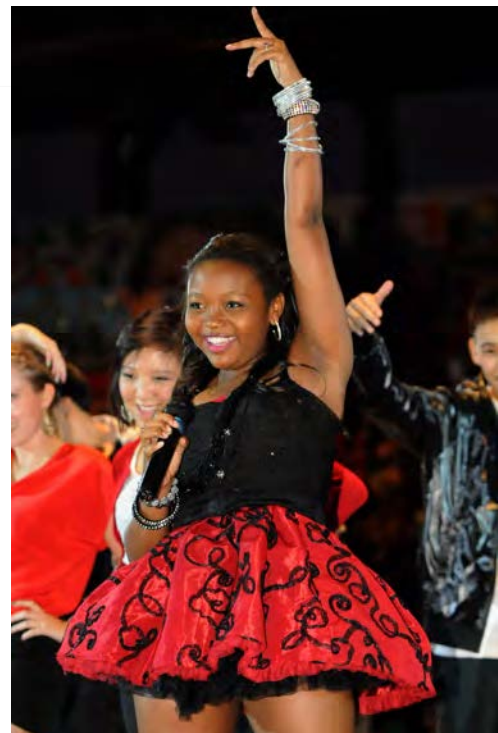


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RELEASES HOT NEW SINGLE "MY BABY" ON ITUNES**

Los Angeles, CA (November 3, 2010) teen celebrity, 16-year-old **MARIAH IMAN WILSON** releases her hot new single, "**MY BABY**," now on **iTunes**. **MARIAH** who is an actress, best known for her role as "Magic" in the blockbuster award-winning movie "**DREAMGIRLS**," has now added another title to your credit as singer/songwriter. Her song "**MY BABY**" is a high energy, upbeat single with awesome beats and lyrics; strangely familiar sound to the popular 80's popstar **Toni Basil** hit song "**Hey Mickey**." This cut, produced by Fingazz from Streetlight Music has dance appeal and is a favorite for performance, club dancing and party music.

As part of her promotional tour, she is partnering with **High School Cheer/Dance Teams** performing with them at their Pep Rally to her newly release single "**MY BABY**," <http://itunes.apple.com/us/artist/mariah-iman-wilson/id404260992> and soon to be released single "**Turn it Up**," inspired by her brothers years of participation in youth sports. Mariah who is also known for appearing on several commercials, feature film and TV shows like **ABC's Lincoln Heights** and **CBS's NCSI**, has been working her music for the past three years writing and performing throughout the western region. She is a featured National Anthem singer for the **Los Angeles Angels Baseball games**, **WNBA "Sparks"** and **LA Kids Marathon**. She has toured with the **College Expo** and is gearing up to launch her **2011 High School Tours**, where she will perform with cheer/dance teams during their pep rallies.



She continues to act, sing and dance her way as a triple-threat artist in Hollywood. For more information about this teen performer, become a fan and follow her on:

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## Everybody dance now!



**DREAMY**—Actress and recording artist Mariah Wilson, center, who starred in the film "Dreamgirls," performs with the Moorpark High School dance team during the school's Renaissance Rally on Nov. 19. The pep rally showcased performances by Moorpark's fall sports programs and also served as a lead-in to the Musketeers' CIF playoff football game against Mira Costa.

## Social Security column

### Wrap up retirement application before gifts

By Essie L. Landry  
Special to the Acorn

The holiday season is, for many people, the busiest time of year with gift lists and to-do lists, feast planning and party preparation. Like the gift lists, the busy schedule can often get out of hand.

If you're planning on retiring sometime early in the new year, you should wrap up your retirement application now before wrapping any holiday gifts. It's easy and can take as little as 15 minutes. Just go to [www.socialsecurity.gov/applyonline](http://www.socialsecurity.gov/applyonline).

The website makes the retirement application process quick, easy and secure. In most cases, once your application is submitted electronically you're done. There are no forms to sign and no documentation is required. Social Security will process your application and contact you if any further information is needed.

Before you start your application, you may want to spend a few minutes to get an estimate of your retirement benefit at [www.socialsecurity.gov/estimator](http://www.socialsecurity.gov/estimator). The retirement estimator uses your personal employment history to estimate your retirement benefit.

Then jump right to the retirement application. You can use the online application to apply for Social Security retirement or spouse's benefits if you are at least 61 years and 9 months old,

want to start your benefits in the next four months and live in the U.S.

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You also should know the dates and places of marriage and dates of divorce or death, if appropriate.

Even if you don't have all the necessary information at your fingertips, you should go ahead and apply now. Applying online means there is no need to go to a Social Security office or wait for a scheduled appointment with a Social Security representative.

Besides, retiring online is easy. You can apply in as little as 15 minutes. That translates to more time for holiday shopping and activities. So beat the holiday rush

and wrap up your retirement application today.

Landry is a Social Security public affairs specialist in West Los Angeles.

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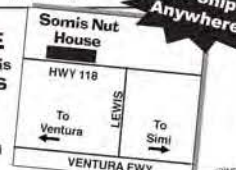
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The event will have silent and live auctions and special seating for both of the musical acts.

Ticket packages range from \$30 to \$1,000. A new option this year is a reserved-seating President's Circle ticket special for \$50. The price is only open through Dec 31.

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## TEEN CELEBRITY 2 PERFORM AT MOORPARK HIGH SCHOOL

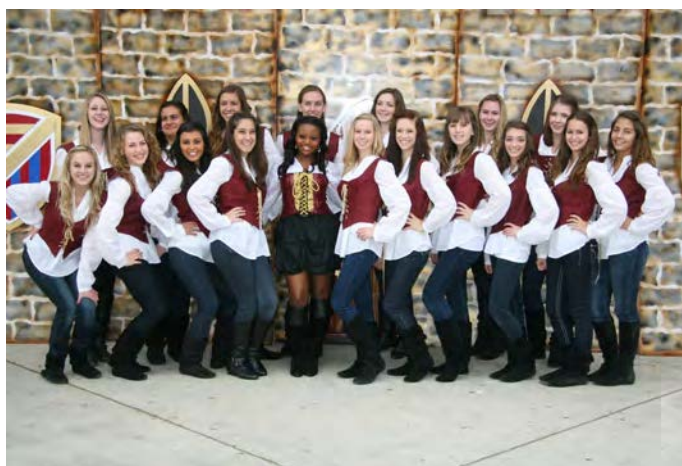


November 19, 2010 (Moorepark, CA) 16-year old Actress and Recording Artist, MARIAH WILSON who starred in the award-winning movie **DREAMGIRLS** as "Magic" the daughter of Oscar/Grammy Winners **Jennifer Hudson** and **Jamie Foxx** performed at **MOOREPARK HIGH SCHOOL Renaissance Rally** today with their

dance team seniors. The Pep rally showcased their Athletic program accomplishments to-date as well as rallied for their CIF playoff game scheduled tonight.

Mariah who performed with the dance team for the grand finale is noted for being on **NCSI** and was a recurring guest star on **ABC's Family "Lincoln Heights."** She is currently recording music for an upcoming album release and promoting her new single **"MY BABY."** Mariah has sang the National Anthem for the **Los Angeles Angels Baseball** games for the past two seasons, the **LAKidsMarathon** and this past season for the **WNBA-LA Sparks** playoff game for which she also performed her singles.

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This talented celebrity teen joined the **Moorepark High School Dance Team** center court before the Renaissance King to perform her hot new single **"MY BABY"** soon to be

release nationwide on radio. The dance team had been preparing for her arrival for a week learning the choreography that will appear in her upcoming music video. The Routine prepared by Professional Dancer, Anthony Lewis and taught by Moorepark's own student Elizabeth Sutton. For more information about this teen performer, become a fan and follow her on **Myspace, Facebook** and **Youtube** at **MARIAHWILSONMUSIC** and on **Twitter** at **iMARIAHWILSON**.

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## **“Magic” Finally Becomes A Dreamgirl”**

**Mariah Wilson starts her singing career**

**Mariah Wilson** is a triple-threat that has already brought tears to the eyes of many movie goers who witnessed her performance, as **“Magic”** in the motion picture movie **Dreamgirls!** Christmas 2006, we saw **Mariah** close the award-winning blockbuster with an emotionally moving performance that had national and international audiences wiping tear drops from their cheeks as she weeps in joy for her mother, “Effie” played by the Oscar awarding winning actress, **Jennifer Hudson**. **Mariah** who was so excited to work alongside of Hollywood and Broadway’s award winning actors, **Jamie Foxx, Danny Glover, Eddie Murphy, Beyonce Knowles, Jennifer Hudson and Anika Noni Rose**. **Mariah** said that both of her idols **Beyonce** and **Jennifer Hudson** gave props to her performance on the set. She explained, “they told me that I brought tears to their eyes watched me film the final scene.”

And a few months ago, **Mariah** shared the spotlight at the Samuel Goldwyn Theatre with Oscar and Grammy Winner **Jennifer Hudson**, Executive Producer, **Laurence Mark**, Director **Bill Condon** and other department heads from the film at the **Academy of Motion Pictures Arts & Sciences Presents: Great to Be Nominated Series - A Screening of Dreamgirls**. “My experience of working on “Dreamgirls” musical with one of the best Director, Producer and cast members like J-Hud has inspired me to be more and do more vocally,” says Mariah who will soon take the spotlight singing the national anthem at the **Los Angeles Angels** baseball game this coming April. She has also been chosen to receive the 2009 CARE award this month.

Today, this teen actress is moving more than just ones emotions on-screen; she is moving audiences with her on-stage musical performances. **Mariah**, who is 14-years-old, is also scheduled to perform for the Diamond Bar Birthday Party in April 2009, and in Pasadena for the **Jackie Robinson All-Star Weekend** in May 2009. Most recently she participated in the Pasadena Black History Parade. She has also been seen throughout Los Angeles performing for various community events; most recently at the **Los Angeles Convention Center for the 2009 College Expo** before a crowd of thousands, the Knitting Factory in Hollywood, Crazy Horse in West Covina and Eco Star Station in Culver City. **Mariah** is a natural on stage; performing since she was 2-year-old in dance recitals and 4-years-old in children musical theatre at **Desert Stages Theatre** in Scottsdale, Arizona.

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**Mariah** is working with stellar **music producer S7evon Daze**, who wrote hit R&B/Pop singles "Girlfriends," "Shawty Got Moves" and "14 & Fabulous." **Mariah** is co-writing a majority of her upcoming album songs. **S7evon**, says "**Mariah** has a great presence about her and it come through in her music with enormous talent at age 14...whoo!" **Mariah** also worked with **Almad Kennedy** from the hot new male group "Meant2b." He and his team of writers from Boxbeatz wrote *her single* "**MySpace, OMG to the LOL**", which can be heard on **Mariah's MySpace page**:

<http://www.myspace.com/mariahiwilson>

In addition to managing her professional music and acting career with guest-starring recurring roles in such TV shows as **Lincoln Heights** and television commercials such as Kmart, **Mariah** also host a kids radio show "**Making Magic**" on **KWAV Radio.biz** twice a week. **Mariah**, being part of Hollywood, has more cache with certain more established older stars and can interview them on red carpet or on the phone. It is important to **Mariah** that she shares her lifestyle with fans, so they too can be inspired by her interviews with stars and events. To her credit, **Mariah** attends middle school and she lead her dance team to finish 5<sup>th</sup> place at the **2008 National Pop Warner Dance Championship** and *top 10* in the national for the **2007 Cheer Championships**. She maintains a **3.67 GPA** and is participating in her school ASB - Associated Student Body.

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Mariah Wilson performs in Hollywood at the Knitting Factory.



Oscar winner, Jennifer Hudson, actress/singer, Mariah Wilson, Executive Producer, Laurence Mark and Award winning Director Bill Condon at the Academy's special screening of "Dreamgirls."



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## HOLLYWOOD TEEN CELEBRITY PROMOS OAKLAND COLLEGE EXPO

"DREAMGIRLS MOVIE CO-STAR, **MARIAH WILSON**  
ENTERTAINS PROSPECTIVE COLLEGE STUDENTS"



OAKLAND, CA - January 30, 2009 - The College Expo was not short of College opportunities or entertainment. This years entertainment featured the hottest new teen sensation MARIAH WILSON, who played "Magic" in the award-winning movie DREAMGIRLS; the daughter of Jennifer Hudson and Jamie Foxx. Mariah who is a few years shy of attending college herself, showcased her single "GIRLS HANG OUT," featuring rapper Lil Mizz Sunshyne. She has an album to be release spring 2010, and a new single "MY BABY" currently on radio in selected markets.



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Mariah Wilson and College  
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**“DREAMGIRLS”** "Magic," 14-year-old actress/singer/dancer **Mariah Iman Wilson** sets out to fulfill her musical Dreamgirl Image as a young recording artist performing at the **Universal Music Group Showcase**, Saturday, July 25, 2009 at the Aqua Lounge in Beverly Hills, CA

Mariah received big accolades when selected by Universal Music Group's *Record Executive*, **Kevin Morgan** and other associates to return for an encore performance. She was the youngest of 19 performers selected to finish the show. Hence, most of the performers were 18 and older.

She performed three of her favorite singles: **“Shawty Got Moves,” “Girlfriends”** and **“Myspace.”** On stage alongside of Mariah was her two dancers Darrell and De’Vonte Robinson. The event was put on by King Ryan Events and sponsored by DropYourTalent.com. You can check out Mariah on her Myspace at [www.myspace.com/mariahiwilson](http://www.myspace.com/mariahiwilson).





## Diamond Bar girl's dream on record

By Maritza Velazquez, Staff Writer

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Mariah Wilson has dreams of becoming a star.

With idols like Beyonce and Jennifer Hudson, this young entertainer is driven to make it big in acting, singing and dancing.

"I love the way she's so active and into her music," the 14-year-old said of Beyonce. "I also look up to Jennifer Hudson. When I act, I want to blow up like she did. She's this great, amazing star right now and I want my career to blow up and keep going."

And she's more than willing to put in the work for it.

Mariah's days are spent auditioning for acting gigs, recording music and competing on her dance team.

After more than six months of songwriting and recording, the Diamond Bar resident has nearly completed her first demo album titled "13Teen."

An independent artist, Mariah performed in a showcase on Saturday, May 2, in hopes of being signed to a record label.

With the help of producers S7evon Daze and Almah Kennedy of Boxbeat, the teen co-wrote seven songs on the kid-oriented pop and R&B album. She said the songs take cues from her own life experiences.

"She's a pleasure to work with. I think she'll be someone that people will know very soon and for a while," said producer S7evon Daze, who worked with Mariah on four of the seven songs. "14 and Fabulous" is a song about Mariah's 14th birthday. "It's a song about me turning 14, and I'm all excited because now I can go here and do this, and party with my friends," the enthusiastic teen said.

But singing comes second on her priority list. Mariah has been in theater since she was 4 years old. Even at that age, she had her sights set high— she said she swore she'd be chosen for the lead role of one of her first productions — the role of Sandy in "Grease" being staged by a children's theater company.

"What we noticed, both me and my husband, was that she had a great stage presence and such a great demeanor on stage. She was always singing and dancing her little heart out," said Mariah's mother, Lorna Tate.

Mariah did not get the lead role in "Grease," but as she grew up, so did her opportunities.

In 2006, she was cast in the movie "Dreamgirls," which starred Jamie Foxx, Danny Glover, Beyonce Knowles, Eddie Murphy and Jennifer Hudson.

Mariah played Magic, the daughter of Hudson's character, Effie. "Pretty much all my scenes were with her," Mariah said of Jennifer Hudson. "It was cool playing off of her and learning from these great actors."

While show business is a central element in her life, the eighth-grader still juggles school, homework, and hanging out with her friends.

"She has a normal life with her friends and she has a good time with them," said Tate. "She goes to her brother's baseball games and we make time to go see movies. And then she has the entertainment part of her life."

Mariah and Tate have a close-knit relationship, with Mariah affectionately referring to her mother as "momager." "We feel that we have a real tight connection and we're really really close," Mariah said as she looked at her mom across the table during a recent interview. "We feel like until we really need a manager, she can be manager. She's done wonderful so far. She's wonderful and she's great to me."

When asked if she's ever had reservations about her daughter getting into show business, Tate said, "No, and partly because I'm closely involved in the business. Mariah is a very level-headed young lady, and she just has things in perspective and I'm just extremely proud of her."

On top of "Dreamgirls," Mariah has also appeared in the ABC Family sitcom "Lincoln Heights" and in commercials for K-Mart and Joann's Fabrics.

Most recently, she was chosen to sing the national anthem at the Los Angeles Angels game on April 22. "That was probably the biggest crowd I have ever performed in front of. The stands were completely full. It was exciting," Mariah said enthusiastically. Next month, she will get another chance to belt out the national anthem for the Los Angeles Marathon.

For more information, about Mariah, visit her Web site at [www.myspace.com/mariahwilson](http://www.myspace.com/mariahwilson).

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# A LITTLE TASTE OF HOLLYWOOD CELEBRATES DIAMOND BAR 18TH B-DAY.

## OSCAR WINNING MOVIE "DREAMGIRLS" CO-STAR, MARIAH WILSON PERFORMS

Twelve-year-old actress Mariah Wilson, who plays "Magic," a premiere role in the Oscar Winning Movie "DREAMGIRLS," sings at the City of Diamond Bar's 18th Birthday Party on April 22nd. Mariah played the



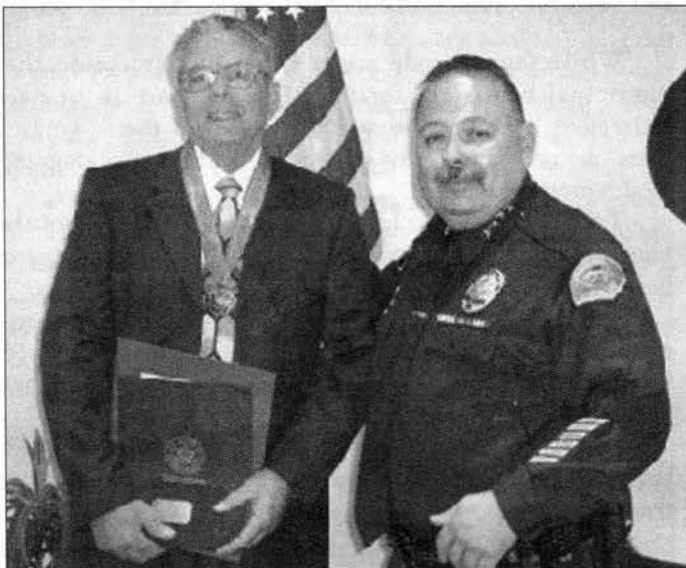
daughter of "DREAMGIRLS" Oscar Winning for "Best Supporting Actress," Jennifer Hudson and Oscar Winner Jamie Foxx in this major 2006 blockbuster movie that will be available on DVD May 1, 2007. The movie also features Beyonce, Eddie Murphy and Danny Glover.

"It was an amazing experience for me to work with

some of Hollywood's greatest entertainers, like Beyonce and Eddie Murphy," said Mariah. In February, Mayor, Steve Tye presented Mariah with the City of Diamond Bar "Commendations" for her outstanding achievement and participation in the Movie "DREAMGIRLS." Mariah, who most recently appeared on the "Tyra Banks" Show and the 38th NAACP Images Awards with Jennifer Hudson, is well on her way to becoming a Hollywood triple threat as an actress, singer and dancer.

Mariah is originally from Scottsdale, Arizona, and has been in California for over 3-years making her mark in the entertainment industry. Before moving to Diamond Bar, she began acting at age 4 at "Desert Stages Theatre" in Scottsdale where she blossomed as an actress with several leading roles, most notable "Cindy Lou Who" in the "Grinch." She most recently returned to Arizona as the Keynote Speaker and Performer for the DST 2nd Annual Fundraising Auction. She also performed "Over the Rainbow" for Arizona's KPNX-TV Channel 12 (NBC) midday program in lieu of the event.

# People in the News



John Howard Bowler, Jr. and Pomona Police Department Chief Joseph Romero

John H. Bowler, Jr. of Diamond Bar who retired after 36 years with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, was hired by Pomona Police Department as an Investigator. John gives of his time constantly over, above and beyond the call of duty. He has worked in Missing Persons, Sex Offenders, even traveling to collect D & A from relatives of missing persons.

John was recently honored by the Pomona PD and was given the VIP of The Year Award at a luncheon. At a luncheon ceremony hosted by PPD and the Pomona Chamber of Commerce, John was honored and given the Pomona Police Commendation Medal! He also received Certificates of Recognition from Pomona's congressman, state senator and assembly woman.

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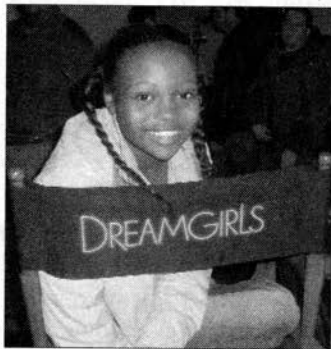
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## "DREAMGIRLS" LITTLE STAR PREFORMS IN LOCAL CONCERT

By Lorna Tate Wilson

Eleven-year-old actress MARIAH WILSON, who plays "Magic," in the much anticipated blockbuster film production of "DREAMGIRLS," performed at the Diamond Bar Community Center on Tuesday, September 19, 2006. She also kicked off the cheer competition with a soulful rendition of the national anthem at the Mt. Baldy Pop Warner Conference event in San Bernadino.



In addition to her performance and her upcoming big screen debut in "Dreamgirls," MARIAH WILSON was most recently featured in a KMART's "Back to School" national advertising campaign, appearing in the widely aired television commercial.

"Dreamgirls" open across the country in late December, and Hollywood is abuzz about MARIAH WILSON's performance. MARIAH WILSON plays "Magic," the daughter of "Effie," played by "American Idol" finalist Jennifer Hudson, whose character steals the show in the Tony Award-Winning Broadway musical, which the film is based.

Since the age of two, MARIAH WILSON has wooed young and old audiences alike in her portrayal of a diverse range of characters. For her "Dreamgirls" role, she shares the screen with Oscar Winner Jamie Foxx, Grammy Winner Beyonce Knowles, Tony Winner Anika Rose, and box office favorites Eddie Murphy and Danny Glover.

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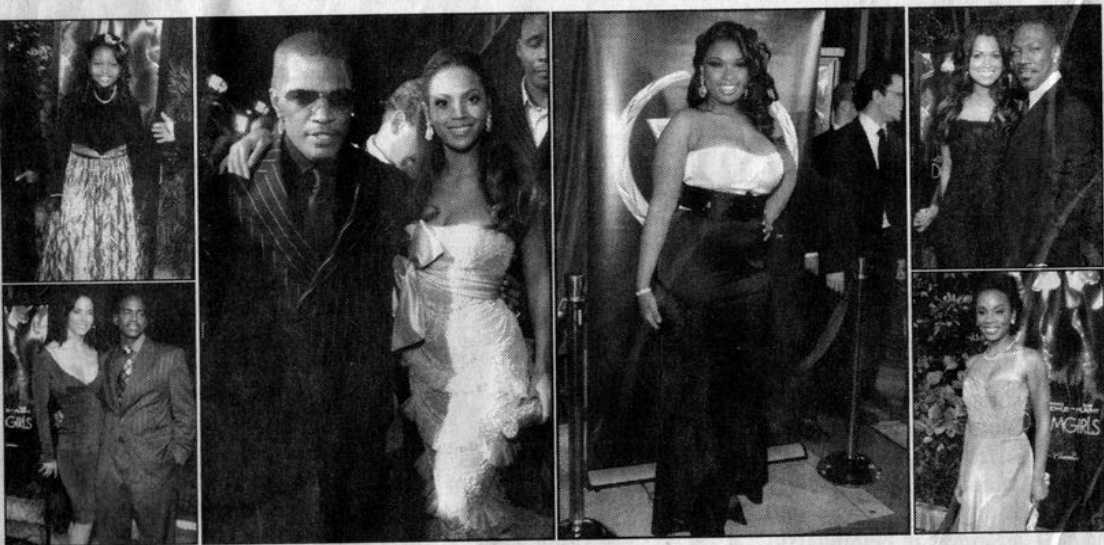
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## Dreaming on the red carpet

**B**eyoncé Knowles and Jamie Foxx (center left) and Jennifer Hudson (right) were among the bounteous crop of Hollywood A-listers who sent the flashbulbs a-poppin' at Wilshire Theatre this month for the Los Angeles premiere of "Dreamgirls." Also on the red carpet, clockwise from

top right: The trio's co-star in the Oscar-favored film, **Eddie Murphy**, sent tongues wagging by showing up with his new girlfriend — **Tracey Edmonds**, who made gossip headlines a year ago when she split with producer/musician Babyface after 13 years of marriage; Broadway star **Anika Noni Rose**, who stars

in "Dreamgirls" as the wide-eyed innocent singer Lorrell; film co-star **Keith Robinson**, accompanied by a date; and 11-year-old **Mariah I. Wilson**, who appears in the movie as Magic, the young daughter of Hudson's tragic-turned-triumphant character, Effie White.

By Kyle Lawson  
The Arizona Republic

## BOX SEAT

A number of readers have inquired about the comedy *If You Ever Leave Me, I'm Going With You*, which Theater League producer **Mark Edelman** brings to the Orpheum Theatre in February.

Will it co-star **Renee Taylor** and **Joe Bologna**, the married team that wrote the funny tale of three tumultuous decades in the life of a show-biz couple?

Mark says yes. He's booked Renee (probably best known as Sylvia Fine, **Fran Drescher's** mom in *The Nanny*) and Bologna (last seen as **Adam Sandler's** father in *Big Daddy*) to play the leads.

Next question: Just how autobiographical is the piece? Gotta believe the answer is "plenty." The previous comedies penned by Renee and Joe (*It Had to be You*, *Lovers and Other Strangers* and *Bermuda Avenue Triangle*) drew heavily on their professional



Cute times two. *The Grinch* features Mariah Wilson, 6, and Ian Cullity, 17.



Desert Stages Theatre

## BEST BETS



Desert Stages Theatre

Mariah Wilson (front), Emily Gross (left) and Kendall Gaveck are among more than 100 Valley children and young adults appearing in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, presented by Desert Stages Theater through July 2.

## Youthful 'Dreamcoat'

7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays: 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Saturdays

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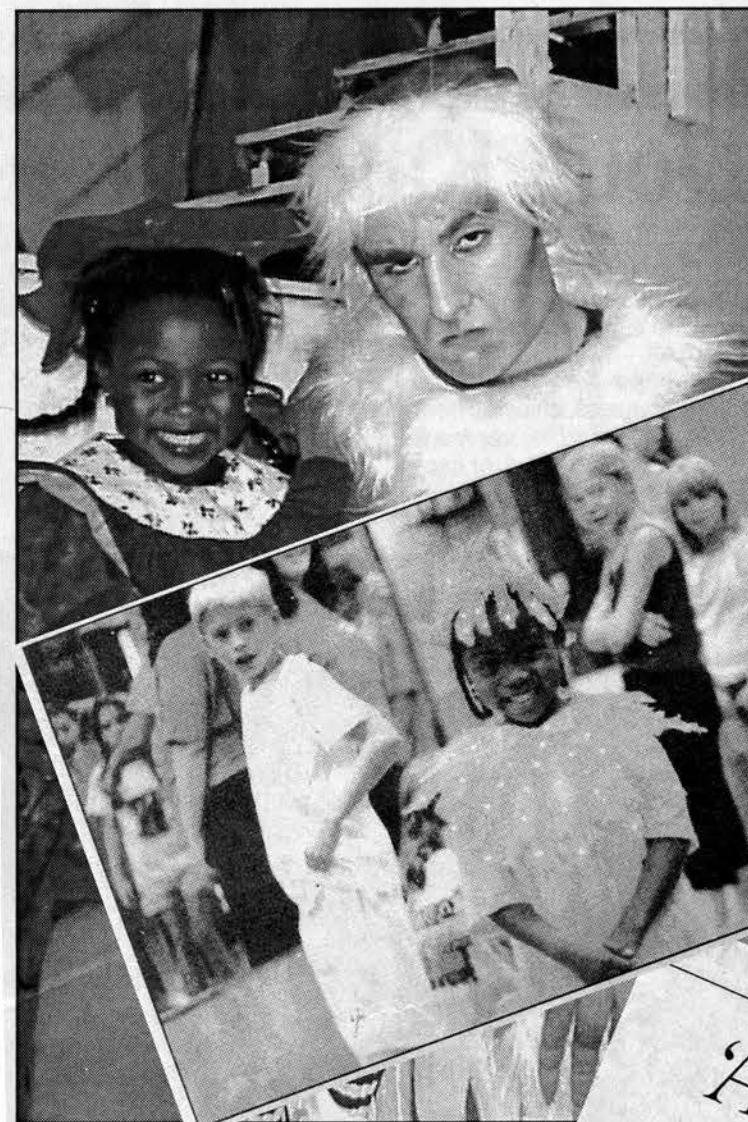
## Spirit of Entre



If this doesn't look like every department store Santa around Dec. 23. Actually, it's Ian Cullity in the lead role of Desert Stages Theatre's *The Grinch*. Cindy Lou Who (Mariah Wilson) tries to bring the rotter some cheer. Good luck, kid.

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## BEST BETS



Mariah Wilson, left, playing Cindy Lou Who, face despite being so close to the Grinch, plays "The Grinch" plays Fridays and Saturdays Saturdays and Sundays at 1 and 3 p.m. at De in Scottsdale.

## 'Annie' gets extended run

By Kyle Lawson  
The Arizona Republic

Wonder why local theaters keep reviving *Annie*? Just ask Ian Cullity. His production of the world's longest-running musical, with 20 hasing

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Miss Hannigan's orphans (from left) Sydney Kaye, Danielle and Mariah Wilson in Desert Stages' *Annie*.

and Paris to such organizations as the Association and the Rod House.

advice do you have for a new business?

rice is so simple. Pinpoint and make sure the field you something you love to do.

# Comedic tale of duo, by duo in star duo

Photo by Janice Yaklich Davis/Independent Newspapers

## 'Best Desert Production'

It's easy to see why Mariah Wilson, 6, was presented with "Best Diva" award at the Desert Stages Production of *The Ugly Duckling*. The play was performed at the end of a three week workshop in which 20 children learned to sing, dance and help put together sets.

Mark says yes. He's booked Renee (probably best known as Sylvia Fine, **Fran Drescher's** mom in *The Nanny*) and Bologna (last seen as **Adam Sandler's** father in *Big Daddy*) to play the leads.

Next question: Just how autobiographical is the piece? Gotta believe the answer is "plenty."

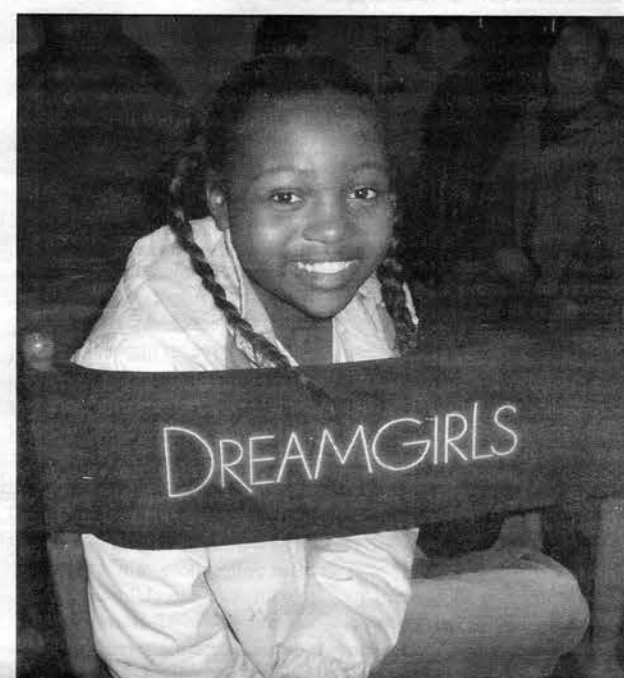
The previous comedies penned by Renee and Joe (*It Had to be You*, *Lovers and Other Strangers* and *Bermuda Avenue Triangle*) drew heavily on their professional



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Cute times two. *The Grinch* features Mariah Wilson, 6, and Ian Cullity, 17.

## BOX SEAT



Mariah Wilson, 11, plays "Magic" in the upcoming film "Dreamgirls". She performed at the Diamond Bar Community Center Tuesday.



Joan Marcus

odnar and William Mistar in *The Scarlet Pimpernel*, which closes today at Gammage Auditorium.