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The Betsye Kay Finch Performing Arts Foundation Awards 4th Annual Scholarship

Janiyah McAllister, a 2023 graduate of Harrison School for the Arts, won the fourth annual Betsye Kay Finch Performing Arts Scholarship on May 23. Janiyah fell in love with musical theatre in middle school, performing in “The Lion King Jr.” Janiyah, 17, of Davenport, FL, received accolades and a scholarship for her performance at the 2022 National High School Musical Theatre Awards at the Minskoff Theatre in NYC, representing the Straz Center in Tampa.

Betsye Kay Finch, the Foundation’s namesake, was a jazz, tap and ballet dancer. Her daughter, TRC supporter Alexis Rocker, launched the BKF Performing Arts Foundation in 2019 to keep alive her mother’s *Joie de vivre*.



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