

## Lia Sieben

Lia was born in China and came to Canada at the age of one. She has lived for 16 years on a farm near the town of Macklin. Lia has many artistic talents but the one she is most passionate about is dance. She joined the local dance studio at the age of six and has been progressing with dance ever since. She excels in ballet, jazz, lyrical, contemporary, tap and hip hop. Lia has taken the exam classes each year and recently completed her Canadian Dance Teacher's Association advanced ballet and jazz, she just needs to complete her tap. Alongside her dance training she works to assist her dance teacher in teaching the younger students. Over the years she has competed in many towns and cities taking her to places like St. Albert, Sherwood Park, Regina and Medicine Hat. Each year she has earned an award and several scholarships that have taken her to dance camps in cities such as Regina, and Calgary where she learned more techniques. Her most recent award was "Be Discovered" that could take her to Hollywood for training and possible performance. Lia would dance all day every day if time would permit. She plans to continue with a dance career once she has completed high school.