Third Runner-Up

Ocoee resident Jordyn Kane releases her first EP at age 15.

Jordyn Kane
Ocoee
finale song: ***Terrified***
(click to view the finale performance)

Jordyn Kane comes from a family of performers.

“Both of my parents are singers, so I always wanted to be like them,” Kane said. “I thought Southwest O

Kane has been recording original songs since she was 12 years old and, at age 15, released her first EP

One of Kane’s favorite artists is Taylor Swift, who is well-known for her award-winning original songs.

“She knows how to put on a show and connect with the audience,” she said. “I love her lyrics because th

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Windermere resident Julia Burgiel makes her public singing debut at the Southwest Orlando Idol compe

Julia Burgiel
Windermere
finale song: ***Warwick Avenue***
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No one in the shoulder-to-shoulder Southwest Orlando Idol audience would ever have guessed that this

“I had an exciting experience, and I wasn’t even nervous,” Burgiel said. “I’ve always enjoyed singing anc

Prior to the competition, Burgiel’s only public performing experience was choral performances. She also

“I wanted to enter Southwest Orlando Idol because I am so interested in music, and I thought it was time

Burgiel is currently taking professional vocal lessons with the hope of becoming a successful singer.

“I want to thank my mom, Brandon and Jason for their support and encouragement,” she said. “I also wa

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