



Lena Owens, Broadway Kids Choreographer

Lena, an Austin native, and a Ballet Austin Academy Alumnus, returns this summer after an illustrious time away cultivating her craft in musical theatre performance. She is a kind and genuine artist, who believes her best work is enriching the young artists in her community by honoring their individual skills and preparing them for the professional and collegiate environment. Lena graduated with distinction from The University of Oklahoma in Norman, OK, and holds a B.F.A in Musical Theatre. While pursuing her degree, she spent every summer performing professionally at regional theater companies Summer Stock Austin, The MUNY in St. Louis, and Music Theatre Wichita. She was cast as Wendy Jo in John F. Kennedy Center's Production of Footloose and is also a member of The Actor's Equity Association (AEA). Lena was blessed to be able to use her theatre and performance knowledge to assist her high school theatre program, Cedar Ridge High School under the direction of Kristie Copeland, this past January by teaching musical theatre masterclasses, and mock dance calls. Additionally, she served as an assistant choreographer for their production of Mary Poppins. For several years Lena has also been assistant choreographer for Impact Arts and worked with their programs including the Heller Awards Ceremony and Summer Stock Austin.