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COMMUNITY: Fashion, art take centre stage at end-of-year show Students turn dreams into reality

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It gives me great pleasure to tell you my story. My name is Santana Miele. I am 11 years old and I have a passion: art.

I have been taking art lessons since I was six. I've studied pen and ink, fashion design, prisma and pastels.

I have entered art shows put on by the different programs I take and have won first and place.

The best part of entering these shows is the experience, though. Now, I'm studying at the Haute Couture School of Art and Fashion, owned by Joanne Dice.

I have learned so much from this program. My favourite area of study is fashion arts.

When I grow up I want to be a fashion designer. I know it's going to be hard work, but I want to make my dream come true. My parents always tell me to have dreams and work hard to make them real. Each year, the art school hosts a fashion show and I have created some artworks to be



Santana Miele, 11, will exhibit some of her artwork at an upcoming show.

displayed at this upcoming event.

The Runway 2009 Passion is Contagious show happens Wed., July 15 at Le Jardin Special Event Centre, the Grand Versailles Room, 8440 Hwy.

27, just south of Langstaff.

The art gallery opens at 6 p.m., dinner follows at 7, and the fashion show begins at 8:45.

For more information, call Joanne Dice at 905-264-9341.