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Matthew "Trai" McRae III

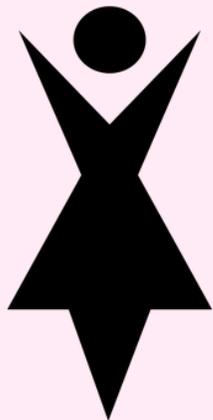


About me:

An Athens native, Trai grew up in Clarke County surrounded by faith, family, and a strong commitment to service. As the eldest child of Dr. Matthew and Barbara McRae Jr., leadership and giving back have always been central to who he is.

A former football player at Mississippi State University, Trai helped lead his team to the 2008 SEC West Championship and earning both a B.S. in Fitness Management and a M.S. in Exercise Science. Today, Trai serves as Senior Dental Administrator at McRae Family Dental, guiding an organization committed to excellence in care and community impact. His passion for Athens extends beyond his professional work — he is actively involved with Rotary Club of Athens as Chair of Plungefest and serves on several local boards.

A devoted husband and proud father of two, Trai strives to live by Colossians 3:23, giving his best in everything he does. He joined DWAS not only to showcase his love of dance but also to support Project Safe and its vital mission of protecting our community. With rhythm, heart, and hometown pride, Trai is ready to light up the dance floor — so get ready, Athens!



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