

Bailey Soja is a fun-loving and adventurous 10-year-old who enjoys spending time outdoors and surrounded by the animals she loves. She especially enjoys horseback riding, riding her four wheeler, and playing baseball. Bailey keeps a special place in her heart for horses and wiener dogs. When she's not exploring outside, Bailey loves reading, drawing, and expressing creativity through arts and crafts. Most of all, she treasures time with her family, cousins, and friends—making memories, sharing laughs, and enjoying every adventure along the way.

Lexi Henderson is a 13-year-old gymnast who absolutely lives for the sport she loves. As a dedicated member of a traveling gymnastics team, Lexi thrives on the excitement of the competition, learning new skills, and pushing herself to reach new goals. Her biggest dream is to one day become an Olympic gymnast and represent her country on the world's biggest stage. When she's not in the gym, Lexi loves spending time with her friends and family, creating arts and crafts, telling stories, and enjoying fun sleepovers.

The Secret Lair

by Bailey Soja and Lexi Henderson

There were four kids walking home from school one day, when Johnny saw something shiny in the forest. He walked over to see what it was. When Johnny went to pick up the shiny object, the floor opened underneath him, and he fell into a secret lair.

The three other kids noticed that he was gone, and they saw footprints leading up to the woods. Then, the footprints ended, and they started banging on the ground and realized the ground was hollow. When Bentley banged really hard on the ground, the floor dropped open, and he and the two girls fell into the secret lair with Johnny.

They noticed Johnny was tied up just before they saw a man in a black suit wearing a creepy mask. The creepy man hit the three kids with a wood bat until they fell to the ground unconscious. When they woke up, they were back on the sidewalk walking home with Johnny. As they walked, a creepy man waved goodbye. When they got home, everything felt normal—just scarier. They didn't sleep for days.