

# MOVING PICTURES

Our **Real Beauty** editorial consultants share some of the treasured moments from their family photo albums.

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**FAMILY PHOTOS** plot the course of our lives, even when those prints are faded, out-of-focus or a reminder of a questionable fashion moment. Like real women everywhere, our *Real Beauty* consultants hold dear their snaps of weddings and birthdays, but there are a few surprises, too. Alicia Kinsey, 21, a mum and student, shares the only photo ever of her camping. Celeste Tan, 19, a nutrition student, is brave enough to reveal

a photo of herself in a unitard. And who'd suspect that Clare Della-Franca, 37, a personal assistant, has a past life as a drum majorette? Fiona Scotts, 36, a mum and commercial actor, shares a photo of her island wedding – she “eloped” last May. Singer-songwriter and mother, Merelyn Carter, 44, had a B52s moment in *The Love Bugs*, but also wowed 'em as a white-socks-and-sandals angel in her primary school Christmas play.



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1 This photo was my very first taken as part of the *Real Beauty* real women magazine team.

2 This was with some friends from school when a torch bearer for the Sydney Olympics went past my house in Pymble.

3 I was about six in this photo. I don't think I'm a very convincing hula girl, but the party with some school friends was great.

4 I love this picture because my daughter, Rachel, and I are both wearing good

5 This shows my parents and me at our place when I was aged about 15, at a time when my hair was much darker.

6 This is the only photo of me camping and will probably continue to be the only photo of me camping.

7 This is my favourite school photo, because it is the only one that was taken in my summer uniform, which was much more comfortable. I was in Year 2.

8 This is me and my closest school friends – Liv, Anna, Lex – before our Year 12 formal. It was special as I had my daughter a year before and had changed schools, but could still attend the formal.

9 Rachel has always loved swimming. This is one of her first times in our pool.