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The Story of the Nutcracker

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The Nutcracker, a two-act ballet by Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky, is perhaps the composer's best-loved work. Tchaikovsky's adaptation of the story "The Nutcracker and the Mouse King" by E.T.A. Hoffmann was commissioned by the director of the Imperial Theatre's Ivan Vsevolozhsky in 1891. The original production was staged by Marius Petipa on December 18, 1892, by The Kirov Ballet in St. Petersburg. In Western countries, The Nutcracker has become perhaps the most popular of all ballets performed during the holiday season.

The curtain opens with Mr. and Mrs. Stahlbaum hosting their annual festive Christmas Eve Party. Alongside them, their children, Clara and Fritz greet their guests as they arrive. Celebration ensues. Clara's favorite uncle, Drosselmeyer, entertains the children with magical tricks, puppets, and dolls. Drosselmeyer brings a special gift for Clara - a magical wooden nutcracker. Delighted, Clara and her friends dance with their dolls. In a jealous fit, Fritz takes the doll and it breaks. Drosselmeyer quickly repairs the nutcracker and returns it to Clara.

The festivities continue as the Stahlbaum's and their guests dance together until the hour grows late and the guests say their goodbyes. The Stahlbaum's retire for the night, but Clara, eager to see her nutcracker doll, goes to check on it and sneaks out of her room. As the clock strikes midnight, Clara drifts off to sleep by the tree and furry mice playfully scurry around her stealing leftovers from the pantry.

The tree grows large and wondrous and the Nutcracker grows too! Toy soldiers dance and the mice return larger with the Rat Queen. A full scale battle ensues and Clara is afraid she will lose her Nutcracker for good. Just when it seems the rats will win, Clara distracts the Queen and the Nutcracker wins the battle! With the Rat Queen gone, an ages old spell on the Nutcracker is broken... He is transformed once again into a handsome Prince. Delighted, the Prince & Clara dance and ride together in an enchanted sleigh to the Land of Snow, where they are greeted by the Snow Queen. Soft snow falls in the beautiful Ice Palace, as snowflakes twirl and dance on the wind.

Clara is then escorted by her Prince to the Kingdom of Sweets where they meet the Sugar Plum Fairy and her Cavalier. The Sugar Plum invites the entire kingdom to entertain them with all the grandeur of the land. They are enticed by decadent chocolate, fine coffee, and aromatic tea. They are further delighted by the dance of the Shepherdess and her lambs, exhilarating Kartoshka folk dancers and a scrumptious Gingersnap treat with Mother Ginger. At last, a garden blooms before them and the Sugar Plum Fairy and her Cavalier dance a grand pas de deux. All of the inhabitants of the Kingdom of Sweets bid farewell to Clara and her Prince and send them on their way to a beautiful future...

...or was it all a dream?

Music

Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky

Original Choreography

Lev Ivanov

World Premiere, December 17, 1892, The Kirov Ballet, St. Petersburg

Artistic Director: Santa Cruz City Ballet
Shannon Chipman

Directors & Choreography
Shannon Chipman & Vicki Bergland

Rehearsal & Choreographic Assistants
Ally Dunn, Shayla Hill, Hope Jamieson



ACT I ~ Party, Fight & Land of Snow

Party

Mini Nutcracker	John Slate
Drosselmeyer	Howard Unkeles
Mrs. Stahlbaum	Jenny Dunn / Melissa Gray
Mr. Stahlbaum	Richard Chipman
Clara	Liliana Eymann / Leila Hassani
Fritz	Max Diop
Maid	Cairis Walls
Grandma	April Grady
Ladies	Catherine Converse, Tara Firenzi Melinda Lee, Shea Pase
Gentlemen	Allen Walls, Roger Pase Sefi Katznelson, Scott Player
Friends of Clara	Brynn Campbell, Lupine Carlson Hazel Hansen, Dara Lingemann Katherine Murphy Leila Hassani / Marin Telling Hanul O`wren / Melia Engfer
House Mouse	Lily Martin

Friends of Fritz	Scarlett DeRollo, Violet Cook Lucas Potes, Karina Vulpius
Young Party Guests	Zinnia DeRollo, Piper Hamil, Daphne Horn Cora Kiefer, Eliyana Miller, Clara Yegge
Soldier Doll Ballerina Doll Harlequin Doll	Ruby Hansen / Jasmine Krishnamachari Nicole Tripier Lily Katznelson / Fiona Seikel
<u>Fight</u> Nutcracker Prince	Leif McArthur
Rat Queen	Lila Fagan
Lead Toy Soldier	Lucas Potes
Toy Soldiers	Eva Acosta, Cora Casey Lucia Jones, Joanna Merriner Solen Slate, Annabelle Sparber Emily Thompson, Baylee Weaver
Nutcracker Soldiers	Lupine Carlson, Max Diop, Hazel Hansen Katherine Johnson, Dara Lingemann Lily Martin, Katherine Murphy, Cleo Roldan Marin Telling, Trinley Wright-Gya
Cannon Soldier	Lucas Potes
Queen's Rats	Alice Allersma, Jolie Bertrand, Heidi Brandt Tatum Crichton, Giuliana Dzialo Raina Fraim, Penelope Hover-Smoot Cassidy Lozano, Scarlet Lozano Finley Wilbur, Sabrina Zamboni
Petite Rats	Sofia Austin, Zelda Carlton, Scarlett DeRollo Sienna Drew, Juliana Grajeda Evelyn Howell, Reagan Kubany Lillian Kustudia, Isabella Newsome
Mini Mice	Sophia Arens, Christian Baumbach Thea Campbell, Xitlalli De La Cruz Vega John Drew, Theron Enghofer Isabella Garcia, Nora Kustudia Harper Marquez, Sienna Rush, Wren Wardell

Land of Snow

Reindeer	Laurel Baumbach, Emily Donalson, Lilly Falcone Rosalie Kiefer, Hailey Lewis, Opal McMillian
Snow Queen	Liliana Eymann / Rosie Bell
Snowflakes	Rosie Bell, Kalyssa Dettle, Ally Dunn Arianna Cart, Ruby Hansen, Isabella Hoppe Jasmine Krishnamachari, Shayla O'Rourke Fiona Seikel, Nicole Tripier, Lily Katznelson Amaya Lizarzaburu, Emily Repech, Violet Young
Petite Snow	Melia Engfer, Brynn Campbell, Juliana Grajeda Lily Hodges, Hanul O'Wren

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ACT II ~ Land of Sweets

Angels

Archangel	Shayla Hill
Winter	Laurel Baumbach, Emily Donalson, Rosalie Kiefer Hailey Lewis, Amaya Lizarzaburu, Opal McMillian
Angels	Eva Acosta, Alice Allersma, Heidi Brandt Scarlett DeRollo, Isabella Newsome, Solen Slate
Cherubim	Skylar Casey, Jovee Guido, Daphne Horn Isla Inlow, Aubrey Lewis, Eliyana Miller
<u>Chocolate</u>	
Chocolate	Ally Dunn, Jasmine Kirshnamachari / Ruby Hansen, Owen Randolph
<u>Coffee</u>	
Duet	Ruby Hansen / Jasmine Krishnamachari
Demi-Soloists	Shayla O'Rourke, Violet Young
Corps	Laurel Baumbach / Opal McMillian, Rosie Bell Lila Fagan, Lilly Falcone, Isabella Hoppe Fiona Seikel

Tea Garden

Butterfly

Lily Katznelson / Amaya Lizarzaburu

Kites

Trinley Wright-Gya / Lily Martin

Petite Tea

Zelda Carlton, Violet Cook, Sofia DeSanti
Giuliana Dzialo, Raina Fraim, Lily Hodges
Ana Lemos, Mirabela Lemos
Cassidy Lozano, Scarlet Lozano
Adalyn McQuirk, Annabelle Sparber
Karina Vulpius, Sabrina Zamboni

Green Tea Duet

Kalyssa Dettle / Lila Fagan
Nicole Tripier / Lilly Falcone

Green Tea Corps

Brynn Campbell, Lupine Carlson, Max Diop
Hazel Hansen, Hailey Lewis, Dara Lingemann
Katherine Murphy, Cleo Roldan
Penelope Hover-Smoot / Tatum Crichton
Fnniley Wilbur / Katherine Johnson

Lion

LionDanceME Dancers

Marizapan

Shepherdess

Fiona Seikel

Black Lamb

Marin Telling

Lambs

Hannah Arens, Cora Casey, Zinnia DeRollo
Lillian Fargo, Piper Hamil, Evie Hansen
Betsy Hayes, Evelyn Howell, Eleanor Johnston
Alessandra Rojas, Coraline Vermouth
Clara Yegge

Marizapan

Rosie Bell, Liliana Eymann / Leila Hassani
Ruby Hansen

Kartoshka

Shayla O'Rourke, Stella Sanford

Mother Ginger

Mother Ginger

Natasha Katznelson

Gingersnaps

Addison Austin, Skylar Casey, Liana Clark, Theron
Enghofer, Maya Gonzalez, Isla Inlow, Katherine
Lechtenberg, Aubrey Lewis, Kavery Napier, Amelia
Roman, John Slate, Amelia Vermouth, Wren Wardell

Ribbons

Laurel Baumbach, Emily Donalson / Rosalie Kiefer, Lilly Falcone, Opal McMillian

Waltz of the Flowers

Dewdrop Fairy

Isabella Hoppe / Violet Young

Waltz of the Flowers

Rosie Bell, Ally Dunn, Liliana Eymann
Ruby Hansen, Lily Katznelson
Jasmine Krishnamachari, Shayla O'Rourke
Emily Repech, Fiona Seikel, Nicole Tripier
Arianna Cart / Lila Fagan
Isabella Hoppe / Violet Young

Grand Pas

*Sakura Oka, *Thomas Caleb Roberts

Stage Manager
Assistant Stage Manager
Production Manager
Lighting Designer
Master Electrician
Sound Operator
Theater Manager
Costume Mistress
Seamstresses
Volunteer Coordinator
Prop Assistant
Backstage Assistant

Kari Lynn Morgan
Reese Morgan
Cassidy Parong
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**TO THE AMAZING DANCERS THAT
BRING THE NUTCRACKER TO LIFE**

**TO ALL OF THE HELPERS THAT
HAVE SUPPORTED US EVERY STEP
OF THE WAY...**

**TO THE LOVING PARENTS &
CAREGIVERS THAT BROUGHT
DANCERS INTO THIS WORLD AND
BRING THEM TO REHEARSAL WEEK
AFTER WEEK~**

**WE LOVE YOU & APPRECIATE YOU
AND CAN'T WAIT TO DO IT AGAIN
NEXT YEAR!**

**MAY SUGAR PLUMS DANCE
IN YOUR HEAD... XO**

**MISS SHANNON, VICKI, HOPE,
ALLY, SHAYLA & CASSIDY**



Guest Artists



Sakura Oka, Sugar Plum Fairy – Sakura Oka, originally from Nagoya, Japan, has danced with Columbia Classical Ballet, Virginia National Ballet, and Columbia City Ballet. She began her training under Maiko Uemura at the Ecole de Ballet MU and first came to the United States in the summer of 2011. After successfully auditioning for the Kirov Academy of Ballet Summer Program, she was invited to remain for the year-round program on scholarship. Sakura graduated from the Kirov Academy in 2013 and joined Columbia Classical Ballet soon after.

Her refined technique and artistry have earned her numerous accolades, including the Bronze Medal at the 2017 World Ballet Competition, Semi-Finalist at the 2014 Varna International Ballet Competition, Silver Medal at the 2013 Valentina Kozlova International Ballet Competition, Grand Prix at the 2013 ADCIBC, and Second Place at the 2012 Japan Grand Prix.

Sakura has performed several principal roles, including Juliet in *Romeo and Juliet*, Sugar Plum Fairy in *The Nutcracker*, Kitri in *Don Quixote*, Odilein in *Swan Lake*, and *Cinderella* in Ann Brodie's award-winning production with Carolina Ballet.

She has also appeared as a guest artist with Columbia Classical Ballet, Western Ballet, and Santa Cruz City Ballet. Sakura currently shares her passion for dance as a teacher at Ballet of York County.



Thomas Caleb Roberts, Cavalier – Thomas Caleb Roberts began his pre-professional dance training at the Center for Dance Education under the direction of Mimi Worrell. He graduated from the SC Governor's School for the Arts under the tutelage of Stanislav Issaev and attended North Carolina School for the Arts, studying with Ethan Stiefel. His professional career began with Boston Ballet as a trainee, continued with Cincinnati Ballet as a corps de ballet member and Columbia City Ballet as a demi-soloist and Fort Wayne ballet as a principal. Most recently dancing with Avid Dance Company. He has been a frequent guest artist with various companies including Anna Brodie's Carolina Ballet. Thomas has enjoyed performing in ballets such as *Black Swan*, *Don Quixote*, *The Sleeping Beauty*, *Giselle*, *Romeo and Juliet*, *Spartacu*, *Fancy Free*, *light Rain* and many other ballets. He is looking forward to bring the wonderful story of the nutcracker to life!

Guest Artists (cont'd)



LionDanceME, Lion – LionDanceME specializes in lion dance, music, and entertainment, hence the name. It was founded by Norman Lau in 2012, who took a traditional Chinese cultural art and transformed it into a modern entertainment company. Learn more at LionDanceMe.com

Artistic Staff



Shannon Chipman, Co-Director & Choreographer – From the age of three, Miss Shannon's shoes were always in first position. Ballet has been her life ever since. She began serious ballet studies under the tutelage of Jean Dunphy, Vicki Bergland (IAD instructor) & Madame Valentina Belova. She went on to attend the Royal Academy of Ballet in London, the San Francisco Ballet and the Juilliard School. She choreographed and performed from coast to coast before settling back home in Santa Cruz. From a young age, she always dreamed of having a dance studio and ballet company, and working with the next generations. She is delighted to live that dream every day for the past two decades and is thankful to work with the fabulous team of talented, passionate and caring staff, families, and dancers that dance for JOY!



Vicki Bergland, Co-Director & Choreographer – Vicki Bergland has taught ballet for over 30 years in Santa Cruz County, instilling dancers with a love and respect for ballet. Many of her students have gone on to professional careers in dance. Ms. Bergland teaches Ballet at the International Academy of Dance, where she has been an instrumental part of the training curriculum. She also has taught for many years at the University of California, at Santa Cruz and has worked with the Moscow Ballet as the Children's Coordinator.

Artistic Staff (cont'd)



Ally Dunn, Rehearsal Assistant, Snowflake, Chocolate, Waltz of Flowers – Ally has been dancing at IAD since she was 7 years old and dancing since she was 5. She's trained in ballet, lyrical, hip-hop, tap, musical theater, and jazz. Dance has always been the best way she can express herself and has given her an escape she couldn't find anywhere else. She has been in the Nutcracker for 14 years. Her favorite roles have been Clara, Snow Queen, Chocolate, and the Dewdrop Fairy. She's very excited to perform in Snow, Waltz and Chocolate this year. She says she's been blessed to have the opportunity to teach at this wonderful studio and is excited to train a new generation of dancers!



Shayla Hill, Rehearsal Assistant, Archangel – Shayla is a teacher at the International Academy of Dance, and has been dancing since she was 3 years old. She has performed in 16 Nutcrackers with the Santa Cruz City Ballet at International Academy of Dance. Some of her favorite roles have been Chocolate and Dewdrop Fairy. Shayla says, "This studio truly feels like a family and I feel so fortunate to be able to teach young dancers at the studio I grew up at." Shayla returns to performing in the Nutcracker this year. In addition to assisting with rehearsals, she will be backstage supporting the youngest dancers throughout the performances.



Hope Jamieson, Rehearsal Assistant – Hope is so excited for her second year of The Nutcracker with IAD! She recently relocated to Santa Cruz from New York City, where she danced professionally for ten years. She was born and raised in Columbus, OH and received her BFA in dance from The University of Arizona. She performed internationally as a production dancer for Norwegian Cruise Lines and Spirit Productions. Some favorite regional theatre credits include *White Christmas*, *The Little Mermaid*, and of course *Who's Got Me?* which brought her out to Santa Cruz, and where she met Shannon! Hope is thrilled to be a part of this beautiful IAD tradition, and help bring the magic to life.



IAD Cast



Eva Acosta - Toy Soldier, Angel



Alice Allersma - Queen's Rat, Angel



Hannah Arens - Little Lamb



Sophia Arens - Mini Mouse



Addison Austin - Gingersnap



Sophia Austin - Petite Rat



Christian Baumbach - Mini Mouse



Laurel Baumbach - Reindeer, Winter, Ribbon, Coffee (4:30 PM Shows)



Rosie Bell - Snow Queen (4:30 PM Shows), Snowflake, Coffee, Macaron, Flower



Jolie Bertrand - Queen's Rat



Heidi Brandt - Queen's Rat, Angel



Brynn Campbell - Friend of Clara, Petite Snow, Green Tea



Thea Campbell - Mini Mouse



Lupine Carlson - Friend of Clara, Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Zelda Carlton - Petite Rat, Petite Tea



Arianna Cart - Snowflake, Flower (1:00 PM Shows)

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Cora Casey - Toy Soldier, Little Lamb



Skylar Casey - Cherub, Gingersnap



Richard Chipman - Mr. Stahlbaum



Liana Clark - Gingersnap



Catherine Converse - Party Lady



Violet Cook - Friend of Fritz, Petite Tea



Tatum Crichton - Queen's Rat, Green Tea



Xitlalli De La Cruz-Vega - Mini Mouse



Scarlett DeRollo - Friend of Fritz, Petite Rat, Angel



Zinnia DeRollo - Young Party Guest, Little Lamb



Sofia Desanti - Petite Tea



Kalysa Dettle - Snowflake, Green Tea Duet (1:00 PM Shows)



Max Diop - Fritz, Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Emily Donalson - Reindeer, Winter, Ribbon (1:00 PM Shows)



John Drew - Mini Mouse



Sienna Drew - Petite Rat

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Ally Dunn - Chocolate Duet, Flower, Snowflake



Jenny Dunn - Mrs. Stahlbaum (1:00 PM Shows)



Giuliana Dzialo - Queen's Rat, Petite Tea



Melia Engfer - Friend of Clara (1:00 PM Shows), Petite Snow



Theron Enghofer - Mini Mouse, Gingersnap



Liliana Eymann - Clara (4:30 PM Shows), Snow Queen (1:00 PM Shows), Macaron (1:00 PM Shows), Flower (1:00 PM Shows)



Lila Fagan - Rat Queen, Coffee, Green Tea Duet (4:30 PM Shows), Flower (4:30 PM Shows)



Lilly Falcone - Reindeer, Coffee, Green Tea Duet (4:30 PM Shows), Ribbon



Lillian Fargo - Little Lamb



Tara Firenze - Party Lady



Raina Fraim - Queen's Rat, Petite Tea



Isabella Garcia - Mini Mouse



Maya Gonzalez - Gingersnap



April Grady - Grandma



Juliana Grajeda - Petite Rat, Petite Snow



Melissa Gray - Mrs. Stahlbaum (4:30 PM Shows)

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Jovee Guido - Cherub



Piper Hamil - Young Party Guest, Little Lamb



Evie Hansen - Little Lamb



Hazel Hansen - Friend of Clara, Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Ruby Hansen - Soldier Doll (1:00 PM Shows), Snowflake, Macaron, Flower



Leila Hassani - Clara (1:00 PM Shows), Friend of Clara (4:30 PM Shows), Macaron (4:30 PM Shows)



Betsy Hayes - Little Lamb



Shayla Hill - Archangel



Lily Hodges - Petite Sow, Petite Tea



Isabella Hoppe - Snowflake, Coffee, Dewdrop Fairy (1:00 PM Shows), Flower (4:30 PM Shows)



Daphne Horn - Young Party Guest, Cherub



Penelope Hover-Smoot - Queen's Rat, Green Tea



Evelyn Howell - Petite Rat, Little Lamb



Isla Inlow - Cherub, Gingersnap



Katherine Johnson - Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Eleanor Johnston - Little Lamb

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Lucia Jones - Toy Soldier



Lily Katznelson - Harlequin Doll (1:00 PM Shows),
Snowflake, Butterfly (1:00 PM Shows)



Natasha Katznelson - Mother Ginger



Sefi Katznelson - Party Gentleman



Cora Kiefer - Young Party Guest



Rosalie Kiefer - Reindeer, Winter, Ribbon (4:30 PM Shows)



Jasmine Krishnamachari - Soldier Doll (4:30 PM Shows),
Snowflake, Chocolate (1:00 PM Shows), Coffee Princess
(4:30 PM Shows), Flower



Reagan Kubany - Petite Rat



Lillian Kustudia - Petite Rat



Nora Kustudia - Mini Mouse



Katherine Lechtenberg - Gingersnap



Melinda Lee - Party Lady



Ana Lemos - Petite Tea



Mirabela Lemos - Petite Rat



Aubrey Lewis - Cherub, Gingersnap



Hailey Lewis - Reindeer, Winter, Green Tea

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Dara Lingemann - Friend of Clara, Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Amaya Lizaraburu - Snowflake, Winter, Butterfly (4:30 PM Shows)



Cassidy Lozano - Queen's Rat, Petite Tea



Scarlet Lozano - Queen's Rat, Petite Tea



Harper Marquez - Mini Mouse



Lily Martin - House Mouse, Nutcracker Soldier, Kite



Leif McArthur - Nutcracker Prince



Opal McMillian - Reindeer, Winter, Coffee (1:00 PM Shows), Ribbon



Adalyn McQuirk - Petite Tea



Joanna Merriner - Toy Soldier



Eliyana Miller - Young Party Guest, Cherub



Katherine Murphy - Friend of Clara, Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Kavery Napier - Gingersnap



Isabella Newsome - Petite Rat, Angel



Shayla O'Rourke - Snowflake, Coffee, Kartoshka, Flower



Hanul O'Wren - Friend of Clara (4:30 PM Shows), Petite Snow

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Roger Pase - Party Gentleman



Shea Pase - Party Lady



Scott Player - Party Gentleman



Lucas Potes - Friend of Fritz, Toy Soldier, Cannon Soldier



Owen Randolph - Chocolate



Emily Repech - Snowflake, Flower (1:00 PM Shows)



Alessandra Rojas - Little Lamb



Cleo Roldan - Nutcracker Soldier, Green Tea



Amelia Roman - Gingersnap



Sienna Rush - Mini Mouse



Stella Sanford - Kartoshka



Fiona Seikel - Harlequin Doll (1:00 PM Shows), Snowflake, Coffee, Shepherdess, Flower



John Slate - Mini Nutcracker, Gingersnap



Solen Slate - Toy Soldier, Angel



Annabelle Sparber - Toy Soldier, Petite Tea



Marin Telling - Friend of Clara (1:00 PM Shows), Nutcracker Soldier, Black Lamb

IAD Cast (cont'd)



Emily Thompson - Toy Soldier



Nicole Tripier - Ballerina Doll, Snowflake, Green Tea Duet (1:00 PM Shows), Flower



Howard Unkeles- Drosselmeyer



Amelia Vermouth - Gingersnap



Coraline Vermouth - Little Lamb



Karina Vulpius - Friend of Fritz, Petite Tea



Allen Walls - Party Gentleman



Cairis Walls - Maid



Wren Wardell - Mini Mouse, Gingersnap



Baylee Weaver - Toy Soldier



Finley Wilbur - Queen's Rat, Green Tea



Trinley Wright-Gya - Nutcracker Soldier, Kite



Clara Yegge - Young Party Guest, Little Lamb



Violet Young - Snowflake, Coffee, Dewdrop Fairy (4:30 PM Shows), Flower (1:00 PM Shows)



Sabrina Zamboni - Queen's Rat, Petite Tea

Shout-Outs

Xitlalli, you are an amazing dancer keep shining and leaving sparkles wherever you go! Love Mom and Dad.

Giuliana, your radiance shines from within you. We love you!

Brynn, you are magic onstage! We are so proud of you.
Love, Mom, Dad, Charles, Thea, and Millie

Cora, what joy seeing you dance on stage! XO, M,D,R&W

Wren, you are magical on the stage and off! Love Mom and Dad

Reagan! We are so proud of you and all you do as a dancer and as a person. Love, Mom Dad Levi and Grammy

We love seeing your joy of dance shine through, Lily!

Addie, you light up the stage sweet girl! Love, Mom & Dad

Clara, we are so proud you and all your hard work! We love you so much, sweet girl! Love, Mama, Dada, Forrest & Raife

Lilli and Nora, you both are incredibly sweet and talented girls! Mommy and Daddy love you so much!

Great job, John! We love you! Mom, Dad & Solen

Arianna, our favorite tiny dancer, love you Mom

Adalyn, you are an amazing performer and dancer. We are proud of you.
Love Mom and Dad

Leila we are so proud of you! Love Mom & Dad

Fiona, congratulations on your 14th Nutcracker! Love Mom and Dad

Dear Opal, You are a shining star and a joy to watch on stage! Keep it up!!

Rosalie, your grace and poise creates Christmas magic! Xo, M, D, W, & C

Lilypad we are so proud of you! -your awesome family

Sofia, you're our shining star! We love you! Mom & Dad

Shout-Outs

So proud of you, Solen! Keep shining! - Mom, Dad, John

Sabrina, it is so much fun watching you! Great job! Love Mom, Donnie,
Steve

Violet Cook, you are magical. Love Mom and Dad

Alice, your dancing brings us joy! Love Mama and Mom

It's a joy to see you perform Heidi!

Sofia, you light up the stage! Love Mom and Dad

To our beautiful daughter Alessandra, we are so proud of you! You did amazing, your hard work, dedication and commitment showed in every step. We love you!

Max, we love watching you dance and are so proud of your dedication. Keep having fun! Love, Mom, Dad, Nana and Baba.

Always so proud of you, Tatum! Your dedication, grace, and love for ballet light up the stage every Nutcracker season. We love to see you shine!

Hailey, "Your passion shines through in every move," "I love how your personality comes out when you dance," keep up the great work!"
Love mom & dad

So proud of you, Isabella! Dance your heart out, beautiful girl

Dear Hanul, you are dazzling. We are so proud of you. Love, Uma and Appa

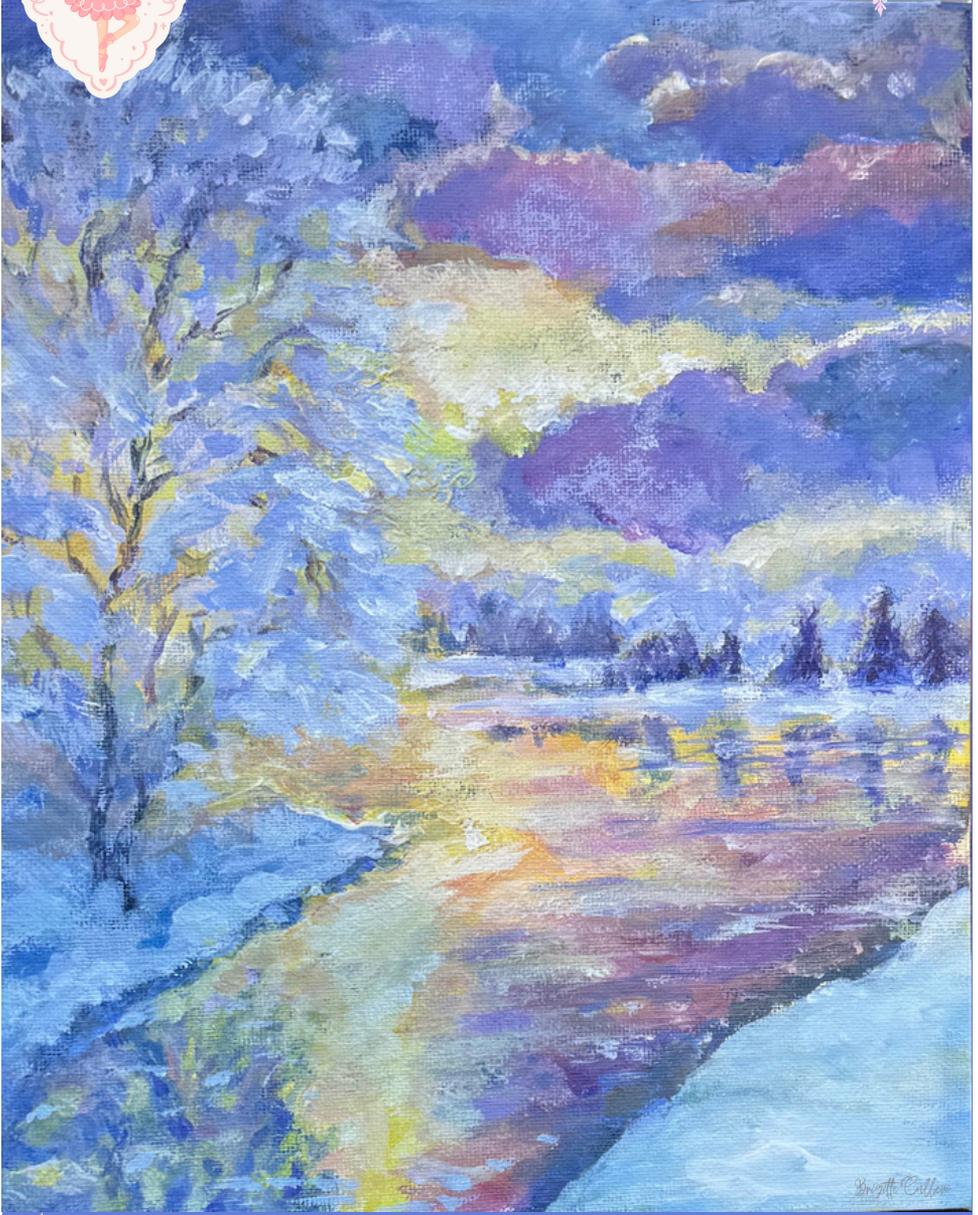
You're a bright light Piper – keep shining!

Dear Lucas, We are so proud of your amazing performance in the Nutcracker this year! We love you! Love, Mom, Dad, Olivia and Elena





Happy Holidays to the
Nutcracker cast!

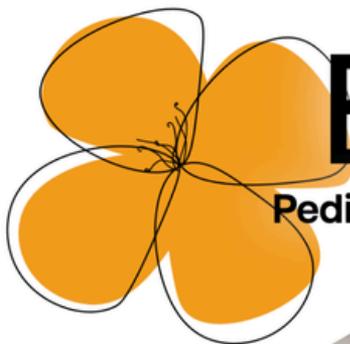


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