

PACIFIC BALLET NUTCRACKER

NOVEMBER 21-27, 2011 - PERFORMANCE WEEK CLASS SCHEDULE

**** No classes will be held November 24-26 due to the Thanksgiving break. ****

**** November 21-23 - Class schedule is changed due to our Studio and Theater dress rehearsals.
All dancers are welcome to attend these classes!!**

REGULAR CLASS SCHEDULE RESUME NOVEMBER 28, 2011.

SCHEDULE CHANGE FOR ALL CLASSES:

Monday, November 21 - Class & Rehearsal Schedule

3:30 - 4:30 Pre-Ballet & Ballet I in Studio 3 KD

3:30 - 4:30 Level II/III/IV in Studio 2 NC

3:30 - 4:30 Level V/VI/VII in Studio 1 EB

5pm Pre-Ballet A/B – come at 3:30pm, 6pm Ballet III/IVB, come at 3:30pm

REHEARSAL FOR NUTCRACKER DANCERS ONLY:

4:00 Check-in time for ACT II Dancers & Helpers in Studio 2

4:30 - 5:30 **ACT II Run-thru**, all dancers, except NO LITTLE ANGELS & Sunday 4pm Cast of
Starting with Angels/Pointe Angel (Angels excused at ~5:00) Studio 1 Mother Ginger ONLY

5:30 - 6:00 **ACT I - Transition Scene and Snowflakes Only**

5:45 Check-in time for Act I Dancers and Helpers in Studio 2

6:00 - 7:30 **ACT I Run Thru** – Party Scene & Fight Scene (All Casts)

NO REHEARSAL today for **Little Angels**. Check casts for Theater Dress Rehearsals.

Tuesday, November 22 - Class Schedule

3:30 - 4:30 **Combined class** – Ballet A, I in Studio 3 KD

3:30 - 4:30 **Combined class** – Ballet II, III, IV in Studio 2 RC

3:30 - 4:30 **Combined class** – Ballet V, VI, VII in Studio 1 SA

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Please make up before or after Performance Week if unable to change schedule.

Wednesday, November 23- Class Schedule

3:30 - 4:30 **Combined class** – Ballet II, III, IV in Studio 2 NC

3:30 - 4:30 **Combined class** – Ballet V, VI, VII in Studio 1 SA

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THANKSGIVING BREAK – NOVEMBER 24-26

Thursday, November 24 - THANKSGIVING – All Classes Canceled, No Rehearsals!

Friday, November 25 - First Performance Day – No classes

Saturday, November 26 - Second Performance Day – No classes

Sunday, November 27 - Third Performance Day

NUTCRACKER DANCERS ONLY!!

THEATER DRESS REHEARSAL

**AT MOUNTAIN VIEW CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS ON:
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22 & WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23**

As in all of our previous performances, dancers are asked to bring their own basic makeup for reasons of hygiene. We will have emergency makeup available and will do final touch-ups. **IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO WEAR MAKEUP FOR TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY THEATER DRESS REHEARSALS.**

A DANCER WHO IS ILL SHOULD CALL (650) 969-4614 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO ALLOW US TIME TO CALL IN AN ALTERNATE DANCER. IF IT IS A LAST MINUTE EMERGENCY, CALL THE THEATER DIRECTLY AT (650) 903-6573. THIS IS THE GREEN ROOM NUMBER.

All dancers (especially soloists) should be in contact with their alternates to verify that the dance is covered. Alternates should be available even if they are not scheduled to perform, in case of emergency.

Please arrive at the theater well fed! Food and Drink is not permitted in the theater!

*** ONLY VOLUNTEERS WITH BADGES will be allowed backstage and in the audience.**

Tuesday, November 22 - Theater Dress Rehearsal for Acts I and II

ALL DANCERS MUST ATTEND, EXCEPT ...

Little Angels - ONLY THE SATURDAY 1pm & 6pm CAST SHOULD ATTEND
Mother Ginger Children - ONLY THE Sat 6pm CAST SHOULD ATTEND – CAST B
Mice and Soldiers – ONLY THE Sat 6pm, Sun 12:30 & 4pm CAST SHOULD ATTEND – CAST B

Please notice that times are APPROXIMATE – dancers must stay until excused.

5:00 Check in time for all helpers and choreographers at MVCPA.
5:00 **ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in.
(All Dancers dress except Fight Scene, who will go directly to stage after Safety talk)
5:15 **Mandatory** Theater Safety talk – Dancers and volunteers assemble in audience - **Important!**
5:30 Fight Scene on stage for blocking
6:00 Party Scene on stage for blocking
6:30 **ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in.
6:30 - 9:30 ACT I AND II - FULL RUN-THRU with lights
8:30 ACT I dancers will be dismissed if all goes well!
9:00 We will try to dismiss Angels, Reindeer and Mother Ginger Children by this hour.
*Lead Mother Ginger girl (**Lost Child**) must stay through final curtain call.
9:30 Finish Act II (All dancers stay until excused) **Time approximate!**

Wednesday, November 23 - Theater Dress Rehearsal for Acts I and II

(SAME SCHEDULE AS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22)

ALL DANCERS MUST ATTEND, EXCEPT ...

Little Angels - ONLY THE FRIDAY 1pm & 6pm CAST SHOULD ATTEND
Mother Ginger Children - ONLY THE Fri 1pm & 6pm CAST SHOULD ATTEND – CAST A
Mice and Soldiers – ONLY THE Fri 1pm & 6pm, Sat 1pm CAST SHOULD ATTEND – CAST A

Sunday Cast of Mother Ginger will rehearse on stage before the first Sunday performance, at 11:45am.

Each cast of Little Angels will have a run-thru during intermission before they perform.

If for any reason you must miss rehearsal, it is your responsibility to contact your alternate to make sure your position is covered!

PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25- 1:00pm

*****Matinee Performance*****

Dancers should always dress & have makeup done immediately upon arrival at the Theater unless they have a rehearsal!

10:30 -11:00	TBA - Pas de deux rehearsals
11:00 -11:45	Warm-Up class ON STAGE for Levels V, VI, and VII
11:30	Helpers arrive
11:30	ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE at Theater, dress & makeup
12:00	ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE at Theater, dress & makeup
11:45 - 12:00	Party Scene on stage for blocking
12:00 - 12:15	Fight Scene on stage for blocking
12:15 - 12:30	On stage blocking - TBA
12:30	Party Scene Makeup and Costume check in Green Room
12:45	Fight Scene Makeup and Costume check in Green Room
1:00	Snowflakes and Reindeer makeup and costume check in Green Room
1:30	Dancers in Act II makeup and costume check in Green Room
1:00	FIRST PERFORMANCE!
3:00	FINAL CURTAIN!

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25 - 6:00pm

***** Evening Performance*****

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3:30 - 4:30	Sugar Plum Rehearsal - TBA
4:00 - 4:45	Warm up class ON STAGE for Levels V, VI, VII
4:45	Helpers arrive
4:45	ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE and check-in, dress, & makeup.
5:15	ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE and check-in, dress & makeup.
4:45 - 5:00	Party Scene on stage for blocking
5:00 - 5:15	Fight Scene on stage for blocking
5:15 - 5:30	On-stage blocking - TBA
5:45	Party Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
6:00	Fight Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
6:15	Snowflakes & Reindeer Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
6:30	Act II Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
6:00	SECOND PERFORMANCE!
8:00	FINAL CURTAIN!

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26- 1:00pm

*****Matinee Performance*****

Dancers should always dress & have makeup done immediately upon arrival at the Theater unless they have a rehearsal!

10:30-11:00	TBA - Pas de deux rehearsals
11:00 -11:45	Warm-Up class ON STAGE for Levels V, VI, and VII
11:30	Helpers arrive
11:30	ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE at Theater, dress & makeup
12:00	ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE at Theater, dress & makeup
11:45 - 12:00	Party Scene on stage for blocking
12:00 - 12:15	Fight Scene on stage for blocking
12:15 - 12:30	On stage blocking - TBA
12:30	Party Scene Makeup and Costume check in Green Room
12:45	Fight Scene Makeup and Costume check in Green Room
1:00	Snowflakes and Reindeer makeup and costume check in Green Room
1:30	Dancers in Act II makeup and costume check in Green Room
1:00	THIRD PERFORMANCE!
3:00	FINAL CURTAIN!

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26 - 6:00pm*****Evening Performance*******Dancers should always dress & have makeup done immediately upon arrival at the Theater unless they have a rehearsal!**

4:45 Helpers Arrive
 4:45 **ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in, dress & makeup.
 5:15 **ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in, dress & makeup.
 4:45-5:00 Party Scene on stage for blocking
 5:00-5:15 Fight Scene on stage for blocking
 5:15-5:30 On stage blocking - **TBA**
 5:45 Party Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 6:00 Fight Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 6:15 Snowflakes & Reindeer Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 6:30 Act II Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 6:00 **FOURTH PERFORMANCE!**
 8:00 **FINAL CURTAIN!**

******PLEASE NOTE THE EARLIER PERFORMANCE TIMES FOR SUNDAY!!!!********SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27 - 12:30pm*******1st Matinee Performance*******Dancers should always dress & have makeup done immediately upon arrival at the Theater unless they have a rehearsal!**

10:00-10:45 Warm up class **ON STAGE** for Levels V, VI, VII
 10:45-11:00 Snow & Flowers on stage for blocking - **TBA**
 11:00-11:15 Onstage Blocking - **TBA**
 11:00 Helpers arrive
 11:00 **ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in, dress & makeup.
 11:30 **ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in, dress & makeup.
 11:15-11:30 Party Scene on stage for blocking
 11:30-11:45 Fight Scene on stage for blocking
 11:45-12:00 Onstage Blocking for **MOTHER GINGER – SUNDAY 12:30 & 4pm CAST**
 12:00 Party Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 12:15 Fight Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 12:30 Snowflakes & Reindeer Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 1:00 Act II Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 12:30 **FIFTH PERFORMANCE!**
 2:30 **FINAL CURTAIN!**

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2:45-3:30 On stage blocking - **TBA**
 3:00 Helpers Arrive
 3:00 **ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in, dress & makeup.
 3:30 **ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE** and check-in, dress & makeup.
 3:45 Party Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 4:00 Fight Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 4:15 Snowflakes & Reindeer Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 4:30 Act II Costume & Makeup check in Green Room
 4:00 **SIXTH PERFORMANCE!**
 6:00 **FINAL CURTAIN!**

**WE NOW LOAD OUT ALL COSTUMES & PROPS BACK TO THE STUDIO.
 WE WILL NEED HELP!****DANCERS & HELPERS CAN CHECK THAT DRESSING ROOMS ARE NEAT, CLEAN, IN ORDER.** This care helps ensure our continued use of the theater. ***THANK YOU EVERYONE!***

REGULAR CLASSES RESUME ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28th. SEE YOU THEN!