PACIFIC BALLET THEATRE

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November 20-26, 2023 - Nutcracker Performance Week CLASS SCHEDULE

*November 20-22 class schedule is changed due to our Nutcracker dress rehearsals, see below.

*No classes will be held November 23-26 due to the Thanksgiving break. Please make up classes before or after performance week if unable to change schedule.

REGULAR CLASS SCHEDULE RESUMES MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Monday, November 20 - Class & Rehearsal Schedule

- 3:30 4:30 Level II/III in Studio 3 TL
- 3:30 4:30 Level IVA/B & V in Studio 2 MC
- 3:30 4:30 Level VI & VII in Studio 1 MD

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 starting with Big Angels/Pointe Angels in Studio 1.

 **NO REHEARSAL TODAY FOR LITTLE ANGELS OR MOTHER GINGER CHILDREN

(see Theater Dress Rehearsal casts)**

- 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)

Tuesday, November 21 - Class Schedule

- 3:30 4:30 Combined class Ballet I/II in Studio 3 TL
- 3:30 4:30 Combined class Ballet IVA/V in Studio 2 RC/MC
- 3:30 4:30 Combined class Ballet VI, VII in Studio 1 GJ
- *** NUTCRACKER DANCERS DRESS REHEARSAL AT THEATER SEE NEXT PAGE ***

Wednesday, November 22 - Class Schedule

- 3:30 4:30 Combined class II, III, IV in Studio 2 IT
- 3:30 4:30 Combined class Ballet V, VI, VII in Studio 1 VJ
- *** NUTCRACKER DANCERS DRESS REHEARSAL AT THEATER SEE NEXT PAGE ***

THANKSGIVING BREAK – NOVEMBER 23 -26

<u>Thursday, November 23</u> - THANKSGIVING - All Classes Canceled, No Rehearsals!

<u>Friday, November 24</u> - First Performance Day – All Classes Canceled

Saturday, November 25 - Second Performance Day - All Classes Canceled

Sunday, November 26 - Third Performance Day- All Classes Canceled

Nutcracker Dancers Only Theater Dress Rehearsals at Mountain View Center for the Performing Arts on Tuesday, November 21 & Wednesday, November 22

Please refer to the schedule below for cast information, check in times, and approximate dismissal times.

Park in the lot on Mercy St, adjacent to the theater. All dancers must check in at the Holding Room Door: entrance is at the back of the Theater, facing the Library. Please note that "dress rehearsal" means that students should arrive dressed in tights, skin-colored leotard, and have their hair done properly for their roles. **Makeup is not required for dress rehearsals.** Older dancers are asked to bring their own makeup on performance days for hygiene reasons.

MASKS on stage are OPTIONAL! We may request you to wear one backstage if needed. Please wear a skin toned mask if you choose to wear one.

Please bring a ballet bag with your child's name on it which contains: Water, an emergency pair of tights and dance shoes, hairbrush, extra hair net, bobby pins, hair ties, and hairspray or gel. It is advised that you pack your child a book, deck of cards, small game or quiet activity to play with while waiting their turn to dance. There is also a coloring contest. Pencils, Marker, & crayons are provided, but you may bring your own. Label all clothing and items brought to the theater with your child's name. Please do not bring any valuables or electronics to the theater. Pacific Ballet Academy is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged items.

No food, gum, or any beverage other than water will be allowed backstage or near costumes at any time. Personal jewelry including earrings of any sort, rings, necklaces, anklets, bracelets, and watches may not be worn during rehearsals or performances.

NO CAMERAS are allowed inside our studios, inside the theater, in the holding room, or backstage. MVCPA rules state that NO personal photographic or sound recording equipment may be used at or in the theater at any time. Only volunteers with badges will be allowed backstage. Our assigned photographers will take pictures and DVDs will be made of each performance available for purchase after the performances.

A DANCER WHO IS ILL OR HAS A LAST-MINUTE EMERGENCY SHOULD CALL (669) 262-9258 Patricia OR Travis (717) 283-6737 <u>AS SOON AS POSSIBLE</u> TO ALLOW US TIME TO CALL IN AN ALTERNATE DANCER. ALTERNATES SHOULD BE AVAILABLE EVEN IN THEY ARE NOT SCHEDULED TO PERFORM, IN CASE OF EMERGENCY. IF FOR ANY REASON YOU MUST MISS A DRESS REHEARSAL, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONTACT YOUR ALTERNATE TO MAKE SURE YOUR POSITION IS COVERED.

Tuesday, November 21 - Theater Dress Rehearsal for Acts I and II - CAST B

Little Angels - ONLY CAST B (Sat 6pm & Sun 2pm) MUST ATTEND Mother Ginger Children - ONLY CAST B (Sat 6pm, Sun 2pm) MUST ATTEND Mice & Soldiers - ONLY CAST B (Sat 6pm, Sun 12:00pm) MUST ATTEND 4:45 Call Time time for all helpers and choreographers at MVCPA. ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE and check-in. (PARTY SCENE, FIGHT SCENE and SNOW SCENE) 5:00 (All Dancers dress except Fight Scene. Fight Scene go directly to stage after Safety talk 5:15 Mandatory Theater Safety talk – Dancers and volunteers assemble in the audience - Important! Fight Scene on stage for blocking 5:30 Party Scene on stage for blocking 6:00 ACT II DANCERS Call Time/check-in. 6:30 ACT I AND II - FULL RUN-THRU with lights 6:30 - 8:308:00 ACT I dancers will be dismissed at the end of the ACT if all goes well! 8:30 We will try to dismiss Angels, Reindeer and Mother Ginger Children by this hour. Mother Ginger children must stay through the final curtain call. 8:30-9:00 Finish Act II (All dancers stay until excused) **Time approximate!**

Wednesday, November 22 - Theater Dress Rehearsal for Acts I and II- CAST A Same schedule as Tuesday, November 22 as above. See below for CAST INFORMATION.

<u>Little Angels</u> - ONLY CAST A (Fri 6pm & Sat 1pm) MUST ATTEND <u>Mother Ginger Children</u> - ONLY CAST A Fri 6pm & Sat 1pm) MUST ATTEND <u>Mice & Soldiers</u> - ONLY CAST A (Fri 6pm & Sat 1pm) MUST ATTEND

*All other dancers must attend both Dress Rehearsals!

PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

Upon arrival, all dancers are responsible for getting dressed, getting their makeup on and going to blocking. There is no adult supervision between shows! All dancers must check out in between shows.

| FRIDAY, NOVE | MBER 24- 6:00PM | ***FULL Performance*** |
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| 4:00 - 4:45 | VI/VII warm up on stage, Sugar Plum Rehearsal - TBA | |
| 4:30 | Helpers arrive | |
| 4:45 | ACT I DANCERS CALL TIME and check-in, dr | ress, & makeup. |
| 5:15 | ACT II DANCERS CALL TIME 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 R | oom |
| 6:00 | Fight Scene Costume & Makeup check in Green R | oom |
| 6:15 | Snowflakes & Reindeer Costume & Makeup check | in Green Room |
| 6:30 | Act II Costume & Makeup check in Green Room | |
| 6:00 | FIRST PERFORMANCE! | |
| 8:00 | FINAL CURTAIN! | |

| SATURDAY, NO | OVEMBER 25 - 1:00pm *** FULL Performance*** | | |
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| 10:30-11:15 | Warm-Up class ON STAGE for Levels V, VI, and VII | | |
| 11:15 -11:30 | On-stage blocking for Snowflakes and Flowers | | |
| 11:30 - 11:45 | Sugar Plum, Pas Deux Rehearsals - TBA | | |
| 11:15 | 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 / run-through | | |
| 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 | SECOND PERFORMANCE! | | |
| 3:00 | FINAL CURTAIN! | | |

| SATURDAY, NO | VEMBER 25 - 6:00pm | ***FULL Performance*** |
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| 3:30 - 4:45 | Sugar Plum, Pas Deux Rehearsals - TBA | |
| 4:30 | Helpers arrive | |
| 4:45 | ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE and check-in, dress, & make | keup. |
| 5:15 | ACT II DANCERS ARRIVE and check-in, dress & mal | keup. |
| 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 Gro | een Room |
| 6:30 | Act II Costume & Makeup check in Green Room | |
| 6:00 | THIRD PERFORMANCE! | |
| 8:00 | FINAL CURTAIN! | |

| SUNDAY, NOVEM | BER 26 - 12:00pm ***ACT 1 ONLY Performance*** |
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| 10:30 | Helpers arrive |
| 10:30 - 11:15 | Warm-Up class ON STAGE for Levels VI and VII |
| 10:45 | ACT I DANCERS ARRIVE at Theater, dress & makeup |
| 11:15 - 11:30 | Party Scene on stage for blocking |
| 11:30 - 11:45 | Fight Scene on stage for blocking |
| 11:45 | Party Scene Makeup and Costume check in Green Room |
| 12:00 | Fight Scene Makeup and Costume check in Green Room |
| 12:15 | Snowflakes and Reindeer makeup and costume check in Green Room |
| 12:00 | FOURTH PERFORMANCE! |
| 1:00 | FINAL CURTAIN |

| SUNDAY, NOV | EMBER 26 - 2:00pm | *** ACT 2 SENSORY FRIENDLY Performance*** |
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| 1:00 | ACT II DANCERS ARRI | VE at Theater, dress & makeup |
| 1:15 - 1:30 | On stage blocking - TBA | |
| 1:45 | Dancers in Act II makeup a | nd costume check in Green Room |
| 2:00 | FIFTH PERFORMANCE | ?! |
| 3:00 | FINAL CURTAIN! | |
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| 3:00 | LOAD OUT AFTER | FINAL CURTAIN! |

WE WILL NOW LOAD OUT ALL COSTUMES & PROPS BACK TO THE STUDIO.

WE WILL NEED HELP! Please go to SignUP Genius to sign up for this very important job!

DANCERS & HELPERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LEAVING THE DRESSING ROOMS AND HOLDING ROOM **NEAT, CLEAN, & IN ORDER.**

This care helps ensure our continued use of the theater.

THANK YOU EVERYONE!

REGULAR CLASSES RESUME ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27. SEE YOU THEN!