

# THE NUTCRACKER

Presented by  PNC BANK

**WITH MAGIC SPONSORED BY WRAL-TV**

*Music:* Pytor Ilyich Tchaikovsky

*Choreography:* Zalman Raffael after Robert Weiss

After a Libretto by Marius Petipa

*Costume Design:* Terry Baker in collaboration with Victor Lytvinenko

*Character Heads Design:* Judanna Lynn

*Lighting Design:* Ross Kolman

*Scenic Design:* Andrew Armas after Jeff A.R. Jones in conjunction  
with Matt Strampe, Supervisor and Additional Collaborator

*Conductor:* Alfred E. Sturgis

*Illusions conceived by:* Rick Thomas

*Additional Children's Choreography:* Jan Burkhard, Nicholas Fokine, Emily McGeehan

*Children's Ballet Masters:* Jan Burkhard, Nicholas Fokine, Richard Krusch,  
Emily McGeehan, Margaret Severin-Hansen

## **PROLOGUE: DROSSELMAYER'S TOY SHOP**

UNCLE DROSSELMAYER . . . . . **SOKVANNARA SAR**  
HIS NEPHEW (THE NUTCRACKER) . . . . . **TRISTAN BOWEN**

## **ACT I: CHRISTMAS EVE**

CLARA . . . . . **NATALIE HILLIARD**  
FRITZ . . . . . TOBIAS BOYD  
DR. SMITH . . . . . KIEFER CURTIS  
MRS. SMITH . . . . . LAUREL DORN  
GUESTS . . . . . Jonas Godwin, Maggie-Kate Howard, Jilian Kossak  
Juliet Marinello, Rachel Robinson, Russell Schmidt  
CHILDREN . . . . . Baylin Adams, Ruby Bowen, Waverly Cooper  
Crawford Haupt, Cyrus Hipp, Nouh Moujeahid  
THE GRANDPARENTS . . . . . ELLA VOLPE, ANDREW DENISE  
TOY DOLL . . . . . EMILY FRETZ  
TOY SOLDIER . . . . . SHIMON ITO

## THE BATTLE

RAT KING . . . . . PIERSON HALL  
MICE . . . . . Zoey Anderson, Akirah Ankum, Elye Bailey, Mila Catlin, Adalyn Davis  
Rylee Davis, Ainsley Earnhart, Daisy Guo, Anthony Hoyos, Laurel Solomon  
BUNNIES, SOLDIERS, PUPPY, KITTEN, TEDDY BEARS . . . . . Kylie Ball  
Bennett Batts, Vera Bushmanova, Penelope Cody, Violet Copas  
Sophia Fain, Gloria Haupt, Olivia Marlowe, Caroline McBryde, Mayze Mehas  
Samia Moujahid, Kaitlyn Oktyabrsky, Emery Phillips, Ellie Prugh  
Hannah Regan, Jane Stevens, Jane Vetter, Clare Wismar

## THE LAND OF SNOW

NORTHWIND . . . . . **LUKE POTGIETER**  
SNOWFLAKES . . . . . **LAUREN WOLFRAM** with  
LAUREL DORN, SOFIA ROSE PEETOOM  
Emily Farrow, Esmelyn Hair, Zoe Harrel, Maggie-Kate Howard  
Juliet Marinello, Ling Minucci, Alexa Testa, Ella Volpe

## INTERMISSION

## ACT II: THE LAND OF SWEETS

SUGAR PLUM FAIRY . . . . . **MARGARET SEVERIN-HANSEN**  
TRUFFLES . . . . . Amanda Bowen, Brenna Bowen, Rachelle Burris, Liza Caron  
Mila Catlin, Gracelyn Green, Pricilla Haupt, Margaret Livingston, Olivia Marlowe  
Merry Grace Matthews, Caroline McBryde, Savannah McBryde  
CLARA . . . . . **NATALIE HILLIARD**  
THE NUTCRACKER PRINCE . . . . . **TRISTAN BOWEN**  
HOT CHOCOLATE . . . . . JILIAN KOSSAK, ELLA VOLPE  
ELYE BAILEY, RUSSELL SCHMIDT  
COFFEE . . . . . MIA DOMINI  
TEA . . . . . ANDREW DENISE  
TEA KIDS . . . . . Zoey Anderson, Isabelle Christine Baker  
CANDY CANES . . . . . JOSEPH GERHARDT, JONAS GODWIN, SHIMON ITO  
GUMDROPS . . . . . ANTHONY HOYOS with  
LING MINUCCI, AYL A O'DAY, SARAHANNE PEREL  
MOTHER GINGER . . . . . GARRETT WOOTEN  
COOKIES . . . . . Ruth Brady, Vera Bushmanova, Emani' Copeny, Rebecca Hair  
Malia Mann, Mayze Mehas, Hannah Regan, Avery Jane Thaxton  
CRYSTALLINE . . . . . **DEIRDRE SCANLON**  
FLOWERS . . . . . LAUREL DORN, ANNA INGOLD with  
Saskia de Muinck Keizer, Emily Fretz, Esmelyn Hair, Maggie-Kate Howard  
Daphne Little, Juliet Marinello, Fiona McKiernan, Alexa Testa  
SUGAR PLUM FAIRY . . . . . **MARGARET SEVERIN-HANSEN**  
with HER CAVALIER . . . . . **JAYSON PESCASIO**

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# NORTH CAROLINA SYMPHONY

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## **1st Violin**

Brian Reagin,  
*Concertmaster*

Jessica Hung,  
*Associate Concertmaster*

Anna Black,  
*Assistant Concertmaster*

Karen Strittmatter Galvin,  
*Assistant Concertmaster*

Jessica Ryou  
Emily Glover  
Paul Goldsberry

Lindi Wang  
Pablo Sánchez  
Maria Meyer  
Eileen Wynne  
Carol Chung

## **2nd Violin**

Jacqueline Saed Wolborsky,  
*Principal*

Tiffany Kang,  
*Associate Principal*

David Kilbride,  
*Assistant Principal*

Qi Cao  
Janet Hall  
Leah Latorraca  
Oskar Ozolinch  
Jeanine Wynton  
Chris Jusell

## **Viola**

Samuel Gold,  
*Principal*

Kurt Tseng,  
*Associate Principal*

Brian Sherwood,  
*Assistant Principal*

Petra Berényi  
Paul Malcolm  
Amy Mason  
Sandra Schwarcz  
Kirsten Swanson

## **Cello**

Bonnie Thron,  
*Principal*

Elizabeth Beilman,  
*Associate Principal*

Peng Li,  
*Assistant Principal*

Yewon Ahn  
David Meyer  
Lisa Shaughnessy  
Nathaniel Yaffe  
Marc Moskovitz

## **Bass**

Leonid Finkelshteyn,  
*Principal*

Bruce Ridge,  
*Associate Principal*

Craig Brown  
Erik Dyke  
John Spuller

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## **Flute**

Anne Laney,  
*Principal*

Carla Burns  
Vaynu Kadiyali

## **Piccolo**

Vaynu Kadiyali

## **Oboe**

Melanie Wilsden,  
*Principal*

Joseph Peters,  
*Associate Principal*  
Rachel Ahn

## **English Horn**

Joseph Peters

## **Clarinet**

Samuel Almaguer,  
*Principal*

Sammy Lesnick,  
*Assistant Principal*  
Anthony Taylor

## **Bassoon**

Wenmin Zhang,  
*Assistant Principal*  
Corinne Crowley

## **Horn**

Rebekah Daley,  
*Principal*  
Kimberly van Pelt,  
*Associate Principal*  
Corbin Castro  
Gabriel Mairson  
Bobby Malone

## **Trumpet**

Paul Randall,  
*Principal*

David Dash,  
*Associate Principal*

## **Trombone**

John Ilika,  
*Principal*

Steven Osborne,  
*Assistant Principal*

## **Bass Trombone**

Matthew Neff

## **Tuba**

Seth Horner,  
*Principal*

## **Timpani**

Peter Zlotnick  
Julia Thompson

## **Percussion**

Richard Motylinski,  
*Principal*

Rajesh Prasad,  
*Assistant Principal*

## **Harp**

Anita Burroughs-Price

## **Keyboard**

Karl Moraski