

The Nutcracker

Presented by
 PNC BANK

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Music: Pytor Ilyich Tchaikovsky

After a Libretto by Marius Petipa

Choreography: Zalman Raffael after Robert Weiss

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, Emily McGeehan

PROLOGUE: DROSSELMAYER'S TOY SHOP

UNCLE DROSSELMAYER **SOKVANNARA SAR**
HIS NEPHEW (THE NUTCRACKER) **CAMERON LEWIS**

ACT I: CHRISTMAS EVE

CLARA **WINNIE BUMGARNER**
FRITZ TOBIAS BOYD
DR. SMITH BILAL SHAKUR SMITH
MRS. SMITH LAUREN WOLFRAM
GUESTS Mia Domini, Maggie-Kate Howard, Anna Ingold
Jilian Kossak, Robert Champ, Joseph Gerhardt
CHILDREN Sydni Adams, Everett Cooksey, Rush Gordon
Natalie Hilliard, Olivia Penley, Asher Thigpen
THE GRANDPARENTS . . . SASKIA de MUINCK KEIZER, LUKE POTGIETER
TOY DOLL MCKENZIE VAN OSS
TOY SOLDIER JONAS GODWIN

THE BATTLE

RAT KING KIEFER CURTIS
MICE Elye Bailey, Daisy Bumgarner, Madison Clarke, Bryce Cockman
Ella-Ruth Graham, Harper Rickards, Jane Stevens, Emilie Thigpen
BUNNIES, SOLDIERS, PUPPY, KITTEN, TEDDY BEARS Ruth Brady
Waverly Cooper, Ainsley Earnhart, Charlotte Fishburn
Callaway Hoyle, Samantha Keefer, Samantha Larson, Meghan Rennell
Ava Robinson, Lilah Ross, Cora Shannon, Leonah Shivers

THE LAND OF SNOW

NORTHWIND **BRADEN HART**
SNOWFLAKES **LAUREN WOLFRAM** with
AYLA O'DAY, DEIRDRE SCANLON
Zoe D'Astolfo, Saskia de Muinck Keizer, Mia Domini, Heather Duncan
Zoe Harrel, Sofia Rose Peetoom, SarahAnne Perel, Anne Wright

INTERMISSION

ACT II: THE LAND OF SWEETS

SUGAR PLUM FAIRY **ASHLEY HATHAWAY**
TRUFFLES Avaley Angle, Ainsley Earnhart, Jailyn Fowler
Adalynn Komons, Cai Leaston, Cali Leaston, Scarlet LeRoux, Scarlett Mullinax
Ava O'Connor, Anna Robinson, Norah Stauffer, Jane Stevens
CLARA **WINNIE BUMGARNER**
THE NUTCRACKER PRINCE **CAMERON LEWIS**
HOT CHOCOLATE JILIAN KOSSAK, ELLA VOLPE
ELYE BAILEY, JONAS GODWIN
COFFEE SOFIA ROSE PEETOOM
TEA BRADEN HART
TEA KIDS Sydni Adams, Marlo Blue Gordon
CANDY CANES ROBERT CHAMP, KIEFER CURTIS
LUKE POTGIETER
GUMDROPS RACHEL ROBINSON with
EMILY FRETZ, SARAHANNE PEREL
COOKIES AND CHEFS Isabelle Christine Baker, Noël Cerveny, Violet Copas
Amber Hardy, Collins Hoyle, Regan Matthews, Sophia Pena, Cody Wallace
CRYSTALLINE **AYLA O'DAY**
FLOWERS MIA DOMINI, ANNA INGOLD with
Evey Britt, Zoe D'Astolfo, Saskia de Muinck Keizer, Heather Duncan
Emily Farrow, Zoe Harrel, Maggie Kate Howard, Talia Maszer
SUGAR PLUM FAIRY **ASHLEY HATHAWAY**
with HER CAVALIER **BILAL SHAKUR SMITH**