



*Performances at C.Y. Stephens Auditorium*

*Saturday, December 11th 1:00pm*

*Saturday, December 11th 7:30pm*

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# 2021 “NUTCRACKER” CAST

## PRODUCTION INFORMATION

**Backstage Policy** – To help alleviate congestion and make it easier for the cast to get ready for the show, parents will only be allowed backstage until 15 minutes before the start of the show. No one but working staff will be allowed backstage during intermission. Parents are allowed backstage after the show.

**Drop Off Location** – Enter by east stage door. DO NOT park in the loading zone!

**Videotaping Production Week** – Parents may videotape and/or take photos at rehearsals only. Dancers will be in costume during these rehearsals. Please refer to the rehearsal schedule for the days dancers will be in costume and makeup. PHOTO ACTIVITY MAY NOT INTERFERE WITH REHEARSALS.

**DVDs** – DVDs of each performance will be available for purchase. Please inquire at the Dancenter or backstage at Stephens Auditorium.

**Volunteers** – This year we are requiring the family of each cast member to provide volunteer help in lieu of supplemental participant fees. This additional help will keep our performances running smoothly and safely. A sign-up sheet is available online. An email was sent with the link you will need to use. There are specific assignments for each of the rehearsals at Stephens, as well as the performances.

**Misc. Information/Take Note** – Please leave all jewelry and other accessories that are not part of the *Nutcracker* performances at home. Also, there is to be no fingernail polish on your nails unless it is part of the performance.

**Gifting Table** – A gifting table is set up in the upstairs hallway. Please place flowers and all other gifts for fellow performers on this table. Please do not take flowers and gifts to dressing rooms.

**Only Authorized Persons Backstage** – 15 min prior and throughout all shows only badge holding authorized persons (volunteers) are allowed backstage.

**Nutcracker Policies & Procedures** – a complete listing of all Nutcracker policies and procedures regarding expectations for attendance, behavior, costume, and prop care and much more may be found at <https://rtdance.com/programs/nutcracker> in the downloads and resources section.

**Please know the daily rehearsal schedule listed on next three pages**



ARRIVAL TIME

**ACT II – Sun Cast (Plus SaE Fairy Godmother, Angels & Flowers)** .....7:30p

Mother Ginger, Angels and Puppets rehearse in this order:

1. Mother Ginger
2. Angels with Sun Fairy Godmother, then with SaE Fairy Godmother
3. Puppets

Angels and Mother Ginger Kids and Puppets may leave after they rehearse and are dismissed

- Complete work-through of Act II –in the following order
  - Opening
  - Closing
  - SaE Flowers
  - Sun Flowers
  - Spanish
  - Irish
  - Neapolitan
  - Arabians
  - Hungarians
  - Flutes
  - American
  - Chinese
  - Russian

**WEDNESDAY – COSTUMES MAKE-UP & HAIR - FOR ALL**

-Class on Stage (Snow and Act II Pointe & Advanced Dancers).....4:30p-5:15p

**ACT I – Sun & SaM Casts** ARRIVAL TIME ON-STAGE

-Party Scene .....5:15p.....6:00p

-Harlequins .....6:00p

-Battle Scene .....6:15p

-Snow.....7:00p.....7:30p

-**Sun Cast** – Party scene, Harlequins, Battle scene through sleigh ride

-**SaM Cast** – Party scene, Harlequins, Battle scene through Snow (Snow will rehearse SaM Cast)

**Rehearse SaM BOWS for Act I and Act II after Act I rehearses**

- Act I may leave after bows

ARRIVAL TIME

**ACT II – SaM Cast (Plus Sun Fairy Godmother, Angels & Flowers)**.....7:30p

Mother Ginger, Angels and Puppets rehearse in this order:

1. Mother Ginger
2. Angels with SaM Fairy Godmother, then with Sun Fairy Godmother
3. Puppets

- Angels, Mother Ginger Kids, and Puppets may leave after they rehearse and are dismissed
- Complete work-through of Act II run in order, run music for Mother Ginger and Puppets, to practice quick changes

- Opening
- Spanish
- Puppets (music only, no dancers)
- Irish
- Neapolitan
- Arabians
- Hungarian
- Flutes
- American
- Mother Ginger (music only, no dancers)
- Chinese
- Russian
- SaM Flowers
- Sun Flowers
- Closing

**THURSDAY – COSTUMES MAKE-UP & HAIR - FOR ALL**

**ACT I & ACT II SaE CAST**

	<u>ARRIVAL TIME</u>	<u>ON-STAGE</u>
-Class on Stage (Snow and Act II Pointe & Advanced Dancers).....		4:30p-5:15p
-Party scene, Harlequins, Battle Scene.....	5:15p.....	6:00p
-Snow and Act II.....	6:00p	

- Complete run-through of Act I
- **Rehearse BOWS for Act I and Act II immediately after Act I rehearses**
- Act I may leave after bows
- Complete run-through of Act II (in performance order)
  - Opening
  - Spanish
  - Puppets
  - Irish
  - Neapolitan
  - Arabians
  - Hungarian
  - Flutes
  - American
  - Mother Ginger
  - Chinese
  - Russian
  - Flowers
  - Closing
  - Grand Pas
    - Tarantella
    - Sugar Plum
    - Coda
  - Closing

**Friday –SNOW CANCELLATION DAY (*only have class and rehearsal listed below if necessary*)**

Class at South Dancer Center (Snow and Act II Dancers) 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Rehearsal at Stephens 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.



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## PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

ARRIVAL TIME      ON-STAGE

### **SATURDAY MATINEE (SaM Cast) – 1:00 P.M.**

- Class on Stage (Snow and Act II Pointe & Advanced Dancers).....11:00-11:45a
- Entire cast (except Angels, Mother Ginger Kids).....12:15p.....1:00p
- Angels and Mother Ginger Kids.....12:30p

### **SATURDAY EVE (SaE Cast) – 7:30 P.M.**

- Class on Stage (Snow and Act II Pointe & Advanced Dancers) .....5:30p-6:15p
- Entire cast (except Angels, Mother Ginger Kids).....6:45p.....7:30p
- Angels and Mother Ginger Kids.....7:00p

### **SUNDAY MATINEE (Sun Cast) – 1:00 P.M.**

- Class on Stage (Snow and Act II Pointe & Advanced Dancers) .....11:00-11:45a
- Entire cast (except Angels, Mother Ginger Kids).....12:15p.....1:00p
- Angels and Mother Ginger Kids.....12:30p



# 2021 "NUTCRACKER" CAST

Act 2 order of the Program

**Please check the Act II order carefully. If you have less than 8 minutes to change between roles, this is considered a quick change. Please print out this page, fill out the Quick-Change information on the bottom, and turn it in to Lisa Davis, the backstage coordinator, during production week (PRIOR to Saturday) in order to secure a space in the quick change area backstage during the performances.**

<b>1)</b>	<b>Opening</b>	<b>8:58</b>
	<b>Fairy Godmother Angels</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> 4 min</b>
<b>2)</b>	<b>Spanish</b>	<b>1:23</b>
<b>3)</b>	<b>Puppets</b>	<b>2:18</b>
<b>4)</b>	<b>Irish</b>	<b>4:21</b>
<b>5)</b>	<b>Neapolitan</b>	<b>3:17</b>
<b>6)</b>	<b>Arabian</b>	<b>3:13</b>
<b>7)</b>	<b>Hungarian</b>	<b>3:03</b>
<b>8)</b>	<b>Flutes</b>	<b>2:38</b>
<b>9)</b>	<b>American</b>	<b>2:36</b>
<b>10)</b>	<b>Mother Ginger</b>	<b>2:50</b>
<b>11)</b>	<b>Chinese</b>	<b>1:12</b>
<b>12)</b>	<b>Russian</b>	<b>1:21</b>
<b>13)</b>	<b>Flowers</b>	<b>6:59</b>
<b>14)</b>	<b>Grand Pas</b>	<b>4:34</b>
	<b>a) Tarantella</b>	<b>0:58</b>
	<b>b) Sugar Plum</b>	<b>2:31</b>
	<b>c) Coda</b>	<b>1:36</b>
<b>18)</b>	<b>Finale</b>	<b>5:11</b>
<b>19)</b>	<b>Bows</b>	<b>4:57</b>

**I have less than 8 minutes between the following roles:**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Role Prior to Quick Change** \_\_\_\_\_

**Role After Quick Change** \_\_\_\_\_

**HAVE A GREAT PERFORMANCE!**





# 2021 “NUTCRACKER” CAST

DRESSING ROOM ASSIGNMENTS-PLEASE USE YOUR ASSIGNED DRESSING ROOM

UPSTAIRS MEN’S DRESSING ROOM

ACT I Women

Frau and Women Guests  
Maids  
Clara and Friends  
Indian Boys  
Party Scene Dolls  
Female Soldiers  
Cavalry  
Battle Scene Dolls  
Mice (to do make-up)  
Little Mice Brigade  
Sweets

BASEMENT WOMEN’S ORCHESTRA ROOM

Angels  
Mother Ginger Kids  
Harlequins

STAGE LEVEL

ROOM 105

Snow

ROOM 109

Snow & Dew Drop

UPSTAIRS WOMEN’S DRESSING ROOM

ACT II Women

Arabian  
Flower Corp  
Russian  
Puppets  
Irish  
Chinese  
Hungarian  
Americans  
Spanish

BASEMENT MEN’S ORCHESTRA ROOM

ALL Men & Boys  
Mother Ginger  
Drosselmeyer  
First Lieutenant

STAGE LEVEL

ROOM 102

Nutcracker  
Mouse King

ROOM 104

Directors

Angels & Mice (Dress in Costumes in SW corner of backstage)

**PLEASE KEEP DRESSING ROOMS CLEAN & UNCLUTTERED**

**ALL COSTUMES SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE BASEMENT AFTER EACH REHEARSAL AND PERFORMANCE**

**TAKE UNNECESSARY ITEMS HOME AFTER EACH SHOW**



# 2021 “NUTCRACKER” CAST

## HAIR & COSTUME INFORMATION PERFORMERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN HAIR

### HAIR

#### -NO BANGS ALLOWED FOR ANY FEMALE DANCERS

-Clara’s Friends: Old fashioned curls (ringlets).

-Angels: Hair in bun. No braided buns. Halo needs to lie flat on top of head.

-Mother Ginger Kids: Hair in High bun. No braided buns.

-Puppets: Hair in higher-middle bun. No braided buns.

-Indian Boys: Hair in bun.

-Harlequins: Hair in bun.

-Soldiers: Bun must be directly on top of head so that hat covers it.

-Cavalry: Bun must be directly on top of head so that hat covers it.

-Mice: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Little Mice Brigade: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Battle Scene Doll: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Sweets: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Pointe Dancers: Hair in bun.

-Hungarians: Hair in bun.

-Irish: Hair in bun, with approved Irish hair piece.

-Arabians: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Americans: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Russians: Hair in higher-middle bun.

-Boys/Men: neatly trimmed, preferably off the ears and collar and out of the eyes.

-Please wear HAIRNETS over all buns. Please attempt to make bobby pins/hair pins as invisible as possible. (For example, use pins that match hair color.)

-Please bring your own combs, hairnets, hairspray and any other supplies needed to maintain your hair.

PLEASE DO HAIR AT HOME BEFORE COMING TO THEATRE!

### COSTUMES

All costumes and costume pieces should be returned to the basement after each dress rehearsal and performance. No costumes/pieces should leave Stephens. All dancers are responsible for all pieces and the condition of their costumes. Any lost pieces or damage to the costumes from negligence will be billed to you. NO EATING OR DRINKING while in costume (not even water)! Gauge your dressing time so you are not in costume for long periods before your entrance. Keep costumes on hangers and keep all pieces together. Please keep all tags pinned to the costumes even during performances and be sure to tuck tags in so they cannot be seen when costume is worn onstage. Wash hands thoroughly after applying make-up, before touching costumes!!

### MENDING LIST

A mending list will be posted on each dressing room door. Please list your name, the costume piece, and the problem following each rehearsal or performance, **including Sunday**. Be specific so the costume maintenance crew can help you. Always keep costumes on the hangers with your name tag clearly shown so the costume maintenance crew can find your costume to fix any problems.

### NO FOOD OR DRINK WHILE IN COSTUME

### COSTUMES MUST BE KEPT ON HANGERS WHEN NOT BEING WORN



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**LISTED IN THE CHART BELOW ARE THE PRODUCTS THAT EACH PART NEEDS TO PURCHASE.**  
**THESE ITEMS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE STORES LISTED BELOW.**  
**PLEASE NOTE THE BRAND NAME AND SPECIFIC COLOR.**

**You are responsible for bringing this make-up to dress rehearsal and all performances.**

BEN NYE PANCAKE MAKEUP & CRÈME CRAYON and MEHRON PANCAKE MAKEUP AVAILABLE AT: Theatrical Shop-Des Moines  
 COLORLESS SETTING POWDER (Required with Crème, optional otherwise) AVAILABLE AT: Theatrical Shop-Des Moines  
 ALMAY BLACK LIQUID EYELINER (#221) AVAILABLE AT: Target, Wal-Mart, K-Mart, Walgreen's, etc.  
 ARDELL BLACK EYELASHES AND EYELASH GLUE AVAILABLE AT: Sally's Beauty Supply  
 ALL LIPSTICKS AVAILABLE AT: Target, Wal-Mart, K-Mart, Walgreen's, etc. EXCEPT VANITY & GLAMOUR SHOP-Des Moines

Part	Lipstick/Other	Pancake Makeup	Black Eyeliner	Black Eyelashes	Eyelash Glue	Setting Powder	Blush/ Black Mascara
Americans	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Angels	Maybelline Super Stay Ink Crayon, Keep it Fun	Skin Tone	yes	Demi Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Arabians	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Ballerina Doll	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Lacies	yes	yes	you supply
Battle Scene Dolls	Black Lipstick (Get from Maureen)	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Chinese	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Clara	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Demi Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Clara's Friends	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Demi Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Flowers	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Flutes	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Fritz	Maybelline Super Stay Ink Crayon, Enjoy the View, 20	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Fritz's Friends	Maybelline Super Stay Ink Crayon, Enjoy the View, 20	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Harlequins	Vanity & Glamour Hot Gurl Summer Matte Liquid Lipstick; Other: Ben Nye Magic Color Crème White Crayon or Vanity & Glamour Clown White Longwear Cream	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Hungarians	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Indian Boys	Maybelline Super Stay Ink Crayon, Enjoy the View, 20	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Irish	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Maids	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Mice/Little Mice	Vanity & Glamour Hot Gurl Summer Matte Liquid Lipstick	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Moor Doll	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Mother Ginger Kids	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Demi Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Neapolitan	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Nutcracker	Maybelline Super Stay Ink Crayon, Enjoy the View, 20	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Party Guests-Men	Maybelline Super Stay Ink Crayon, Enjoy the View, 20	Skin Tone	yes	no	no	yes	you supply
Party Guests-Women	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Puppets	Vanity & Glamour Hot Gurl Summer Matte Liquid Lipstick	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Raggedy Ann Dolls	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Russians	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Snowflakes	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Soldiers/Cavalry	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Black Eyebrow pencil	no	yes	you supply
Spanish	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply
Sweets	Rimmel Lasting Finish Rosetto Rouge, 111; Other: Ben Nye Magic Color Crème White or Vanity & Glamour Clown White Longwear Cream	Skin Tone	yes	Wispies	yes	yes	you supply



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**FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF DANCEWEAR NEEDED FOR EACH ROLE.**  
**YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING THESE ITEMS.**

<b>Role</b>	<b>Tights</b>	<b>Shoes</b>	<b>Other</b> <u>Leotards Short Sleeve or Camisole</u>
Clara	Pink	Black (pink elastic) & Pink	Light colored Leotard
Clara’s Friends	Pink	Black Ballet (pink elastic)	Light colored Leotard
Fritz & Friends	Black	Black Ballet	
Women Guests	Black	Black Ballet	Any colored Leotard
Maids	Pink	Pink Pointe	Any colored Leotard
Men Guests	Black	Black Ballet or Jazz	White t-shirt
Drosselmeyer	White	Black Ballet	White t-shirt
Indian Boys	Pink	Gold Ballet (shoes sprayed gold by dancer & pink elastic)	Any colored Leotard
Moor Doll	Red	Black Pointe	Black Leotard
Harlequins	White	White Ballet	Black Leotard
Nutcracker	White	White Ballet	
Mice	Pink	Pink Ballet	Any colored Leotard
Little Mice Brigade	Black	Black Ballet	Nude/beige colored Leotard
Soldiers	Pink	Black Ballet	Nude/beige colored Leotard
1st Lieutenant	White	Black Ballet	Nude/beige colored Leotard
Cavalry	Black	Black Ballet	Nude/beige colored Leotard
Battle Scene Dolls	White	Black Ballet (white elastic)	Nude/beige colored Leotard
Sweets	White	White Ballet	Nude/beige colored Leotard
Mother Ginger Kids	Pink	Pink Ballet	Light colored Leotard-no sleeves
Angels	Pink	Pink Ballet	Light colored Leotard
Other Pointe Dancers	Pink	Pink Pointe	Pink Trunks or nude Leotard
Snow & Flowers	Pink	Pink Pointe	Pink Trunks
Spanish	Pink	Pink Pointe	Black Trunks or Bootie Shorts
Chinese	Pink	Pink Pointe	Black Leotard
Russian	White	White Lace-up Jazz	Light colored Leotard
Hungarian	Pink	White Jazz	Light colored Leotard
Americans	Light Suntan	Body tight Capezio 658 Caramel or Bloch S0392L/S0390L Tan	
Arabian	None	girls-Pink canvas split sole ballet shoes/boys-Barefoot	girls-skin-colored brief & Capezio #3683 bra
Puppets	Pink	Black Ballet (pink elastic)	Light colored Leotard
Irish	Light Suntan	Black Ghillies/Hard Shoes	Nude Leotard or dance bra, & black spandex bootie shorts