



# THE NUTCRACKER

PERFORMED AT THE VETERANS' MEMORIAL CENTER THEATRE, DECEMBER 19, 20, 21, AND 22, 1991

Director ..... Ann Smalley  
 Producer ..... Nancy Lewis-Mounce  
 Co-Producer ..... Connie Foppiano  
 Original Music ..... Peter Tchaikovsky

Inspired by the original 1816 E.T.A. Hoffman story "The Nutcracker and the Mouse King".

## TECHNICAL PRODUCTION STAFF

Technical Director ..... Marie Cummings  
 Stage Manager ..... Steve Inouye  
 Assistant Stage Manager ..... Lori Conrad  
 Audio Designer ..... James Lee  
 Audio Board Operator ..... Marie Cummings  
 Lighting Designer ..... Myvanwy Morgan  
 Lighting Consultant ..... Chris Wong  
 Lighting Assistant ..... Eric Hays  
 Light Board Operator ..... Myvanwy Morgan  
 Follow Spot ..... Paul Taffolla-Northcutt

## Set Construction Crew

Marie Cummings  
 Cindy Tsubaki  
 Brendan Duffy  
 Jarrod Sartain

Robert Schulz  
 Tom Hughes  
 Seth Duffey  
 Kerry Leek

## Stage Crew

Cindy Tsubaki  
 Rob Westergaard  
 Seth Duffey  
 Tom Hughes  
 Jarrod Sartain

Jerry Minamide  
 Debbie Cavalli  
 Brendan Duffey  
 Kris Day  
 Andrew Hendrix

## Special Thanks To:

UCD Drama Department, Darrell Winn; Acme Theatre Company, Dave Burmester; Tom Vinik; City of Davis Parks & Community Services Department; The Davis Enterprise; Lalaine Martell; Nancy Porter and all of the volunteers and parents who helped make this production possible.

Dear Friends:

This year marks the 15th Annual showing of the Davis Children's Nutcracker and my taking over as the show's producer. The Nutcracker has evolved from a cast of a few to nearly 240 children. The show's success can be accredited to the creativity of Bob Bowen, who was producer for 14 years, and the dedicated staff and volunteers.

We plan to carry on the tradition of providing an enjoyable and memorable theatre experience for children and their families. Thank you for being a part of this holiday presentation.

Best wishes to you in 1992!

NANCY LEWIS-MOUNCE, PRODUCER

## Video Production Crew

Executive Producer ..... Jon Lee  
 Producer ..... Robert Schulz  
 Director ..... Lori Aldrete  
 Technical Director ..... Lisa Kesti  
 Video Engineer ..... Dev Singh  
 Computer Graphics ..... Eric Spross  
 Audio ..... James Lee  
 Camera: Al Aldrete, Bob Bowen, Jon Lee, Robert Schulz

## Special Thanks To:

California Association of Hospitals and Health Systems - Lori Aldrete; Sacramento Community Cable Foundation - Dev Singh and Ron Cooper; Davis Community Television - Kari Peterson, Louis Brannaman, Aaron Vinck.

## COSTUME PRODUCTION STAFF

Costume Directors ..... Sydney Davis  
 Costume Crew ..... Nicole Orth, Pat Frieze,  
 ..... Susan Muramoto, Alma Gardner, Tom McNeill

## PRODUCTION COORDINATION STAFF

Group Staff Coordination ..... Connie Foppiano  
 ..... Julie Harris, Eric Alexander  
 House Manager ..... Kelly Buchanan  
 Properties Coordinator ..... Chris Agee  
 Group Photos Photographer ..... Karen Froyland  
 Group Photos Coordinator ..... Julie Harris  
 Assistant to the Director ..... Jenny Smalley  
 Ticket Sales .....  
 ..... Parks & Community Services Department Staff  
 Publicity ..... Nancy Lewis-Mounce

The Director wishes to thank: Nancy Lewis-Mounce, Connie Foppiano, Marie Cummings, Myvanwy Morgan, James Lee, Chris Wong, Julie Harris, Sydney Davis, Nicole Orth, Pat Frieze, Vikki Cerati, Elma Gardner, Susan Muramoto, Jennifer Zweig for special choreography and Ty Smalley.



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## CAST

Clara ..... Emily Hodell  
Fritz ..... Kellen Smalley  
Drosselmeyer ..... Matt Levin  
Mother ..... Meredith Riesner  
Grandmother ..... Christina Collins  
Grandfather ..... David Russell  
Nanny ..... Heather McGee  
Mouse King ..... James Curley  
Nutcracker/Prince ..... Mike Gardner  
Gnome King ..... John C. Perry  
Gnome Queen ..... Morgan Jenkins  
Gnome Dep. #1 ..... Dylan Adams  
Gnome Dep. #2 ..... Amanda Pittwood  
Jester #1 ..... Rachel Frieze  
Jester #2 ..... Lauren Keller  
Forest Fairy ..... Jennifer Muramoto  
Sugar Plum Fairy ..... Lisa Moering  
Sea Queen ..... Erin Rose Widner  
Narrator ..... Jenny Smalley  
Leaders: Lisa Wisner, Jennifer Zweig

### BIG PARTY GUESTS

Melody Browne, Caroline Chumo, Jason Frieze, Kevin Patterson, Maryssa Wanlass, Michelle Aldrete, Ashley McNaughton, Michael Gardner  
Leaders: Cecily Hitchcock, Eleanor Curry

### LITTLE PARTY GUESTS

Lindsey Bull, Michael Collett, Madelaine Fouts, Joshua Hollingsworth, Elisabeth Lieth, Clarissa Lyons, Bonnie J. Miller, Emily Moss, Lesley Naliboff, Alejandra Widner  
Leaders: Megan Harris, Deborah Shifrine

### MOUSEMAIDS

Jennifer Andrews, Julie Clark, Joanne Ene, Christie Geisler, Jamie Giantonio, Rebecca Gonsalves, Shannon Keane-Miller, Andrea Maher, Kelley McNaughton, Amy Spencer  
Leaders: Anne Biancalana, Jenny Sabatier

### DANCING DOLLS AND TEDDY BEARS

Maggie Collins, Jennifer DeGeorge, Daniel Lew, Dustin Medlock, Juan Miguel Medrano, Casey Keane Miller, Suzanne Plant, Frank Sousa, Chelsea Villanueva, Tracy Gorden, Susan Hart, Tara McDermott, Jessie Olson-Ealy, Elisabeth Patterson, Haley Phillips  
Leaders: Brenna Delapp, Heather Appell

### DANCING CATS

Melissa Chordas, Valerie Evans, Carly Hansen, Lindsay Quinn Holcrow, Blythe Lang, Sara McGee, Casey Medlock, Lindsay Simeone, Mieko Yokoi-Shelton  
Leaders: Sean Fuller, Meritt Davies

### MICE

Charles Arnold, Chris Beetley-Hagler, Kevin Cuckovich, Alex Douglas, Annie Goldbar, Chandra Green, Zac Handler, Chris Nelson, Emily O'Conner, Jeremy Schimmel, Amanda Sherburne, Brian Wilhelm, Michael Youmans  
Leaders: Daniel Wolk, Courtney Ford

### SOLDIERS

Scott Allen, Sam Bishop-Green, Travis Chunn, Matthew Crossman, Drew Cunningham, Kevin Garlick, Ryan Geiger, Josh Gerowitz, Andrew Hershberger, Kenny Imwinkelried, Paul Kesinger, Michael Krochta, Daniel Osier, Ian Schmidt  
Leaders: Patrick Fuller, Jean Larock

### GNOMES

### FROGS

### DANCING TREES

Tyler Bowen, Zachery Champion-Fritz, Scott Geiger, Jamie Hitchcock, Destiny Quinn Holcrow, Molly Imwinkelried, Greg Levin, Andrew Madsin, Carl Osier, Brian Russell, Brandon Stow, Jeffrey Wilhelm, Christopher Morrill, Adam Rifas, James Crowell, Daniel McClain  
Leaders: Heather Geis, Margaret Sallee

### SNOWFLAKE DANCERS

Nicole Barden, Emily Bennett, Sarah Crowell, Jacqueline Davis, Katie Day, Heidi Hershberger, Jennifer Hitchcock, Anna B. Johnson, Anna Kane, Amanda Kluk, Hayley Maclean, Alyssa Marois, Jenny Orazo, Amy von Rummelhoff, Laura Sitts, Kathleen Wiehle  
Leaders: Kara Steindorf, Sashia Cornes

### MERMAIDS

Amanda Brush, Jessy Chunn, Sarah DeGeorge, Kristin Geiger, Sonya Kluk, Emily Sousa, Sarah Tom,  
Leaders: Brenda Cameron, Sylvia Halk

### DANCING TREATS

Sara Albert, Kitri Bakay, Katy Byrns, Catherine Curley, Lisa Hamid, Anna Joy Thigpen HunOt, Meghan Kennedy, Heather Lee, Beth Lew, Beth Ann Nelson, Holly Ransom, Betty Sousa  
Leaders: Nora Jacobs, Jennifer Farver

### SPANISH DANCERS

Tristan Cooper, Meghan Covert, Nathan G. Johnson, Jesse Kaplan, Sam Laughlin, Tony Morain, Marissa Slavin, Casey M. Wilson  
Leaders: Tara Leachman, Erika Crowell

### CHINESE DANCERS

Katelin Eastman, Clarissa Gill, Rachel Kane, Julie Leonard, Sarah Neagley, Ashley Paiko, Lara Signor, Sarah Signor  
Leaders: Humphrey Lu, Melissa Neagley, Casey Salmoni

### RUSSIAN DANCERS

Benjamin Benson, Nick Buschman, Megan Fuller, Jason Halk, Erin Hart, Jake Heckathorn, Emily Henderson, Stacie Hitchcock, Sharon McClain, Michael McDermott, John Valenty, Sarah Carr West  
Leaders: Jeremy Fuller, Jessica Kane

### PENNYWHISTLES

Stacey Bowen, Stephanie Buckpitt, Dana Cheit, Annie Collins, Christina Evans, Mariah Phillips, Carolyn Plant, Sarah Sitts, Lisa Tweltridge, Stacey Yen  
Leaders: Stephanie Feekes, Debbie Lebeck

### GUMDROPS

Nicholas Benson, Jimmy Frink, Colleen Fuller, Ellen Hodell, David Moering, Clara Morain, Lily Nisen, Paddy O'Rourke, Kelly Robinson, Tamara Shkurkin  
Leaders: Colleen Bangle, Greg Cech, Sara Shackel

### CLOWNS

Jesse Bakay, Emily Carlson, Gordon Douglas, Heather Ernstrom, Devin Fuller, Maggie Goldbar, Jenni Harrison, Sarah King, Deanna Marotto, Jeff Muramoto, Laura Pascoe  
Head Clowns: Molly Goldbar, Jerri Ernstrom, Holli Ernstrom

### ARABIAN DANCERS

Willi Albert, Charles Badeker, Heather Bowen, Max Buschman, John Givens, Crystal Medlock, Karen Morriss, John Naliboff, Matthew Orazo, Anna Sousa, Geoffrey Winder, David Youmans  
Leaders: Katie Siefker, Stephanie Hill

### FLOWERS

Britany Adams, Elizabeth Benson, Meaghan Bull, Heather Halk, Kristin Hlubik, Ashlie Kittleson, Heather McCluskey, Amy Taylor, Merriss Waters, Alaina Woodard, Allison Young  
Leader: Anne Burns-Woodard