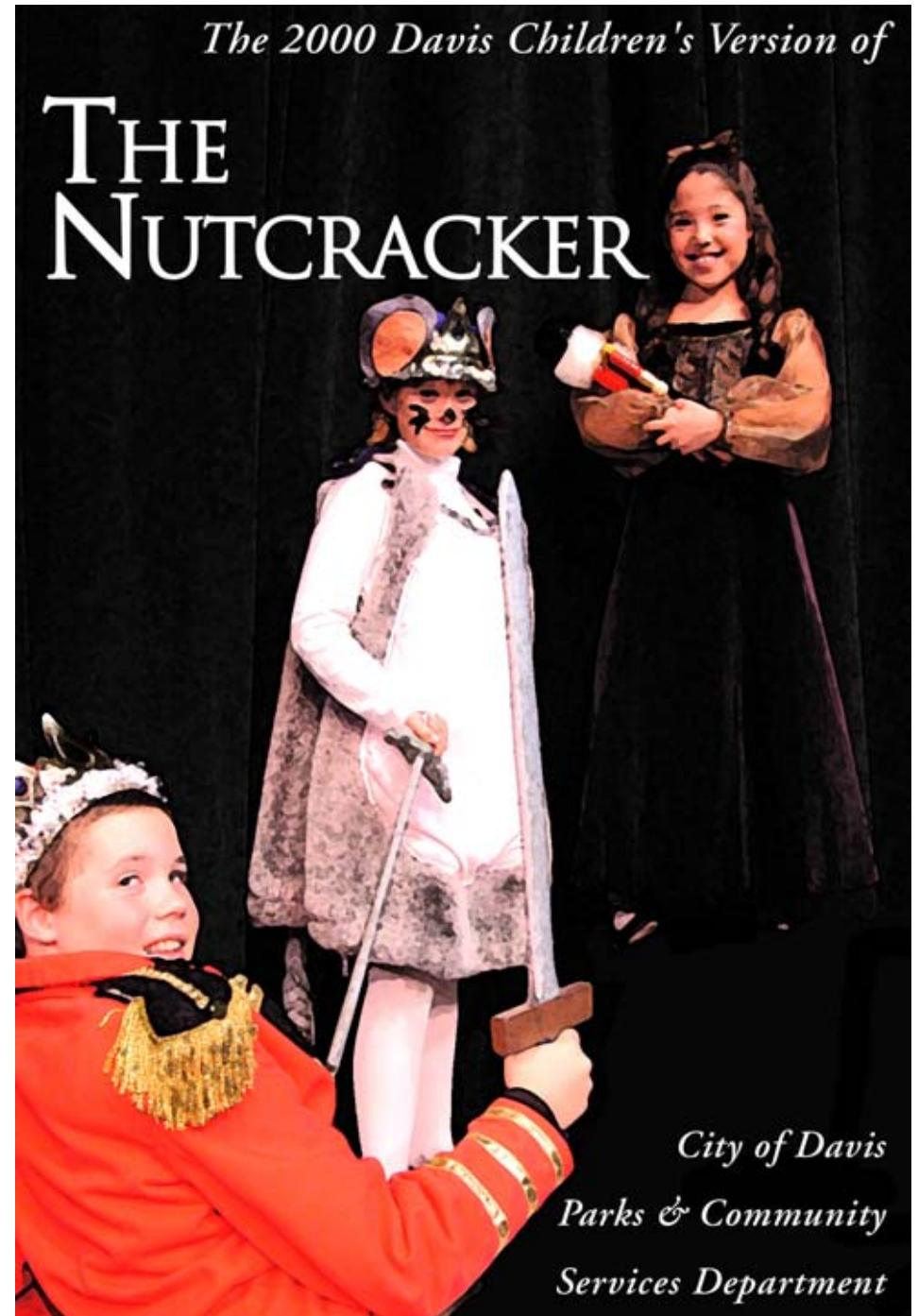
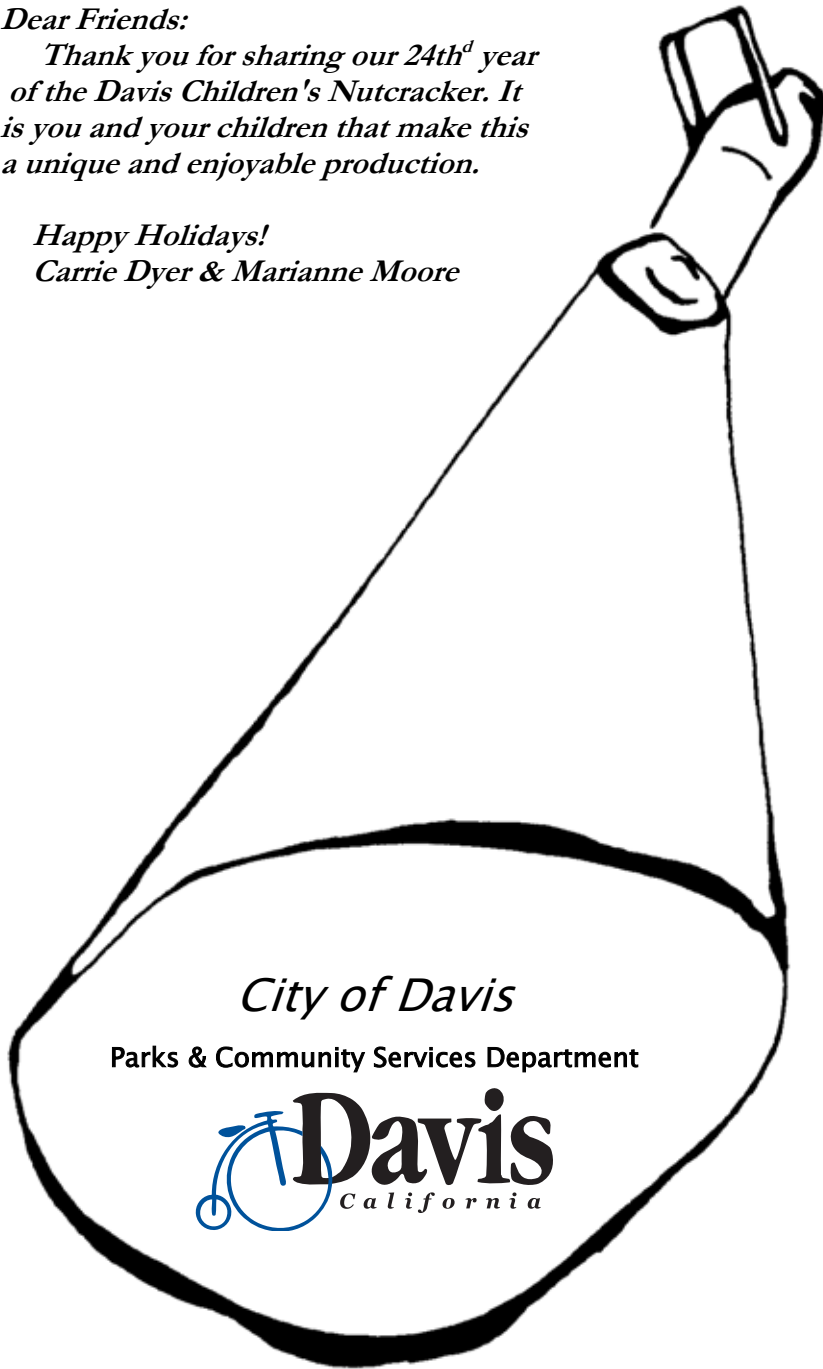


Dear Friends:

Thank you for sharing our 24th^d year of the Davis Children's Nutcracker. It is you and your children that make this a unique and enjoyable production.

Happy Holidays!

Carrie Dyer & Marianne Moore





The 2000 Davis Children's Nutcracker

The Nutcracker Story



PERFORMED AT THE VETERANS' MEMORIAL THEATER
DECEMBER 15TH, 16TH, 17TH, AND 18TH 2000

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

Director Ann Smalley
Producers Marianne Moore
..... Carrie Dyer
Original Music Peter Tchaikovsky

Technical Production Staff

Stage Manager Seth Duffey
Assistant Stage Manager Robert Schulz
Technical Directors Seth Duffey
..... Robert Schulz
Lighting Design Chris Wong
Lighting Technicians Nate Pihl
..... Brian Russell
..... Aaron Saylor
Light Board Operator Chris Wong
Audio Board Operator Derek Wydick
Head Set Operators Stacey Bowen
..... Liz Strayer

Costume Production Staff

Liz Shorts

Production Coordination Staff

House Manager Jennifer Pro
MPR Monitor Heather Bowen
Group Photos Karen Froyland
Video Production Tom Estes

Stage Crew

Alison Baird, Brendan Duffey, Seth Duffey, Brandon Hasegawa, Chris Hasegawa, Bethann Nelson, Khal Schnieder, Robert Schulz, Ryan Lee, Nate Pihl

Set Construction Crew

Brendan Duffey, Seth Duffey, Chris Wong, Ryan Lee, Derek Wydick

Based on the tale by E.T.A. Hoffman

"The Nutcracker" is a fairy tale about a young girl, Clara, and a very unusual Christmas. Her Drosselmeyer, the family friend, is a magical, mysterious character who attends the family Christmas party, bringing Clara a special gift -- a beautiful Nutcracker doll. Very excited about the new doll, Clara wants to stay up all night with it, but her family sends her off to bed. After everyone has left the party and her family is sound asleep, Clara sneaks back downstairs to look at her new Nutcracker doll. She falls asleep and begins to dream.

She is suddenly awakened by a roomful of mice led by a frightening Mouse King that tries to kidnap her and take her to his kingdom. Clara searches for her Nutcracker, but he has disappeared. Suddenly, the Christmas tree begins to grow to an enormous height. Everything in the room is out of proportion. The Nutcracker appears with a band of soldiers. They have come to save Clara from the Mouse King. A battle ensues. The soldiers and the mice fight a vicious battle, and when the Mouse King threatens the Nutcracker, Clara throws her shoe at the Mouse King. Distracted, he is finally defeated by the Nutcracker.

The Nutcracker Prince appears to take her away to his palace. They travel through the enchanted land of the Snowflakes to the land of the Sweets. Here, they meet delights from around the world. They are entranced by the Sugar Plum Fairy and the beautiful waltzing flowers. Clara never wants to leave the Prince or the enchanted land, but she awakens from her fascinating dream to find herself under the Christmas tree with her family and friends around her. She still has the Nutcracker Doll to help her remember her wonderful, magical Christmas.



Special Thanks To:

The Nutcracker Cast



City of Davis Parks & Community
Services Department

Lalaine Martell & The Veteran's Memorial Staff

Tom Vinik

Keri Hawkins

Martha Fiori

Ironing Team

Alison Baird	Bethann Nelson
Brandon Hasegawa	Terri Strack
Chris Hasegawa	Kelly Wilkerson

The Director Wishes To Give Special Thanks To:

Marianne Moore, Carrie Dyer, Seth Duffey, Liz Shorts, Chris Wong, The Stage Crew, The Set Crew, My Nursery School staff, and Ty Smalley

Leads

<i>Clara</i>	<i>Kara Brodie</i>
<i>Nutcracker/Prince</i>	<i>Brendan Gill</i>
<i>Fritz</i>	<i>Kyle Cherry</i>
<i>Mother</i>	<i>Caroline Hirst</i>
<i>Grandmother</i>	<i>Julia Larson</i>
<i>Grandfather</i>	<i>Jack Brazil</i>
<i>Drosselmeyer</i>	<i>Zachary Leuchars</i>
<i>Nanny</i>	<i>Monica Schmalenberger</i>
<i>Mouse Queen</i>	<i>Rebecca Loux</i>
<i>Sugar Plum Fairy</i>	<i>Camille Beaumont</i>
<i>Forest Fairy</i>	<i>Mollie Hope</i>
<i>Gnome Queen</i>	<i>Emily Whitcomb</i>
<i>Narrator</i>	<i>Kaitlyn Beesley-Campos</i>

*Leads Leaders: Ryan Witt, Lynae Anderson
Dance Lead Leaders: Amy Taylor, Susan Marshall*

Big Party Guests

*Adriana Conrad-Forrest, Emilie Johansson, Alexandra Leuchars, Lisa Soto, Kate Stephensen, Robert Blocham, Casey Bowman, Jake Christoffersen, Emmett Egan, Brendan Gill.
Leaders: Jeremy Hasegawa, Lindsay Conners, Padraic Wheeler*

Little Party Guests

*Meredith Conrad-Forrest, Katherine Eadie, Rachel Hirst, Carmelle Hyson, Rachel Pinto, Erin Savoia, Katelyn Yeaman, Austin Barden, Taylor Moseanko, Tyler Raabe.
Leaders: Brandon Stow, Eric Drobney, Brooke Agee*

Mice

*Julianna Arvin, Masba Gallant, Jennie Hawkins, Anna Juchau, Autumn LaBourdette, Allison Loux, Brianna Sperry, Ellen Suder, Matthew Austin, Jacob Dunaway, Kevin Green, Garrett Hosley, William Kiltz, Thomas Privalsky, Kyle Riordan, Logan Winfield.
Leaders: Christie Geisler, David Moering, Katy Byrns*

Soldiers

*Lucas Brattesani, Brandon Crawford, James Gomez, Christian Hoschek, Andrew Johansson, Caleb Kalisher, Ryan McBride, Mark Miura, Scott Perry, Scott Raber, Aren Torres, Braeden Van Deynze.
Leaders: Forrest Kitlas, Cassie Hill, Frank Sousa*



The Nutcracker Cast

Mousemaids

Hannah Bechtold, Carmen de la Cruz, Ciara Hale, Heather Hosley, Ayala Kalisher, Amanda Larson, Sarah Robinson, Ellery Anne Smith.

Leaders: Brianna Gaard, Leah Neundorfer, Lauren Seabury

Dolls and Bears

Jacque Barreto, Maya Bolanos-Kellison, Emily Dimond, Zoe Henry, Bridget Hinton, Briana Sberlock, Fiona Cameron, Carly Galbraith, Emily May, Kayla McCarty, Katherine Mills, Patric Kreidler, Matthew O'Sullivan, Kyle Saltveit, Matthias Wilken, Brett Worley.

Dolls Leaders: Emily Drobney, Maia Barron, Kate Sturla

Bears Leaders: Nicole Barden, Rachel Cosca, Jessica Gould

Cats

Astrid Aune, Emily Bowers, Jessica Campbell, Loren Cherry, Shayne Dante, Antonia Darragh, Elizabeth Fung, Naomi Hester, Corey Leuchars, Caitlyn Rio Smith.

Leaders: Caitlin Hogan, Breanne Kennedy, Amanda Scott

Gnomes

Peter Makela, Kelly Chang, Kiah Summers, Tyler Dunaway, Daniel Hansen, Berkeley Hirsch, Alexander Kass, Evan Keane, Kyle Mitchell, Luke Palmer, Patrick Roughton, Jack Schilling, Karl Schmiegel, Jesse Simons, Lucas Tuttle.

Leaders: Rachel Bertolani, Taryn Rose, Ricky Martin, Lauren Henning

Snowflakes

Bronnyn Burns, Margaret Campos, Jamie Eastman, Maggie Gilbreath, Carly Gobring, Emily Kratzer, Rose Leander, Alexandria Makela, Lily Noa-Roberts, Midushi Pandey, Monica Quinn, Sarah Schwartz, Caitlin Ware, Catherine White.

Leaders: Heather Lee, Meghan Covert, Julia Christian

Swing Dancers

Hannah Bechtold, Lindsay Johansson, Laura Karoly, Liesl Knoesen, Alison Moriel, Daniel Barden, Andrew Barnhart, Torsten Christian, Kurt Schmiegel, Joe Sturla.

Leaders: Jenny Smalley, Allese Thomson

Jesters and Treats

Brittney Bentley, Megan Buchanan, Jenny Farman, Megan Graham, Anna Langewiesche, Alison Levin, Lynnea Ormiston, Natalie Quinn, Halley Rainer, Linnea Ransom, Kathleen Stanzler, Abigail Whitcomb.

Leaders: Karyn Morriss, Jeremy Schimmel, James Henderson

Spanish Dancers

Claire Hoogenboom, Rachel Schwartz, Jenna Strack, Moira Wood, Ian Cameron, Isiah Hale, Bryan Soto.

Leaders: Alex Douglas, Marrassa Tidrick, Selina Eadie

The Nutcracker Cast



Chinese Dancers

Kelsey Bair, Britta Burtis, Morgan Carr, Kaylor Glassman, Whitney Hillis, Sara Nieves, Lydia Velinsky, Anna Wilen, Renée Worley.

Leaders: Becky Beaman, Melissa Kirkpatrick, Sasha Zazzi

Russian Dancers

Avalon Harder, Jocelyn LaBelle, Korinne LaBourdette, Valerie Lee, Maddy Sides, Jasmine Strode-Elfant, Shane Austin, Nate Dunaway, Martin Hansen, Dard Hunter, Tyler Raber, Joshua Stonnie.

Leaders: Erik Hope, Sarah Anderson, Nate Conrad-Forrest

Bakers

Amanda Bistolfo, Kelsey Boulanger, Bonnie Burtis, Janelle Crossman, Amanda Ferguson, Kaitlin Fuller, Lauren Kass, Katharine Larson, Ann Loft, Katy Noa-Roberts, Julie Peri, Christina Strategos, Lisa Voelker, Rachel Winfield.

Leaders: Sharon McClain, Samantha Murphy, Elizabeth Bertolani

Gumdrops

Lauren Blackwell, Lauren Boulanger, Kelly Chuck, Taylor Djuntorum, Caitlin Glassman, Emilia Hamilton, Emma Hunter, Elizabeth Lawson, Allie Premzic, Madelyn Roblee, Chloe Shorts, Indi Vaughn-Ralston.

Leaders: Katie Shuis, Shannon Fuller, Tom Sprankling (Mother Marshmallow)

Clowns

Maggie Bloxham, Emeri Callahan, Sarah Eadie, Bridget Egan, Briana Flin, Madelin Hall, Stephanie Manzano, Ashley Martin, Jenifer Palmer, Molly Pon, Alyssa Scott, Emma Shorts, Cameron Bowers, Trevor Cecil, Nelson Hosley, Michael Neundorfer, Davey Ware, Sam Wheeler, David White, Tyler Wilkin.

Leaders: Betty Sousa, Chris McDonald, Holly Rose

Arabian Dancers

Katherine Gobring, Katie Leander, Kati Loux, Will Bowman, Soren Christian, James Glover, Aaron Juchau, Matthew Langewiesche, Joey Moseanko, Eli Shkufkin, Dylan Weiss.

Leaders: Brandon Stow, Maggie Collins, Sarah Pon

Flowers

Tara Akkari, Tara Alemi, Laurel Ormiston, Molly Raney, Emily Taylor, Kathryn Taylor.

Leaders: Ashley Redmann, Carolyn Taylor

