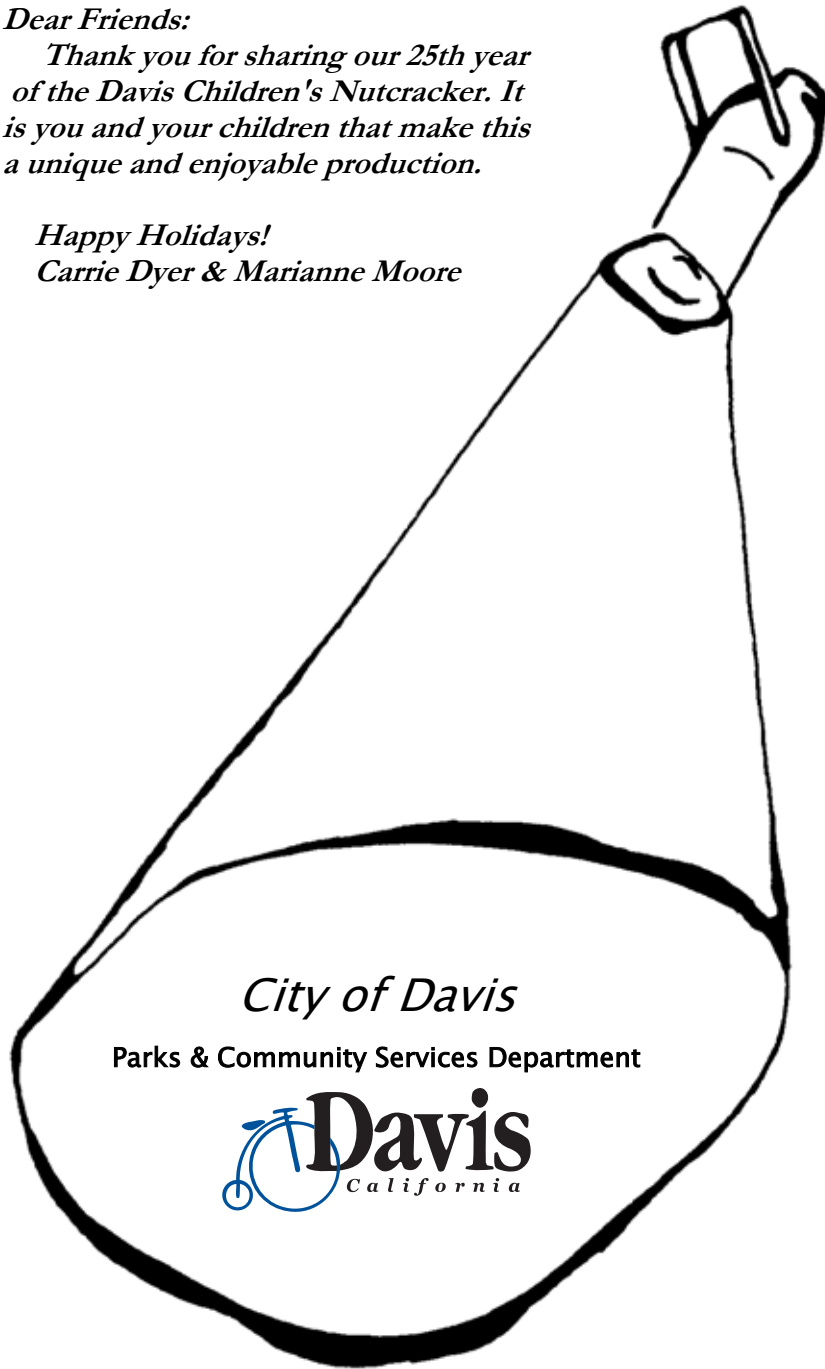


Dear Friends:

Thank you for sharing our 25th year of the Davis Children's Nutcracker. It is you and your children that make this a unique and enjoyable production.

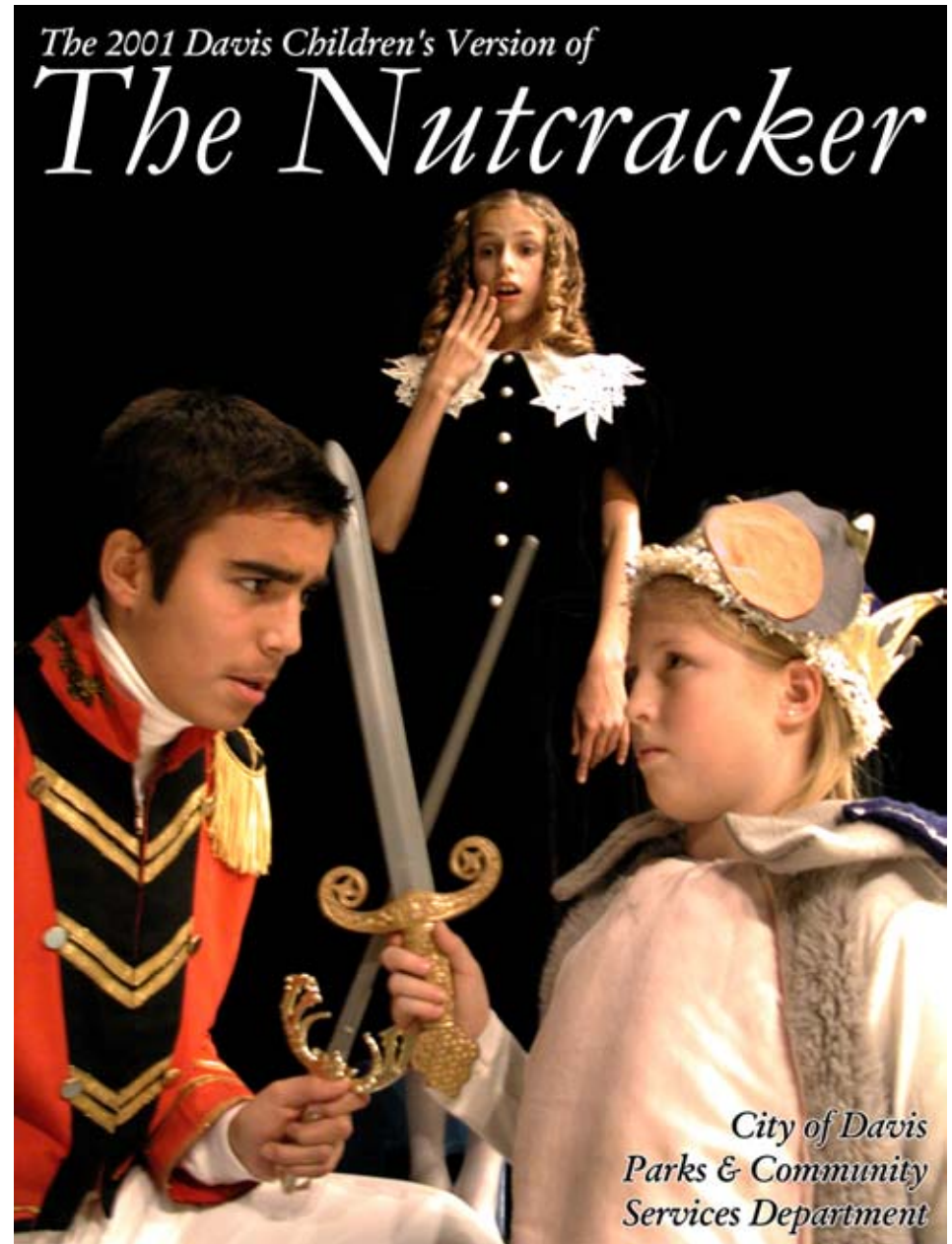
Happy Holidays!

Carrie Dyer & Marianne Moore



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The 2001 Davis Children's Nutcracker

The Nutcracker Story



PERFORMED AT THE VETERANS' MEMORIAL THEATER
DECEMBER 15TH, 16TH, 17TH, AND 18TH 2001

*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 Jennifer Pro
Technical Directors Seth Duffey
..... Robert Schulz
Lighting Design & Director Chris Wong
Lighting Technicians Nate Pihl, Dan Macht,
..... Chris Liaghat-Schmidt, Tarra Stevenson
..... Scott Sullens, Al Roundtree, Jake Stoebel
Light Board Operator Josh Neilson
Audio Board Operators Derek Wydick, Patrick Newton
Head Set Operators Amy Taylor
..... Heather Bowen

Theater Operations Manager

Greg Wersching

Costume Production Staff

Diana Raabe, Joanne Valerio

Production Coordination Staff

House Manager Jennifer Pro
MPR Monitor Lisa Moering
Costume Monitor Stacey Bowen
Group Photos Karen Froyland
Video Production Tom Estes

Stage Crew

Chris Agee, Seth Duffey, Daniel Lew, Nate Pihl, Khal Schnieder,
Robert Schulz, Brandon Stow

Set Construction Crew

Katy Byrns, Seth Duffey, Patrick Newton, Jennifer Pro, Khal Schneider,
Brandon Stow, Chris Wong, Derek Wydick, André Varese

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
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Veterans Memorial Theater Staff

Tom Vinik

Ironing Team

Keri Hawkins	Mi Sun Kang
Colleen Kreidler	Maria MacNeil
John Oberholtzer	Diana Raabe
Doris Rakitan	Joanne Valerio

The Director Wishes To Give Special Thanks To:

Marianne Moore, Carrie Dyer, Seth Duffey, Diana Raabe, Joanne Valerio, Jennifer Pro, Chris Wong, The Stage Crew, The Set Crew, My Nursery School staff, and Ty Smalley

Leads

<i>Clara</i>	<i>Katy Noa-Roberts</i>
<i>Nutcracker/Prince</i>	<i>Ian Rothman</i>
<i>Fritz</i>	<i>Luke Palmer</i>
<i>Mother</i>	<i>Jana Winternitz</i>
<i>Grandmother</i>	<i>Kara Brodie</i>
<i>Grandfather</i>	<i>Kyle Cherry</i>
<i>Drosselmeyer</i>	<i>Brendan Gill</i>
<i>Nanny</i>	<i>Janelle Crossman</i>
<i>Mouse Queen</i>	<i>Julia Spangler</i>
<i>Sugar Plum Fairy</i>	<i>Kathryn Taylor</i>
<i>Forest Fairy</i>	<i>Tara Alemi</i>
<i>Gnome Queen</i>	<i>Rackel Perlman</i>
<i>Narrator</i>	<i>Caroline Hirst</i>

*Leads Leaders: Karyn Morris, Chris McDonald
Dance Lead Leaders: Megan Covert, Christine Coolruis*

Big Party Guests

*Jean Coleman, Kyle Cherry, Wyatt Floerke, Nelson Hosley, Paul Kreun, Taylor Powell, Tyler Raber, , Laura Sadler, Karl Schmiegel, Robyn Shelly Mabr, Kate Stephensen, Emily Whitcomb
Leaders: Leah Neundorfer, Eric Drobny, Julia Anderson*

Little Party Guests

*Lauren Boulanger, Taylor Difuntorum, Anthony Fernandez, Maggie Gilbreath, Rebecca Moore, Alexandria Muller, Halley Rainer, Lauren Blackwell
Leaders: Emily Drobny, Frank Sousa, Bonnie Burtis*

Mice

*Julianna Arvin, Briana Campos, Alexander Chapp, Hannah Gillis, Ashley Hickman, Thomas Hoogenboom, Zoe Malot, Timothy McIntyre, Brandon Meyer, Kimia Nader, Brenna Perlman, Sara Pesavento, Adam Raabe, William Sharp, Jennifer Silva, Amelia Stanley
Leaders: Rickey Martin, Lauren Henning, Torsten Christian*

Soldiers

*Matthew Austin, Joey Bashore, Nathan Curry, Benjamin Eckels, Noah Friedman, John Greer, Alexander Lee, Thomas Privalsky, Ryan Reedy, Kyle Riordan, Kyle Saltveit, Brett Worley
Leaders: Erik Hope, James Henderson, Daniel Barden*



The Nutcracker Cast

Mousemaids

Logan Davis, Kaitlin Fuller, Katie Kratzer, Ellen McGrew Bayon, Meghan Robertson, Karleigh Rose, Briana Sherlock, Elizabeth Tripp

Leaders: Megan Fuller, Shannon Fuller, Annemieke Hopmans

Dolls and Bears

Chrissi Carr, Lizzy Conan, Laura Cripe, Lynzee Kornely, Emily Kratzer, Catherine White, Claire Coleman, Caitlin Glassman, Gaia Mabr-Tonachini, Rigel Navarro, Marea Newell, Aubrey Pelz, Angela Rothman, Sally Spinardi

Dolls Leaders: Amanda Scott, Lauren Seabury

Bears Leaders: Kate Sturla, Melissa Kirkpatrick

Cats

Caitlin Anderson, Kelsey Bair, Julia Birt, Alyssa Hendricks, Anna Juchau, Jessica Lowry, Carmela Padilla, Colette Roblee, Amber Saunders, Morgan Smith

Leaders: Rachael Cosca, Brooke Agee, Janine Hopmans

Gnomes

Jacque Arvin, Olivia Bonner, Kyle Cameron, Ian Cameron, Charlie Duke, Nicolette Gmoser-Daskalakis, Kian Kelsch, Emma Lantz, Sterling Melcher, Kesy Paulson, Scott Perry, Alyssa Scott, David Smith, Aren Torres, Maddie Trost

Leaders: Chris Hasegawa, David Moering, Danielle Stromgren

Snowflakes

Sarah Sadler, Haley Cameron, Clarissa Chau, Kelly Chuck, Krista Chun, Sianna de la Cruz, Rowan Foley, Carly Galbraith, Gretchen Huston, Codie Kamisky, Risa Pesavento, Madelyn Roblee, Anna Sturla

Leaders: Katy Byrns, Sasha Zazzi, Mollie Hope

Swing Dancers

Maggie Bloxbam, Jack Brazil, Britta Burtis, Soren Christian, Jake Christoffersen, Tyler Dunaway, Dylan Harper, Julie Larson, Julia Peri, Chelsea Reilly, Joe Sturla, David White

Leaders: Christie Geisler, Nicole Barden, Elise Nedwin

Bugs, Bees, & Insects

Laura Aptekar-Cassels, Elias Baer, Alexandra Barbaria, William Hawkins, Nicholas Juanitas, Alina Lusebrink, Audrey McNamara, Katherine Mills, Tommy North, Allie Premzic, Sachi Wong, Sachi Wong, Jacob Wright, Madison Yeaman

Leaders: Forrest Kitlas, Samantha Murphy, Lindsay Thompson

Spanish Dancers

James Gomez, Rachel Hirst, Richard MacNeil, Miley Meads, Kody Moynihan, Lily Noa-Roberts, J. T. Rakitan, Anieli Ruiz

Leaders: Caitlyn Hogan, Padraic Wheeler, Kati Loux

The Nutcracker Cast



Chinese Dancers

Julia Ainsworth, Avalan Harder, Savannah Kopp, Moriah Malot, Clair Premzic, Linnea Ransom, Megan Rodman, Hilary Teaford, Nora Unkel

Leaders: Breanne Kennedy, Selina Eadie, Allie Nedwin

Russian Dancers

Baxter Bunfill, Meredith Conrad Forrest, Payton Davis, Katherine Eadie, Garrett Hosley, Emma Hunter, Andrew Johansson, Patric Kreidler, Rose Leander, Brenna Mockler, Kyle Pinch, Erin Savoia

Leaders: Becky Beaman, Tom Sprankling, Lindsay Nedwin

Bakers

Morgan Appezato, Holly Bashore, Adriana Conrad-Forrest, Sarah Eadie, Briana Flin, Emilie Johansson, Ann Loft, Rebecca Loux, Racheal Mack, Molly Pon, Hannah Rokni, Hannah Trost, Renee Worley, Anna Wilem

Leaders: Maggie Collins, Sarah Anderson, Sarah Pon

Gumdrops

Lucy Brazil, Danika Carlisle, Lyndsay Carpenter, Abbi Furlow, Madeline Kelsch, Kiyo Nishiyama, Jasmine Prat, Shelby Stahl, Mother Marshmallow – Forrest Kitlas

Leaders: Julia Christian, Holly Rose, Elizabeth Bertoloni

Clowns

Shane Austin, Matt Cosca, Ria Domier, Jacob Dunaway, Nate Dunaway, April Esser, Isiah Hale, Marty Hansen, Claire Hoogenboon, Kelsey Kornely, Jessica Lawrence, Allison Loux, Emily Peri, Tyler Raabe, Scott Raber, Jenna Strack, Christina Strategos, Charlotte Ter Haar, Jase Thomson, Heidi Voelker

Leaders: Megan Fuller, Brandon Hasegawa, Zoe Kemmerling

Arabian Dancers

Brandon Bunfill, Meeka Craig, Amory Gentles, Harry Greer, Dard Hunter, Carmelle Hyson, Liesl Knoesen, Alison Moriel, Sarah Robinson, Patrick Roughton, Alora Saunders, Jesse Simons, Noelle Thomson, Jennifer Tripp, Sam Wheeler

Leaders: Alex Douglas, Jessica Gould, Amanda Larson

Flowers

Tara Alemi, Emily Taylor, Erin Carpenter, Sarah Melcher, Kelsey Moore, Tara Newell, Holly Newell, Monica Schmalenberger, Kathryn Taylor

Leaders: Heather Lee, Carolyn Taylor, Alyssa Russell