

# OPEN AUDITIONS

## TCHAIKOVSKY'S *The Nutcracker*

**WHAT:** Auditions for Ballet Northwest's *The Nutcracker* and Ballet Northwest's 2018 - 2019 *Company*.

**WHEN:** Saturday Sept. 22nd  
**3:00pm:**  
Company auditions, ages 12 and up

**4:30pm:**  
*The Nutcracker* auditions, ages 8-10

**6:00pm:**  
*The Nutcracker* auditions, ages 11 and up  
(*non-company Community Cast*)

**WHERE:** Johansen Olympia Dance Center  
412 Jefferson Street SE  
Olympia, WA 98501

**WHO:** Dancers must be age 8 by August 31 to audition for *The Nutcracker*. To audition for the Ballet Northwest Company, dancers must be age 12 by August 31 and enrolled in at least two intermediate ballet classes a week at any studio. Company members perform in *The Nutcracker* as well as *Don Quixote* in May, 2019

**HOW:** Bring a signed application and waiver, downloaded from [www.balletnorthwest.org/audition.html](http://www.balletnorthwest.org/audition.html)

Nutcracker Community  
Cast Participation Fee: \$150

BNW Company Participation Fee  
(includes *Nutcracker*): \$400

*Limited financial aid and family discounts  
are available for both casts.*

For more details  
and an application form,  
visit: [www.balletnorthwest.org](http://www.balletnorthwest.org)  
or e-mail [directors@balletnorthwest.org](mailto:directors@balletnorthwest.org)

### OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, September 23rd  
3:00pm - Company  
*Nutcracker* callbacks

Saturday, September 29th  
*The Nutcracker* rehearsals begin  
**DANCER CONTRACTS DUE**

4:30<sup>pm</sup> - *Company Cast*  
**Parent Meeting**

6:00<sup>pm</sup> - *Community Cast*  
**Parent Meeting**

Performances of *The Nutcracker*  
at the Washington Center  
for the Performing Arts:  
**December 7-16, 2018**

Performances of *Don Quixote*  
at the Washington Center  
for the Performing Arts:  
**May 10-12, 2019**



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