INTERNATIONAL BALLET THEATRE

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR | VERA ALTUNINA



As the International Ballet Theatre will sadly miss the opportunity to present our traditional production of *The Nutcracker* due to the pandemic, our Theatre has been thinking of ways to still share the Christmas magic that comes from this historic performance. The International Ballet Theatre is happy to invite you to join us for our *2020 Nutcracker Workshop*! In partnership with the International Ballet Academy, *The Nutcracker Workshop* will give dancers of all ages within our community a chance to experience the artistry and Christmas wonder of *The Nutcracker* in two very different and unique ways.

I. **The Nutcracker Original Production:** This part of the workshop will explore the choreography of the original *Nutcracker* production first presented by the Mariinsky Theatre in 1892. Participants will have a chance to learn original variations as they were performed more than 100 years ago!

II. **The Jazz Nutcracker:** A unique approach to a Christmas classic, *The Jazz Nutcracker* will allow dancers of all ages to experience *The Nutcracker* with the musical arrangements of Luis Armstrong. The variations from the original production will be updated to fit our contemporary time.

When both of these incredible workshops are combined, dancers will get a glimpse of the evolution of dance over the years. *The Nutcracker Workshop* is offered in-person at IBA Studio in Bellevue.
At the end of the workshop, dancers will stage a performance at the IBA studio for viewers to watch through the IBA zoom platform.

Children's Workshop: **DATES: Mon - Wed, Dec 28 - 30, 2020** **TUITION: $180**

AGES	TIMES DAILY	EXPERIENCE
Ages 4 – 6 years old	10:00 - 11:00 AM	No experience necessary
Ages 7 – 9 years old	11:30 - 1:00 PM	Minimum experience required
Ages 10-11 years old	1:30 - 3:00 PM	Minimum experience required

Intensive Workshop: **DATES: Mon - Wed, Dec 28 - 30, 2020** **TUITION: $295**

AGES	TIMES DAILY	EXPERIENCE
Ages 12 – 14 years old	10:30 - 1:30 PM	Dance experience required
Ages 15 years & older	11:00 - 2:00 PM	Dance experience required

Open Workshop: **DATES: Mon - Wed, Dec 28 - 30, 2020** **TUITION: $170**

AGES	TIMES DAILY	EXPERIENCE
Adults of all ages	6:00 - 7:30 PM	No experience necessary

Workshop Teachers and Choreographers

Intensive Workshop: Mrs. Vera Altunina & Mr. Jerry Tassin
Children's Workshop: Ms. Anna - Marie Kool
Open Workshop: Mrs. Vera Altunina, Mr. Jerry Tassin, & Ms. Anna - Marie Kool

A $50 registration fee is required for all workshops. No audition is required.
Space is limited and not guaranteed. Registrations are due by December 18, 2020.