

OPEN AUDITIONS

TCHAIKOVSKY'S *The Nutcracker*

WHAT: Auditions for Ballet Northwest's The Nutcracker and Ballet Northwest's 2017 - 2018 Company.

WHEN: **Saturday Sept. 23rd**
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 *Swan Lake* in May, 2018

HOW: Bring a signed application and waiver, downloaded from www.balletnorthwest.org/audition.html

Nutcracker Community
Cast Participation Fee: \$150

BNW Company Participation Fee
(*includes Nutcracker*): \$300

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

For more details
and an application form,
visit: www.balletnorthwest.org
or e-mail directors@balletnorthwest.org

OTHER DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, September 24th
3:00pm - Company
Nutcracker callbacks

Saturday, September 30th
The Nutcracker rehearsals begin
DANCER CONTRACTS DUE

4:00^{pm}-6:00^{pm} - Community Cast
Volunteer Training
& Parent Meeting

5:00^{pm}-7:00^{pm} - Company Cast
Volunteer Training
& Parent Meeting

Performances of *The Nutcracker*
at the Washington Center
for the Performing Arts:
December 8-17, 2017

Performances of *Swan Lake*
at the Washington Center
for the Performing Arts:
May 11-13, 2018



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