

THE NUTCRACKER

Open Auditions for the 2017 Production

Schaumburg Dance Ensemble will be holding auditions and rehearsals for select scenes in *The Nutcracker* at the **Dance Academy of Libertyville**. Rehearsals will be held primarily on Sunday afternoons at the Academy.

Staging and choreography by Michele Leslie Holzman, Lisa Sheppard, and Alberto Arias.

The 2017 run will include twelve performances featuring over 100 dancers. Child and adult roles are available.

Performances will be held at the Schaumburg Prairie Center for the Arts.

Audition Dates

at the Dance Academy of Libertyville

Friday, August 18

5:15 pm - 6:30 pm Ages 8 - 10

Minimum 1 year classical ballet training
(8 years old by 10/1/17)

6:30 pm - 6:45 pm

Parent meeting for 8-10 and 11-13 year-olds

6:45 pm - 8 pm Ages 11-13

Minimum 2 years classical ballet training

8 pm - 9:15 pm 13+

Intermediate/advanced. Minimum 3 years classical
ballet training

9:15 pm - 9:30 pm

Parent meeting for 13+ year-olds

Sunday, August 27

at the Schaumburg Prairie Center for the Arts

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Callbacks by invitation

Callbacks are mandatory for participation.

Production Week and Performance Dates

at the Schaumburg Prairie Center for the Arts

Production Week

November 26 - November 30

Thursday, November 30 - Two full dress rehearsals

12 Performances

Friday, Dec. 1 9:45 am* and 7:30 pm

Saturday, Dec. 2 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm

Sunday, Dec. 3 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm

Friday, Dec. 8 9:45 am* and 7:30 pm

Saturday, Dec. 9 2:00 pm and 7:30 pm

Sunday, Dec. 10 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm

*School performances not open to the public.



- * Dancers must register ½ hour before auditions.
- * Bring a photo to audition.
- * A parent or guardian must attend a meeting at the start of the audition.
- * All scheduled rehearsals will be absolutely mandatory.
- * Cast member participation fee (for those selected):
\$100 for performers cast in a single role.
\$150 for performers cast in multiple roles.
- * Pre-registration recommended.
Visit www.prairiecenter.org (Youth Programs, Schaumburg Dance Ensemble) for details.

**Dance Academy of
Libertyville**

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