

2021 NUTCRACKER AUDITIONS

NORTHEAST ATLANTA BALLET will be presenting the full-length *NUTCRACKER* at Gas South District (formerly called Infinite Energy Center) November 24-28, 2021. There will be 7 public performances: two on Friday, three on Saturday and a matinee and early evening on Sunday. Tickets are now available through Infiniteenergycenter.com, at the arena box office and through the studio. Dress rehearsal is on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving. **Dress rehearsal is absolutely mandatory.**

Students of the Lilburn & Grayson Schools of Ballet who are six years old (in royal blue and above) and older are invited to audition for a part in the production. The audition will be held at the studio on Friday, September 3rd at 5:15 pm.(GSB), and 6:45 (LSB) You should arrive at least 10 minutes early. . A non-refundable audition/costume rental fee of \$35.00 is due prior to the audition. **In addition, each child who participates will be required to sell a minimum of 8 full price tickets. Tickets are \$25 each. Payment for these tickets is due by October 15th in order to continue rehearsing.**

There are a limited number of spots for younger children to be "BABY MICE." (these are usually some of our 5 year olds) Please let your child's teacher know if you are interested in having your 5 year old participate. It is not necessary for these children to attend the audition. There is a five ticket minimum for these dancers.

This is an excellent opportunity for your child. **Rehearsals will be kept to a minimum but are mandatory to insure a quality production. It is very important that your child attend all rehearsals and that they arrive on time.** Letters will be distributed the week following the audition with roles and other instructions. The rehearsal schedule is posted on our website. In the past, there have been very few changes but it is your responsibility to check the schedule each week.

Casting is done according to size (to keep costume alterations to a minimum), age and dancing ability. All parts are equally important to the success of the production, so please encourage your child to enjoy the role he or she is selected to perform. **Children selected will not appear in every performance.** You will be advised which performances your child will be in as soon as possible.

WE DO NOT FURNISH SHOES FOR THE PRODUCTION. SOME PARTS REQUIRE SLIPPERS OTHER THAN PINK BALLET SLIPPERS. IF YOUR CHILD IS SELECTED FOR A PART THAT REQUIRES DIFFERENT SHOES, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO FURNISH THEM PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF REHEARSALS.

Please complete the following and turn in at the time of the audition.

DANCER'S NAME _____

PARENT'S EMAIL: _____

AGE _____ HEIGHT _____

Have you appeared in our NUTCRACKER in the past? _____
If so, what part did you have?

Please circle:

Baby Mouse Pochinelle Arabian Princess Soldier
Kingdom Attendant Angel Dream Fairy Other: _____

DAY & TIME OF CLASS _____ TEACHER _____

COSTUME FEE \$35.

Please have exact change if paying by cash. Cash attached _____.

Check # (if paying by check) _____ Checks should be payable to NORTHEAST ATLANTA BALLET.

Credit Card # _____ Exp Date: _____ Sec Code: _____

If you are paying by credit card, there is a \$2.50 convenience charge.

No convenience charge if paying by debit. Please process debit in the office.

PARENT'S SIGNATURE _____