

Ballet Guild of the Lehigh Valley, Inc./Pennsylvania Youth Ballet
is pleased to present...

The Nutcracker - 2011

Performed by Ballet Guild of the Lehigh Valley & World Class Professional Guest Artists
... at a special price for your school group ...

Wednesday, December 14 • 10:00 a.m.
Thursday, December 15 • 10:00 a.m.
Friday, December 16 • 9:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

Baker Hall, Zoellner Arts Center, 420 E. Packer Avenue, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa.
Performance is approximately 1 ½ hours long

TERMS: \$6.50 per student; 1 teacher free with every 20 students. Reservations will be taken strictly on a first-come, first-served basis. Priority is given to past ticket purchasers—Order Early! Please have only one person from each school handle reservations. Advise promptly of any changes in the number attending. Minimum deposit of 50% of total due by September 15, 2011 to hold reservations. Balance must be paid in full by October 15, 2011. Sorry, NO CREDIT CARDS CAN BE ACCEPTED. Confirmation of your seating arrangements will be made once non-refundable deposit is received. No tickets are issued. Please save this announcement — it will be the only mailing. It's very important that we have a home or cell phone for your contact person in case of emergency or changes.

TO RESERVE: Clip and send form below with your payment to: Ballet Guild of the Lehigh Valley, Inc., 556 Main St., Bethlehem, PA 18018. Questions? Call Jennifer Altemose, 610-838-2257, E-mail: markjen@ptd.net

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School Name _____ Phone _____

Contact Person & Title _____ Home/Cell Phone _____

E-Mail (School) _____ (Home) _____

Fax (School) _____ Fax (home, if available) _____

School Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School District Name & Address _____

Alternate Contact Person & Phone _____

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Please indicate your first & second choices

_____ # of Students @ \$6.50 each = \$ _____

_____ # of Teachers @ \$6.50 each = \$ _____ ► **ONE FREE WITH EVERY 20 STUDENTS!**

_____ # of Teachers free w/20 students --FREE--

_____ **TOTAL SEATS NEEDED** \$ _____ **TOTAL AMOUNT DUE**

Date: _____ Amount Enclosed: _____ Signature: _____

► **MINIMUM DEPOSIT OF 50% DUE BY SEPT. 15 TO HOLD RESERVATIONS. BALANCE DUE OCT. 15** ◀

Ballet Guild of the Lehigh Valley, Inc. is a non-profit 501 (c) (3) organization, dedicated to fostering the art of theatre dance, primarily classical ballet, through education and performances. For more information about our organization and school, please visit our web site: www.bglv.org

Performance Delays & Cancellations:

Our performances follow the Bethlehem Area School District delay & cancellation procedures. If BASD has a one-hour delay, our performance start will be delayed by one hour as well. In the event a performance must be canceled, we will make every effort to reschedule. If the performance takes place, there will be NO Refunds for No-Shows. Our policy is “the show must go on” if at all possible. If your school is closed due to inclement weather and the show takes place, a credit will be issued for the following year’s performance.

Reservation Changes:

We need your final reservation numbers no later than October 15, 2011. These should accompany your final payment. Please notify us if you wish to add additional seats no later than December 1, 2011. If you are bringing handicapped students who may need special seating, please let us know how many you will need.

Preparing Your Students:

Talk to your students about the story of *The Nutcracker*. Our students and staff will be happy to provide an in-school pre-performance lecture/demonstration for your students to enhance their understanding of this classic holiday ballet favorite. For more information and to make your reservation, please call our office at 610-865-0353. There is no cost to you for this program, but donations are cheerfully accepted, as the Ballet Guild is a NON-PROFIT organization! A School Performance Guide is also available for all schools/organizations attending the performances.

Fast Fun Facts about the Ballet Guild’s Nutcracker!

- Number of pairs of pointe shoes used during the week: Three Pair Per Student!
- Number of days per week the advanced students rehearse & take class: Six
- Scariest blooper on stage: Mother Ginger capsized during her exit one year.
- Strangest blooper on stage: Mrs. Stahlbaum’s shawl once flew up and out with the scenery.
- Number of pizzas consumed at the cast party after the show: 15
- Number of pizzas consumed by the cast in costume: ZERO! It’s not allowed!