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The Nutcracker

Friday, Dec 21 at 8 pm
Saturday, Dec 22 at 1 pm and 4:30 pm
Sunday, Dec 23 at 1 pm and 4:30 pm

Santa Cruz Civic Auditorium
*All performances
with live orchestra!*



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*Music Director Pamela
Martin conducting the
Santa Cruz Ballet
Theatre Orchestra in
dress rehearsal last year.
Photo by Nikki Brooks.*

SEASON KICK-OFF EVENT

It's official: the 2018-2019 Season has begun! On Sunday, October 28, families and friends of SCBT joined together to celebrate the season. Always a fun community-building event, this year was no exception.

Many, many volunteers worked to make the event come to life. The Halstead Family was assisted in the kitchen by the Gonzalez Family. Many people brought dishes to share, bottles of wine and soft drinks. Many others donated items for the raffle and silent auction. Our Guild Co-Chairwomen organized the auctions and set up the hall with the Halsteads and several other volunteers. More volunteers helped clean up at the end of the evening. Our Senior Company dancers helped set up, serve and clean up.

The 2018 Petite Company presented their last performance, accompanied by last year's Junior Company dancers. These young people work hard in the studio and grow in skill everyday. Congratulations dancers, and thank you to everyone who helped in any way, as well as all who attended the event!



Petite and Junior Company dancers perform at the Season Kick-Off Event at the Portuguese Hall last month. Senior Company dancers serving at the event. Photos by Rebecca Dymond.

Thanksgiving Calendar

WEDNESDAY, NOV 21

**The Studio will be closing at 5 pm:
there will be class at 3:30 for Level Ib & IIa,
and one class at 3:30 for Levels IV, V & VI**

NOVEMBER 22-24

The Studio will be closed for Thanksgiving

SUNDAY, NOV 25

**There will be "The Nutcracker"
rehearsals for ALL ROLES**



HOURS OF HARD WORK REVEAL GLOWING RESULTS

Our dancers are working diligently in rehearsals for the upcoming production of "The Nutcracker." We applaud their dedication, and also appreciate the support that their parents and families provide during this busy time. Enjoy the path to performance!



*Flowers, Ballerina Dolls and Ginger Snaps in rehearsal.
Photos by Jim Schwartz and Christina McLaughlin.*

