

Galmont Ballet's The Nutcracker 2020

December 18 & 19, 7:30p * December 19 & 20, 2p

The Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse

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Tickets available online at
www.cocoavillageplayhouse.com

or by calling the theater's
box office at 321 636 5050

Runtime: 2 hours including a
20-minutes intermission

26 Years of Galvez's original production since 1994

An exciting weekend of great dance entertainment for everyone...!

Magic returns this holiday season for 16 consecutive years in Brevard County with Galmont Ballet's sparkling production of the enduring classic THE NUTCRACKER 2020, 12 consecutive years performed at our home venue The Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse, with riveting storytelling that will usher young and old alike into a rich and festive holiday mood.

Celebrate with us 26th staging years anniversary of this original production choreographed by Frank Galvez for the first time in 1994, this production is set in turn of the 19th century United States of America and its rife with renewed vitality and joy. On the frame of the production's 26 staging year anniversary, the renewed production injects a fresh and vibrant magic displayed through the stunning set designs and elaborate costumes. With scores of children, mice, and snowflakes, this spectacular achievement offers a perfect complement to Tchaikovsky's glorious musical score.

THE NUTCRACKER 2020 will be performed on **December 18 & 19, 7:30 pm and December 19 & 20, 2:00 pm at the Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse as their Resident Ballet Company since 2008**. This beautiful playhouse is located at 300 Brevard Avenue in Cocoa Florida. For tickets call the HCVP box office at (321)636-5050 or online at www.cocoavillageplayhouse.com.

Galmont Ballet's production of "The Nutcracker" is a spark of magic among Nutcrackers. This brisk, witty production balances classical dance, cozy drama and theatrical showmanship in all the right proportions, and this year comes reloaded with talented performers on stage wearing over 130 exquisite costumes. Thrill to leaping Russians, dancing Snowflakes, and exotic Arabian dancer as a young girl's holiday dream comes to life before your eyes. The beloved holiday ballet tells the timeless tale of a young *Clara's* transition as she rescues the *Nutcracker Prince* from the evil *Rat King*, travels to a dreamy Land of Sweets where characters from all over the world entertain with fabulous dances, and she is transformed into a beautiful *Sugar Plum Fairy*.

Frank Galvez created his own version in 1994, with Mrs. Lucia Montero performing the role of the Sugar Plum Fairy, based on the book by E.T.A. Hoffmann, set in the United States of America around the 19th century. Galvez's production portrays a beautiful, old-fashioned Victorian Christmas tree, thrilling battle scene, exquisite costumes including party boys dressed as cowboys, impressive special effects, illusions and magical tricks. Although it is a very lush production, the values of The Nutcracker remain the same, the celebration of family, tradition, and love, so essential to the holiday season. Galvez infused the ballet with a style that expresses the festivity and ambiance of an American Christmas.

See all our dancers swoop and soar across the beautiful Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse stage on our 12 wonderful year partnership with Mrs. Stacie Hawkins-Smith and the Playhouse, in America's favorite holiday event! Come and join Galmont Ballet on an enchanting journey through a landscape of dreams. Bring the entire family, it is a wonderfully magical way to spend an evening this Holiday Season! THE NUTCRACKER has been a seasonal favorite for families, boys and girls of all ages, and organizations such as scouting and arts groups. Grandparents are repeat costumers introducing their grandchildren to the arts in a child-suitable setting.

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