

Nutcracker

30 November 2024 at 7.30pm Mayflower Theatre, Southampton

Choreography and Concept
Aaron S. Watkin and Arielle Smith
Set and Costume Design, Concept
Dick Bird

Music

Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

Lighting Design

Paul Pyant

Video Design

Leo Flint

Illusion Designer and Direction

John Bulleid

English National Ballet

Philharmonic

Music Director and Conductor

Maria Seletskaja

Leader

Matthew Scrivener

The Pilgrims' School Chamber Choir

2 hours including an interval

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Protagonists

Clara (child)

Delilah Wiggins

Clara (adolescent)

Ivana Bueno

Drosselmever

Junor Souza

Nutcracker Prince

Francesco Gabriele Frola

Nutcracker Doll

Rhys Antoni Yeomans

Sugar Plum Fairy / Mrs Stahlbaum

Emma Hawes

Sugar Plum Cavalier / Dr Stahlbaum

Aitor Arrieta

Isolde, Ice Queen / Clara's eccentric aunt

Anna Nevzorova

Rat King / Uromys Grimsewer the cheese broker

James Streeter

Prologue & Act I

Chimney Sweeps

Nathaniel Ritter-Magot Rhys Antoni Yeomans

Suffragettes

Maddison Araceli Willmott Gillian Whittall

Freddie and Louise, Clara's siblings

Collins Rodrigues-Hesketh Moraya Kemp

Grandparents

Laura Hussey, Shevelle Dynott

Maid and Butler

Eireen Evrard, Martinho Santos

Knight in Shining Armour Doll and his Fair Maiden Doll

Noam Durand, Francesca Velicu

Drosselmeyer's Assistants / Street Stall Sellers / Party Guests / Rats / Soldiers / Icicles and Snowflakes

Artists of the Company, Students of English National Ballet School and Central School of Ballet, Guest Artists

Street Children / Party Guests / Baby Mice / Gingerbread Cookies / Christmas Tree Ornaments

Students of Adagio School of Dance and West London School of Dance (Associated Schools of Ballet Futures: The Pipeline Project)







^{*} Debut in role in this production

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Act II

Turrón

(Spanish nougat)
Precious Adams, Lorenzo Trossello
Alice Bellini, Henry Dowden
Ashley Coupal, Eric Snyder

Sahlab

(Egyptian hot orchid root milk with cinnamon) Emily Suzuki Skyler Martin Vsevolod Maievskyi

Tanghulu

(Chinese candied hawthorn berries) Nathaniel Ritter-Magot Rhys Antoni Yeomans

Makivnyk

(Ukrainian poppyseed roll) Rentaro Nakaaki Noam Durand, Shunhei Fuchiyama, Martinho Santos, Luke Wragg

Marzipan-Zwiebelflöten

(German marzipan flutes) Swanice Luong Georgia Bould, Jung ah Choi, Anna Ciriano, Haruhi Otani

Liquorice Allsorts

Thiago Pereira Laura Hussey (Head of Box) Students of Adagio School of Dance and West London School of Dance (Associated Schools of Ballet Futures: The Pipeline Project)

Waltz of the Buttercream Roses

Clara (adolescent)

Ivana Bueno

Nutcracker Prince

Francesco Gabriele Frola

Demi Soloists

Eireen Evrard, Tara Millard, Anna Orlova, Anna-Babette Winkler

Corps de Ballet

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Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy and Cavalier

Sugar Plum Fairy^{*} Emma Hawes Sugar Plum Cavalier Aitor Arrieta

Finale

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