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Nutcracker Family Storytimes with Louisville Ballet return to the Library this month!



Louisville, Ky. (November 9, 2023) – Louisville Ballet and the Louisville Free Public Library are excited to announce the return of *Nutcracker Family Storytimes* to seven library locations in November. The annual tradition kicks off on Tuesday, November 14, 6:30 p.m., at the St. Matthews Library (3940 Grandview Ave).

Children of all ages and their families are invited to join <u>Louisville Ballet</u> dancers for readings of the classic holiday story *The Nutcracker*, followed by Nutcracker-inspired dancing and crafts. In addition, every family at each storytime can enter for a chance to win four tickets to see Louisville Ballet's upcoming production of *The Brown-Forman Nutcracker*.

Join us for one of these Nutcracker Family Storytimes:

- Tuesday, November 14, 6:30 p.m. St. Matthews Library
- Wednesday, November 15, 6:30 p.m. Shawnee Library
- Thursday, November 16, 6:30 p.m. <u>Iroquois Library</u>
- Monday, November 20, 6:30 p.m. Main Library
- Tuesday, November 21, 6:30 p.m. South Central Regional Library
- Monday, November 27, 6:30 p.m. Southwest Regional Library
- Wednesday, November 29, 6:30 p.m. Northeast Regional Library

Nutcracker Family Storytimes are free for children and families. For more information, visit LFPL.org/Nutcracker, or call the Main Library Children's Department at (502) 574-1620.

ABOUT LOUISVILLE BALLET: Louisville Ballet makes moving art that respects tradition, encourages innovation, and fosters life-long learning. We inspire connection, conversation and a profound sense of community, by striving for bold collaborations, by nurturing the next generation of artists, by celebrating diversity, and by creating access for all. Louisville Ballet, the Official State Ballet of Kentucky, was founded in March 1952 as a civic ballet company. Under the leadership of Artistic Directors Mikelle Bruzina and Harald Uwe Kern, and Chief Executive Officer Leslie Smart, Louisville Ballet is recognized as one of the most highly-regarded regional ballet companies in the country. Known for its versatility and commitment to new work as well as its core connection to classical ballet, Louisville Ballet embodies the belief that ballet is a living, breathing, and relevant art form.

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