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***Nutcracker Family Storytime* with Louisville Ballet returns to seven library locations**



Louisville, Ky. (November 14, 2024) – Louisville Ballet and the Louisville Free Public Library are excited to announce the return of *Nutcracker Family Storytimes*, November 18 through December 5, at select LFPL locations. The annual event has become a holiday tradition for families across Louisville. What started out in 2010 as a single event at the Main Library, has expanded to include the Iroquois, Northeast, St. Matthews, Shawnee, South Central, and Southwest libraries.

These free, family-friendly events feature two [Louisville Ballet](#) dancers, in costume, reading the classic story of *The Nutcracker*, along with music, dancing, crafts, and more! Plus, one lucky family at each event walks away with four tickets to see Louisville Ballet's production of *The Brown-Forman Nutcracker*.

Join us for one of these ***Nutcracker Family Storytimes***:

- Monday, November 18, 6:30 p.m. – [Shawnee Library](#)
- Tuesday, November 19, 6:30 p.m. – [South Central Regional](#)
- Wednesday, November 20, 6:30 p.m. – [Main Library](#)
- Thursday, November 21, 6:30 p.m. – [Iroquois Library](#)
- Monday, November 25, 6:30 p.m. – [Southwest Regional](#)

- Wednesday, December 4, 6:30 p.m. – [Northeast Regional](#)
- Thursday, December 5, 6:30 p.m. – [St. Matthews Library](#)

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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