NUTCRACKER Costume ITEMS

The following items are needed for the Nutcracker performance.

Party members: if you have another part in Nutcracker that has your hair in a bun – you can wear fake curls. You should order these curls from En L'Air. If you do not order these thru En L'Air, they must be approved by Ms. Carla. Do not wait until last minute to order curls because they may take weeks to arrive.

Pointe roles need seamed tights and non-pointe roles need Capezio Ballet Pink

New seamed pink tights (old tights tend to bag at knees) – CAPEZIO 9C THEATRICAL PINK WITH SEAMS AND a spare pair in case of an emergency. The correct style and color sold at En L'air. Ribbons must be sewn in for dress rehearsal and all shoes. Clean pointe shoes

- 1. Clara / Clara's Friends/ Clara's Cousins Seamed Pink tights (not new since they do not show) / clean pointe shoes. Clara also needs black ballet shoes.
- 2. Young Ladies Capezio Ballet Pink tights (not new since they do not show) / Black leather or canvas shoes with black elastic with 1 black elastic sewn across
- 3. **Party girls / Little Party Girls** Capezio Ballet Pink tights (not new since they do not show)/ black ballet shoes with 1 black elastic sewn across
- 4. Party Boys / Fritz White tights, not knee highs (inexpensive girls' tights will work) /Black jazz shoes (lace-up)
- 5. Party Dads a white button-down shirt, nice black slacks and nice black shoes.

Mayor Silberhaus - provide your own brown slacks

Butler – slacks, jacket, ascot, vest will be provided. Please wear a white button down shirt and nice black shoes

Grandfather – jacket is provided. Please wear a white button shirt and nice black slacks and nice black shoes

- 6. Rag Doll Capezio Ballet pink tights (not new) / black ballet shoes
- Soldiers Capezio Ballet pink tights (not new) / black ballet shoes with white elastic Horse Soldiers – black tights (not new) / black ballet shoes
- 8. Sleigh Capezio Ballet Pink tights (not new) / white canvas ballet shoes with white elastic.
- 9. Snow /Waltz pink trunks
- 10. Cherubs new Capezio Ballet pink tights / pink leather ballet shoes
- 11. Angels new Capezio Ballet pink tights / pink leather ballet shoes
- 12. Bakers Capezio Ballet Pink tights (not new) / White leather or canvas shoes with white elastic /Nude liner (over/under)
- 13. Spanish Black trunks
- 14. Polis / Little Poli White tights / white soft ballet shoes with elastic crisscrossed in front

Please try to get your items before as soon as possible especially if En L'Air needs to order something for you. And remember to label all of your items.

Nutty Nutcracker 2021 – Costume Notes

A. Party

Mayor Silberhaus: pajamas and slippers Frau Silberhaus: (nightgown, curlers, slippers)

Clara - current Clara Costume

Her Annoying Brother, Fritz - jeans, long gaming t-shirt, tennis shoes, baseball cap

Herr Drosselmeyer - Shirt, cape, knickers, vest, jabot, eye patch, wig

Dracula: Dracula costume

Nanny: Dinosaur costume

Maids: - Nutcracker Maid Costumes

Ballerina Doll: Ballerina tutu

Cadet Doll: Cadet Costume

Energizer Bunny: Bunny costume with Drum

Scary Doll: TBD

Specific notes for Nutty Party people!

Nutty Party Scene people plan their own costumes. Here are some ideas to help you plan! If you have something that might work for another family, please offer your items! Google is great for ideas! Remember, Clara's Friends are not in the Nutty Party Scene since they are in Nutty Battle. We will ask you to wear your Nutty Party costume to the first Nutty Party rehearsal at the theater so we can make sure everything is good to go for Dress Rehearsal. Have fun with it!!!

Fritz and Clara: Fritz wears a baseball cap worn backwards, jeans, tennis shoes and a long t-shirt that says something like Bah Humbug! Clara wears her usual Clara costume.

Aristocratic Family - Very fancy! Sequin dresses, little fur jackets...girls can look as though they came from a tennis game or an equestrian event, etc.

Goth Family - Pale makeup, black lipstick and nails, black jeans, boots, black leather jacket, etc. "Wednesday Adams" look with black hose would work, too!

Dallas Cowboys - the tackier the better! Would be nice if one of the girls was dressed in a cute Cowboys Cheerleader outfit with pom poms. Pigtails with big bows. Light up headpieces or necklaces. Little football helmet and jersey for the boy.

The Who-ville Family - Christmas overload with lots of red and green stripes. The boy will be a young Grinch and we can use a party boy costume but can add a red bow tie and green socks with knicker pants. The girls need tall hairstyles. You can google how to make them with water bottles, stiff braids, etc. You can also google Who-ville Costume ideas. We will help with makeup!

B. ACT 1 – SCENE 2 "The Battle"

Nutcracker Prince: Nutcracker Prince Costume

Mouse Queen: White shirt, leather jeggings, leather jacket, LBT rat tail, mouse ears, silver glove, leg warmers

Rats: Nutcracker Rat Costumes

White Mouse: White mouse body, LBT white long sleeve leotard, pink tights and pointe shoes

Mice:

13 regular Mice - gray costumes with head, grey leotards, body, grey tights and grey shoes

8 Big Mice - Regular Gray costumes head and gray turtleneck long sleeve leotards with pink tights and pointe shoes

Soldiers: Nutcracker Soldier Costume and makeup

Artillery: Peter n Wolf Hunter costume with black pointe shoes

C. ACT 1 – SCENE 3 "In the Land of Snow"

Snow Queen and King: Snow Tutu, Elsa costume, Olaf costume **Snow corps** – Snow Costumes with their own scarves, hats and mittens

D. ACT 2 – SCENE 1: "The Angels"

Guardian Angels - wings and halos

. Angel Dads – Halos, wings

E. ACT 2 – SCENE 2: "The Kingdom of Sweets"

(Everyone in Act 2 will wear their normal costumes except Mirlitons and Chinese)

Prologue - Everyone except Mirlitons. Elsa and Olaf will preside over Kingdom of Sweets.

Spanish Chocolate – Nutcracker Costume

Russian - Nutcracker Costume

Arabian Coffee - Nutcracker Costume

Mirlitons Alvin costumes with 2 hula hoops

Chinese - Bathing suite costume, towels, swim caps

Polichinelles - Boy and girl Poli costumes and Weola costumes

Waltz - Waltz costumes with Nutty Waltz dancer