



### Celebrating 40 years of dance in the Santa Clara Valley

It is the MISSION of the Santa Clara Ballet to: Grow interest in classical ballet with high quality performances at reasonable cost; Provide opportunities for local dancers to perform and grow; Enhance quality of life in the community through cultural awareness and diversity.

#### About the Santa Clara Ballet

For 40 years, the Santa Clara Ballet has been bringing full scale classical ballet productions to Santa Clara, including our Annual Nutcracker production. Providing vital cultural programming, enriching the community and our young dancers and enhancing the profile of the City of Santa Clara, Santa Clara Ballet fills a void in the local education districts where both music and dance classes have been cut or reduced. Santa Clara Ballet provides young children a safe environment for artistic expression, as they learn dedication, discipline and perseverance by performing in a professional environment. Our fundraising efforts center on initiatives to ensure the future of our Nutcracker and to provide opportunities for children who would otherwise not have the means to learn ballet.

"Keep the Magic Alive" Nutcracker Fund: to support the preservation, design, and creation of costumes, sets, and other production expenses for Santa Clara Ballet's annual Nutcracker In 2013, Santa Clara Ballet will celebrate its 40th annual Nutcracker season. Your donation of \$40 or more in honor of our 40th Nutcracker will help support the "Keep the Magic Alive" Nutcracker Fund.

Santa Clara Ballet Scholarship Fund to support the cost of ballet training and Nutcracker Participation fees for students of all ages and abilities who would not otherwise have the opportunity to have their lives enriched by this great art.

# Please become a part of a tradition and support the Santa Clara Ballet!

Platinum Sponsor: \$1,000 & over Gold Sponsor: \$250 - \$999 Benefactor: \$150 - \$249 Patron: \$100 - \$149 Member: up to \$100

#### And don't miss our next production: Santa Clara Ballet presents the NUTCRACKER

40<sup>th</sup> Annual, Full-length Traditional Version

4 performances:

Saturday, December 14, 2013 at 2pm and 7pm Sunday, December 15, 2013 at 1pm and 5pm Santa Clara Convention Center Theater 5001 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara www.santaclaraballet.com

## YES! I would like to become a member of the Santa Clara Ballet Association

Your name or acknowledgment for our program: (name, in honor of, in memorium for, etc.)

Amount Enclosed:

Name:

Address:

Please make checks payable to: Santa Clara Ballet Association. Mail to SANTA CLARA BALLET, 3123 MILLAR AVENUE, SANTA CLARA, CA 95051