

ABOUT BALLET MIDWEST

Founded in 1977, Topeka's Ballet Midwest is comprised of 54 company dancers and 42 junior company dancers. The company presents a full-length classical ballet each spring. Over 100 local auxiliary dancers join the company to present a full-length Nutcracker Ballet in December, a holiday tradition for northeast Kansas residents.

Ballet Midwest is dedicated to presenting unparalleled access to some of the world's most treasured ballets to our dancers and local community, through performances, interactive outreach opportunities and a standard of dance education which encourages excellence. Our goal is to preserve the beauty of this great art form for future generations while nurturing character development in our dancers and instilling a lifelong love of the arts among our audience.

Ballet Midwest is a 501(c)(3) non-profit incorporation run by a board of directors. We appreciate the amazing support of our community as we partner together to preserve the art of classical and contemporary ballet.



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Artistry & Passion in Motion

GET INVOLVED

- **Become a member.** Your donation promotes the art of classical ballet in our community while helping local talent develop leadership skills while achieving their dreams.
- **Volunteer.** Join the fun! Help backstage or with special events, fundraising, and various administrative tasks. Join the Ballet Midwest family!
- **Keep up on the latest news.** Follow us on Facebook and Instagram. Share our events with your family and friends!



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BALLET MIDWEST 2021-22 SEASON

2021-22 Season



The Nutcracker Ballet

TOPEKA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10 AT 7:30PM

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11 AT 1:30PM & 7:30PM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12 AT 1:30PM

Join Clara at a Christmas Eve party where she receives a toy Nutcracker that comes to life. Experience the magic as the Nutcracker battles a Mouse King, then takes Clara on an unforgettable journey through the snow to a Magical Kingdom of Enchantment. You don't want to miss this Topeka holiday tradition!

TICKETS AVAILABLE IN OCTOBER!

ADULT \$20 · SENIOR \$18 · CHILD \$12 · FAMILY PACK \$55



Giselle

April 23-24, 2022

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS

DONOR LEVEL

\$50 to \$99 donation

One season ticket (\$40 value)

SPONSOR LEVEL

\$100 to \$199 donation

Two season tickets (\$80 value)

PATRON LEVEL

\$200 to \$499 donation

Four season tickets (\$160 value)

BENEFACTOR LEVEL

\$500 to \$999 donation

Access to VIP room

Six season tickets (\$240 value)

UNDERWRITER LEVEL

\$1000 or more donation

Access to VIP room

Six season tickets (\$300 value)



The Nutcracker

December 10-12, 2021

Giselle

TOPEKA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

SATURDAY, APRIL 23 AT 7:30PM

SUNDAY, APRIL 24 AT 1:30PM

Be captivated by one of the greatest romantic ballets of all time. Betrayed by her love Albrect, Giselle is driven to madness and death of a broken heart. She joins the ranks of the hauntingly beautiful Wilis who are spirits of young girls betrayed before their wedding days and exact revenge on men who enter their forest. When Albrect enters the forest of the Wili's, will true love or revenge prevail?

TICKETS AVAILABLE IN FEBRUARY!

ADULT \$20 · SENIOR \$18 · CHILD \$12 · FAMILY PACK \$55