



**MEDIA ADVISORY:
AUDITIONS FOR GOH BALLET'S ICONIC NUTCRACKER
SET TO TAKE PLACE NEXT WEEKEND**

April 28, 2017

Vancouver, BC - While Goh Ballet's renowned presentation of *The Nutcracker* captures Vancouver's heart during the holiday season in December, planning for this tradition starts as early as May with open auditions.

On Sunday, May 7th, Goh Ballet will be having an open call for both student and professional dancers, aged six and up, to fill a wide variety of roles for their annual holiday production, which will take place at The Centre in Vancouver, December 14 – 19.

Whether you fancy yourself a *Little Mouse*, a *Sugar Plum Fairy* or a *Fritz* or *Clara*, visit the Scotiabank Dance Centre on May 7th to join this fun, passionate team and work under the guidance of Executive Director, Chan Hon Goh. A production Vancouver can truly call its own; this holiday tradition will cast over 200 local talents who share the stage with Principal Dancers from world-class companies performing the choreography of Anna-Marie Holmes to live orchestral accompaniment played by members of the Vancouver Opera Orchestra.

Event: Goh Ballet's The Nutcracker – Open Auditions
Date: Sunday May 7th, 2017
Time: 10:30am to 5:30pm (specific call times: GohNutcracker.com)
Location: Scotiabank Dance Centre (677 Davie Street)

For more information, visit www.GohNutcracker.com

Media interested in attending must RSVP to: etabakman@LBMG.ca

About Goh Ballet:

Since 1978, Vancouver, Canada has been home to the Goh Ballet, a vibrant, innovative and diverse dance organization. Under the direction of Chan Hon Goh since 2010, the organization is following the vision of its founders while expanding on current artistic aspirations. A company that pursues technical and artistic excellence while raising cultural awareness in our communities through performance productions, the Goh Ballet is synonymous with excellence, training talent and fostering the presentation of classical ballet. It provides extraordinary opportunities for dancers to reach their full potential, while contributing to the artistic well being of our city and country. At the forefront of the arts community, Goh Ballet has been invited to perform around the world, including tours to the People's Republic of China, Hong Kong, Malaysia, Singapore, Japan, France and the U.S.A.

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