

# OLYMPIC BALLET THEATRE

Artistic Directors: Mara Vinson & Oleg Gorboulev

Dear Friend of Olympic Ballet Theatre,

As Snohomish County's premier ballet company, Olympic Ballet Theatre (OBT) provides professional ballet performances that enrich the cultural fabric of our community. Despite the restrictions caused by the pandemic, we are preparing to present our 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary performance season! Please consider donating an item for our virtual fundraising auction hosted by Q13 News anchor and reporter Matt Lorch **on Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021!**

As a nonprofit organization, OBT relies on patron donations and fundraising to sustain our artistic endeavors. Our mission is to provide full performance seasons of professional productions to our community, engaging the widest possible audience with a stimulating repertoire of classical, contemporary, and dramatic ballets. Throughout each performance season, OBT serves and delights over 7,000 patrons in the greater Puget Sound area and beyond. Our multiple performances are held at accessible venues such as Edmonds Center for the Arts and the Everett Performing Arts Center.

The 2021-2022 season is a very special celebration of 40 years of Olympic Ballet Theatre performing in our community, and we are excited to present new productions, including several premieres of our ballets:

- **Summer Performance** (July 2021)
- **The Nutcracker** (December 2021)
- **Debuts – New Program** (February 2022)
- **Don Quixote - OBT Premiere** (May 2022)

Please support our mission by donating an item, service, or experience for our 2021 fundraising auction. You can complete the **item donation form and email it to [marketing@olympicballet.org](mailto:marketing@olympicballet.org) by May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021**. You can also **mail the form with your donation to the address below** or request that we pick up your item.

Any donation, large or small, is greatly appreciated! You can also support Olympic Ballet Theatre by sponsoring the event (see the attached sponsor packet) and joining us for the virtual fundraiser! If you have any questions, contact [marketing@olympicballet.org](mailto:marketing@olympicballet.org) or call 425.774.7570.

Thank you for your support and for helping us continue the tradition of the arts in our community.

Sincerely,

*The Auction Committee*

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