



## SAVE THE DATE!

### The Annual Supporters' Meeting & Student Presentation

Wednesday, November 27, 2019

NBS Supporters' Meeting: 4:45pm | Dance Presentation: 5:45pm to 6:30pm | *Betty Oliphant Theatre, 404 Jarvis Street*  
Reception to follow in *Mona Campbell Square*

Don't miss the first performance of the school year, preceded by the Supporters' Meeting – an annual tradition that offers insight into NBS' recent achievements and will include notable moments for NBS' 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary year. Join us for a reception hosted by the Honorary Circle after the performance.

All NBS supporters are invited to this event.

***Ticket booking for this event will open in early November.***

[Book general admission seats for the Meeting](#)

[Book reserved seats for the Presentation and attendance to the Reception](#)

60<sup>1959-2019</sup>

### The Nutcracker Student Rehearsal

Saturday, November 30, 2019

10:30am to 12:30pm

*Betty Oliphant Theatre, 404 Jarvis Street*

One of our most popular events for NBS Supporters and their families. Join us for this fascinating look into the complex and fast-moving rehearsal process as dancers from the junior school prepare their roles in the National Ballet of Canada's production of *The Nutcracker*.

All NBS supporters are invited to this event.

***Ticket booking for this event will open in early November.*** Limited seating.

## Donor Levels

(based on annual contributions)

**Leaders** \$25,000+

**Champions** \$12,500 to \$24,999

**Sustainers** \$5,000 to \$12,499

**Future Steps Members**

Estate Gifts\*\*

**Benefactors** \$1,000 to \$4,999

**Patrons** \$100 to \$999

**First Position Patrons (donors 40 and under)** \$35 monthly donations or \$420 annually\*

\*Donations under \$420 are gratefully appreciated, however will alter benefits available under the full FPP Membership.

\*\*To qualify as a Future Steps Member, please make your bequest intentions made known to NBS.

Donations to Canada's National Ballet School will be acknowledged with a charitable tax receipt for the maximum amount allowable under Canada Revenue Agency guidelines.

## Dancing with Parkinson's Book Launch

Friday, October 18, 2019

11:15am

Canada's National Ballet School, 400 Jarvis Street

We are pleased to invite NBS Supporters to this unique event hosted at NBS by the Dance for Parkinson's Network Canada (DFPNC) and to provide the opportunity to learn more about the benefits of dance for people living with Parkinson's disease. The event will feature a community dance session, open to all attendees, and a book talk with author Sara Houston, Principal Lecturer at the Department of Dance at the University of Roehampton in London, who will discuss her new book *Dancing with Parkinson's*.

Schedule:

11:15am-12:15pm: Community Parkinson's Dance Class (all are welcome)

12:15pm-12:30pm: Break – refreshments

12:30pm-1:15pm: Sara Houston – *Dancing with Parkinson's* Book Talk

If you are interested and would like to join us, please RSVP through [Eventbrite](#) Or contact Anaya Bobst at [anaya.bobst@nbs-enb.ca](mailto:anaya.bobst@nbs-enb.ca)

**[Click for more information about Sara Houston and her new book.](#)**



## Save the Date

**TranzitionzJazz Benefit Concert**

December 13, 2019

**Spring Showcase Rehearsal**

April 2020 – Date to follow

**Assemblée Internationale 2020**

May 2 to May 9, 2020

**Spring Showcase**

May 21 to May 23, 2020

**Sharing Dance Day**

June 8, 2020

**Teacher Training Graduation**

June 18, 2020

**Professional Ballet Program Graduation**

June 26, 2020

**Year End Presentation**

June 27, 2020

**Stephen Godfrey**

**Choreographic Workshop**

**Presentation**

July 30, 2020

## GALA 60 VIBRANT

Thursday, March 12, 2020

Canada's National Ballet School

The annual gala is NBS' signature fundraising event—but this year is like no other. With **GALA 60 VIBRANT**, we mark NBS' 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a brand-new event that takes over the School's campus for the first time, from the soaring studios of the Celia Franca Center to the illustrious stage of the Betty Oliphant Theatre. The driving purpose of this re-imagined gala remains the same: to raise vital funds in support of student financial assistance in NBS' Professional Ballet-Academic Program, and the School's nation-wide initiatives that make dance more accessible to people of every age, ability and aspiration.

Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate NBS' first six decades and play a critical role in setting our course for the future. To learn more about how you can support Canada's National Ballet School as a gala sponsor, table or ticket purchaser, in-kind partner or donor, contact Chelsea Ireton at 416.964.3780 x2205 or [cireton@nbs-enb.ca](mailto:cireton@nbs-enb.ca)

Want to know more about NBS Programs? Interested in supporting?

We'd love to hear from you! Contact us by email at [donorrelations@nbs-enb.ca](mailto:donorrelations@nbs-enb.ca) or by phone at 416.964.3780 x2105

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