



2018 Open Call for Choreographers

March 6, 2018

To: Missoula Area Dance Professionals

Garden City Ballet (GCB) is seeking choreographers for *The Nutcracker*. To apply, please:

Step 1: Download and print the online application: www.gardencityballet.org

Step 2: Scan and email application to: director@gardencityballet.org (or)
Mail to: GCB (Attn. Artistic Director), PO Box 3555, Missoula MT 59806 (or)
Drop in: GCB "mailbox" on bulletin board in the lobby of Ballet Arts Academy

Step 3: *If you have never choreographed for GCB's Nutcracker*, please submit a letter of interest and resume. And, please upload a sample of your work (.mp4 or .mov) to Dropbox (share link with: director@gardencityballet.org), or share an existing link (YouTube, Vimeo, etc.). Limit files to three minutes each, and share up to three samples.

Deadline to apply: May 1, 2018 (Note: Applicants will be notified by June 1, 2018.)

As you consider the commitment of working as part of the Artistic Team, please refer to the *approximate* expectation for how many *hours per week* each variation will rehearse:

Adult party dances	2 hours per week
Children's party dances	2-3
Dolls	3
Snow	4
Fight Scene	2-3
Waltz of the Flowers	2-3
Act Two - Opening Welcome Garden	3
Act Two - Variations	2 per variation

To comply with state law, all choreographers will need to hold a valid **Independent Contractor license**. If you need assistance with this process, please let us know.

We appreciate your interest in working with Garden City Ballet!

Sincerely,
Jordan Dehline Burt, GCB Artistic Director