

PACIFIC NORTHWEST BALLET

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PACIFIC NORTHWEST BALLET PRESENTS ITS 2009-2010 **Season Encore Performance** FEATURING STEWART KERSHAW CONDUCTING THE PNB ORCHESTRA

Performances include works by Balanchine – Caniparoli – Dove – Goecke – Hynd

ONE NIGHT ONLY!
Sunday, June 13, 2010 – 6:30 pm
Marion Oliver McCaw Hall
321 Mercer Street, Seattle Center
Seattle, WA 98109

SEATTLE, WA – Pacific Northwest Ballet wraps up its critically acclaimed 2009-2010 season with the annual **Season Encore Performance**, a crowd-pleasing reprise of the past year's greatest hits. An evening of thrilling selections and inspired performances, the program will feature PNB's entire Company, and the PNB Orchestra under the guest baton of retired Music Director/Conductor Stewart Kershaw. The evening celebrates Maestro Kershaw's extraordinary 25-year career with PNB and includes selections from *The Four Temperaments*, *The Sleeping Beauty*, and *Coppélia*, among others, and will also contain a few surprises and special guests. **Tickets to this special event will benefit the PNB Orchestra, raising much-needed funds to keep live music flourishing at PNB performances.** The *Season Encore Performance* will be presented one night only, Sunday, June 13 at 6:30 pm at McCaw Hall, 321 Mercer Street. Tickets may be purchased by calling 206.441.2424, online at www.pnb.org, or in person at the PNB Box Office, 301 Mercer Street.

"The *Season Encore Performance* is, without a doubt, one of the most memorable performances of the year," said Artistic Director Peter Boal. "We will celebrate our dancers, remember an exciting repertoire, and applaud Maestro Kershaw for his remarkable tenure as Music Director."

The line-up for the 2009-2010 **Season Encore Performance** includes:

Roméo et Juliette (Orchestral Selections)

Music: Sergei Prokofiev

The Sleeping Beauty (*Rose Adagio*)

Music: Peter I. Tchaikovsky

Choreography: Ronald Hynd (after Marius Petipa)

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Mopey (Excerpt)

Music: C.P.E. Bach and The Cramps

Choreography: Marco Goecke

The Seasons (Fall)

Music: Alexander Glazunov

Choreography: Val Caniparoli

Raymonda (Act III Entr'acte)

Music: Alexander Glazunov

The Four Temperaments (Choleric)

Music: Paul Hindemith

Choreography: George Balanchine © The George Balanchine Trust

Red Angels

Music: Richard Einhorn

Choreography: Ulysses Dove

Coppelia (Act III pas de deux and finale)

Music: Léo Delibes

Choreography: Alexandra Danilova and George Balanchine © The George Balanchine Trust (after Marius Petipa)

TICKET & INFORMATION:

Pacific Northwest Ballet's **Season Encore Performance** will be performed one night only, Sunday, June 13 at 6:30 pm at Marion Oliver McCaw Hall, 321 Mercer Street at Seattle Center.

Tickets range in price from \$25 to \$160 (with discounts available for PNB subscribers) and may be purchased through the PNB Box Office:

- By calling 206.441.2424 (Mon.-Fri. 9am-6pm; Sat. 10am-5pm)
- In person at 301 Mercer Street, Seattle (Mon.-Fri. 10am-6pm; Sat. 10am-5pm)
- Online 24/7 at our website, www.pnb.org
- 90 minutes prior to the performance at McCaw Hall, located at 321 Mercer Street. (Subject to availability.)
- Discounts of up to 20% are available for groups of ten (10) or more by calling Julie Jamieson at 206.441.2416 or e-mailing juliej@pnb.org.

Please Note: No student & senior rush tickets or Teen Tix discounts are available for this performance.

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