

# TIGHTS AND TUTUS

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THE VOSTRIKOV ACADEMY OF BALLET

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## VYB presents *Peter and the Wolf and Serenade*

The Virginia Youth Ballet (VYB) will be staging its production of the ballet *Peter and the Wolf* and *Tchaikovsky's Serenade* in March. School performances will be held at 9:30 and 11:15 on Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. Public performances will be held at 2:00 on Saturday and Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>. All performances are held at the Virginia Youth Ballet Theatre at 20 W. Cork Street in Winchester. Seating is general admission. Tickets are now on sale at the studio. Admission cost is \$5.00 per person. Both pieces were choreographed by Gennadi Vostrikov.

### SAVE THE DATE!

*Spring Performance will be held on  
May 19, 2012  
2:00 & 7:00 p.m.*

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The Virginia Youth Ballet  
Presents

## *Jumpin' Jamboree: Auction 2012*

### The 22nd Annual Benefit Auction

*Choreography by Christine McNamara and  
Melissa Largent*

April 21, 2012  
6:00 p.m.

**Braddock Street United Methodist Church**

*Help the VYB provide a new backdrop for the  
Nutcracker Tea.*

VYB is supported solely by private donations of citizens, businesses and grants. Our annual auction is our largest fundraiser. There are many ways to help. Tax deductible contributions and/or in kind donations are graciously accepted for the auction. Perhaps you would contribute a unique personal memento or an item from your business, or come and bid and enjoy!

Donations can be brought to the studio or arrangements can be made for pick-up by a board member. For further information ask any board member or Auction committee chairs, Marlee Berger, Jennette Flacksenburg, Sue Myers or Barb McCann.

PLEASE BE CERTAIN TO CHECK THE  
ENTRYWAY AND/OR LOBBY FOR  
IMPORTANT UPDATES AND  
INFORMATION RELATED TO CLASSES,  
REHEARSALS AND PERFORMANCES

## What is the Annual Benefit Auction?

Each year, The Virginia Youth Ballet presents its largest fundraising event, *The Annual Auction*. The Auction has something for everyone. The evening begins at 6:00 with heavy appetizers and the opportunity to bid on silent auction items. Entertainment is provided by VYB dancers and is followed by a live auction. Children also have the opportunity to participate through the peanut gallery, auction items geared specifically for them. A 50/50 raffle and mystery boxes are available for purchase.

The auction provides great entertainment in a relaxed atmosphere all while raising funds for the Virginia Youth Ballet. This year funds will be earmarked to purchase new Nutcracker style backdrops!

The 22nd Annual Benefit Auction will be held April 21, 2012 at Braddock Street United Methodist Church.

## VAB & VYB CALENDAR February/March/April/May 2012

March 9.....	<i>Peter and the Wolf</i> and <i>Serenade</i> School Performances
March 10 & 11 .....	<i>Peter and the Wolf</i> and <i>Serenade</i> Public Performances
April 2 -7 .....	Studio closed for Spring break
April 22.....	Auction
May 2 - 4.....	Studio closed for Apple Blossom
May 18.....	Spring Performance Rehearsal
May 19.....	Spring Performance

### PLEASE NOTE:

**UPDATED REHEARSAL SCHEDULES ARE PLACED IN THE STUDIO ENTRY, IN THE OFFICE AREA, AND POSTED THROUGH OUT THE STUDIO EACH WEEK**

### Vostrikov's Academy of Ballet Remaining Payment Schedule

The final payment on the two payment schedule was due January 6<sup>th</sup>.

Remaining payment dates for the five payment schedule are January 6<sup>th</sup> (past due), March 6<sup>th</sup> and May 6<sup>th</sup>.

### PLEASE NOTE:

All accounts must be paid in full prior to Spring Performance in order to perform on May 19th.



### WANTED!

**Donated items for the 22nd Annual  
Benefit Auction  
*Jumpin' Jamboree***

**If you or someone you know would like to donate items for the auction, please complete an auction donation form so proper tax documentation can be completed. Donations to Auction are tax deductible!!!**

**Forms are available at the studio and are included in this email.**



# Virginia Youth Ballet

Dear Patron,  
The Virginia Youth Ballet is planning our 22nd Annual Benefit Auction.

**Saturday April 21, 2012 at the  
Braddock Street United Methodist Church.**

Perhaps you would contribute a unique personal memento or an item from your business. Or, you may prefer to give a monetary donation.

*VYB is supported solely by private donations of citizens, businesses and grants. Tax deductible contributions and/or in kind donations may be mailed to:*

VYB  
133 Albert Circle  
Winchester, VA 22603

*Contributions and/or donations also may be delivered to the studio at 20 West Cork Street, Winchester, VA or can be picked up by a board member.*

**Donation deadline is April 7, 2012.**

**Please tear off bottom portion as your receipt and return the top with the donation.**

Thank you for your support.

Auction Committee:	Item: _____
Marlee Berger	
Jennette Flacksenburg	Donated by: _____
Barb McCann	
Sue Myers	Address: _____
Phone: (540) 869-6833	
Fax: (540) 667-0799	Value: _____

### 2012 Virginia Youth Ballet Auction donation receipt

Donated by: \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated Value: \_\_\_\_\_

Donated Item: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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