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THE NUTCRACKER!

NOVEMBER 22 - 24

The weekend before Thanksgiving!

Performed by the professionally trained dancers and professional soloists of
The Pennsylvania Academy of Ballet Society!

90 minutes. Ideal for ages 4 and up!

CARPENTERS’ CHRISTMAS

DECEMBER 1

Join Michelle Berting Brett - who sounds just like Karen Carpenter
- and relive the history of the iconic brother and sister duo, their
Christmas albums and television specials!

EMMET CAHILL

MARCH 14

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND! The star of PBS’s Celtic Thunder
and widely hailed as Ireland’s most exciting young tenor!

THE HIT MEN

MARCH 28

The actual artists who helped rocket so many songs of the ’70s,
’80s and ’90s to the top of the Billboard charts.
THE HOLIDAYS AT UDPAC!

THE NUTCRACKER
presented by the Pennsylvania Academy of Ballet Society
A fun way for families to kick off the holiday season, the annual tradition features professional soloists and many of the region’s best dancers. The enchanting music by Tchaikovsky is one of his best-known works and the ballet, set at Christmas time, has become an American holiday tradition.
Stay after the Saturday shows (November 23) for holiday photos with the cast!

NOVEMBER 22 at 7 PM
NOVEMBER 23 at 11 AM & 3:00 PM
NOVEMBER 24 at 1:30 PM & 5:30 PM

MERRY CHRISTMAS DARLING: CARPENTERS’ CHRISTMAS
Merry Christmas Darling: Carpenters’ Christmas, is the definitive celebration of the brother and sister duo The Carpenters in words and music. Led by singer Michelle Berting Brett and accompanied by a live, seven-piece band, the show re-creates the Carpenters’ original sound, presenting an intimate behind-the-scenes portrait of one of the most successful recording acts of all time.

DECEMBER 1 at 3 PM
Sunday Afternoon Show!

LANSDOWNE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
DECEMBER CONCERT
Featuring Anderson’s “Sleigh Ride,” Samuel Coleridge Taylor’s “Christmas Overture” and selections from Handel’s “Hallelujah Chorus” with UDHS Concert Choir.

DECEMBER 8 at 3 PM

HOLIDAY SPECTACULAR!
presented by the Upper Darby Summer Stage Shooting Stars!
Join the hundreds of families who make this song & dance extravaganza a holiday tradition! Fresh from the 6ABC Thanksgiving Day Parade, the Shooting Stars light up our stage with their high energy performance of holiday favorites for all ages!

DECEMBER 20 at 7:30 PM
DECEMBER 21 at 2 PM

THE MAGIC SCHOOL BUS: LOST IN THE SOLAR SYSTEM
A TheaterworksUSA Production

APRIL 24 at 7 PM

PETER PAN
A TheaterworksUSA production
This enchanting production celebrates childhood and captures the magic of the imagination. “The hour-long presentation had enough childlike charm to color several rainbows.”
- The Courier News

NOVEMBER 8 at 7 PM
COMING IN 2020!

FOOTLOOSE
Proudly presented by Upper Darby High School
To the rockin’ rhythm of its Oscar and Tony-nominated top 40 score plus dynamic new songs for the stage musical, FOOTLOOSE celebrates the wisdom of listening to young people, guiding them with a warm heart and an open mind.
MARCH 6 & 7 at 7:30 PM
MARCH 7 & 8 at 2 PM

EMMET CAHILL, IRISH TENOR
BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!
Star of PBS’s Celtic Thunder!
Take a journey into the world of timeless Irish music! An outstanding performer, Cahill will perform fan favorites, selections from his album, Broadway songs, and nostalgic melodies. Plus, there will be one of Cahill’s famed “request medley” segments at the close of his performance.
After the show, Emmet will meet and mingle with audience members!
MARCH 14 at 7:30 PM

THE HIT MEN
Musicians Hall of Fame Super Group!
No one captures the spirit of rock hits from the ‘70s, ‘80s and ‘90s like The Hit Men...because they are the actual musicians who toured and recorded with some of the biggest names in the music industry. Elton John, Carole King, The Rascals, Jim Croce and more, they add Cheap Trick, Foreigner, Rod Stewart, David Bowie, Eric Clapton, Sting and more to their sets!
MARCH 28 at 7:30 PM

PENNSYLVANIA BALLET II
PASSION, POWER & PERSEVERANCE
Watch the stars of tomorrow master the intricate steps and musicality of the ever famous Allegro Brillante by renowned choreographer, George Balanchine. This is a night you won’t forget, one that will fill your soul with Passion, Power and Perseverance.
APRIL 17 at 7:30 PM

PENNSYLVANIA BALLET II
SNOW WHITE
This children’s tale will be brought to life through the choreography by Samantha Dunster and an original musical score by Kermit Poling.
(SENSORY PERFORMANCE AT 11 AM)
APRIL 18 at 2 PM

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