

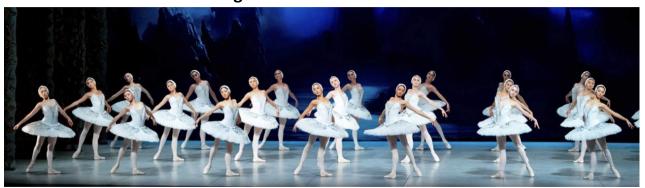




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Swan Lake Comes to Weinberg Center in Frederick as Part of World Ballet Series



FREDERICK, MD, January 12, 2024 — Swan Lake, one of the most beloved ballets of all time, comes to the Weinberg Center for the Arts in Frederick Maryland on Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 7:00 PM in an original new production. The one-night-only performance is part of World Ballet Series ongoing 2023-2024 U.S. tour.

Tickets start at \$55 and may be purchased online at <u>WeinbergCenter.org</u>, by calling the box office at 301-600-2828, or in person at 20 West Patrick Street.

Brought to life by an exceptional, multinational ensemble of 50 dancers, Swan Lake features vivid hand-painted sets, detailed hand-crafted costumes, rich storytelling, and Tchaikovsky's unforgettable music. The production features Marius Petipa's original choreography, lovingly retouched by Nadezhda Kalinina. Sergey Novikov is the scenic and costume designer, with special effects and makeup designed by Irina Strukova. World Ballet Series' Swan Lake is produced by Gorskaya-Hartwick Productions. Based in Los Angeles, Gorskaya-Hartwick Productions is led by Sasha Gorskaya and Gulya Hartwick, who have created, produced, and toured original productions of some of the world's most cherished ballets as part of World Ballet Series. Through their work, Gorskaya and Hartwick aim to develop the ballet audiences of tomorrow and ensure that the whole country has access to the art form. To date, World Ballet Series has travelled to more than 280 cities reaching an audience of more than 250,000, many of whom are first time attendees to a ballet.

Click <u>here</u> for high-resolution photographs of World Ballet Series Swan Lake. A complete listing of artists and performers scheduled for the 2023-24 season can be found at <u>WeinbergCenter.org</u>.

ABOUT THE WEINBERG CENTER FOR THE ARTS

The Weinberg Center for the Arts is one of the region's premier performing arts presenters, offering film, music, dance, theater, and family-focused programming. Located in the historic Tivoli movie theater in downtown Frederick Maryland, the Weinberg Center strives to ensure that the arts remain accessible and affordable to local and regional audiences alike. Weinberg Center events are made possible with major support from the City of Frederick, the Maryland State Arts Council, Plamondon Hospitality Partners, and other corporate and individual donors.