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Dear friend,

Ville Marie Feis is proud to present the **Irish Nutcracker** on Sunday, December 19, 2021. This production tells the classic Nutcracker story but with an Irish twist; Young Ciara receives a special Nutcracker toy from her Uncle Ryan at her family's annual Christmas ceili. When the Irish Nutcracker comes to life, she travels with him to a dreamland of *Irish* snowflakes, gingerbread cookies, sugar plum fairies, and candy canes! This year's show includes some great new additions to this wonderful production!

The cast is drawn from the Bernadette Short School of Irish Dancing as well as invited musicians and singers and these performers are VERY keen to be back on stage doing what they love after such a challenging couple of years through the pandemic.

Ville Marie Feis is seeking grant support from friends and family in the community to help offset production costs such as theatre rental, sound, lighting and costumes. Proceeds from the show allow Ville Marie Feis to continue to support the dancers in the Bernadette Short School including costumes, studio upkeep, travel and more. There are three levels of support outlined below as well as options to purchase an advertisement in the program:

# GOLD SPONSORSHIP: \$750

Sponsor receives 6 tickets to the show, full-page ad in the program and recognition on the sponsorship board.

### SILVER SPONSORSHIP: \$500

Sponsor receives 4 tickets to the show, full-page ad in the program and recognition on the sponsorship board.

### BRONZE SPONSORSHIP: \$250

Sponsor receives 2 tickets to the show, half page ad in the program and recognition on the sponsorship board.

# **PROGRAM ADVERTISEMENT:**

Full page: \$250 Half page: \$150 Quarter page: \$75

We thank you for considering supporting the Irish Nutcracker. Plans and rehearsals are well underway and fueled by the anticipation of a long-awaited return to stage, the enthusiasm of the entire cast, choreographers and crew is palpable! This show promises to be an Irish Christmas celebration for the whole Montreal-Irish community to enjoy!

Best regards, Marie and Bernadette Short