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Dear Arts Supporter,

Virginia Regional Ballet, a not for profit organization comprised of Virginia Regional Ballet Academy's most promising student and area professionals will be performing it's 11th annual production of *The Nutcracker Ballet* on December 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> with The Williamsburg Symphony Orchestra and guest principal dancers from the Fort Wayne Ballet at the College of William & Mary to an anticipated audience of 2700. Former artistic director of The Chamber Ballet for 37 years and VRB's artistic director since 2006, Heidi Robitshek's Nutcracker production has been a Williamsburg tradition for over 35 years, each year more magnificent than the last.

We believe Virginia Regional Ballet's commitment to presenting professional, family oriented productions is an asset and a welcome tradition in our community. Partnering with you in bringing to our community *The Nutcracker* accompanied by a live orchestra would be an honor and a privilege. It will be the only one of its kind between Norfolk and Richmond. In addition to 3 public performances, VRB provides 4 condensed educational performances for area school children during school hours. Because of your support, thousands of children each year have the opportunity cultivate their love for classical performing arts.

**Virginia Regional Ballet would respectfully like to request your financial support. In exchange for your tax-deductible donation in any amount, your name will appear in our 2017 Nutcracker program. As a special thank you, VRB will send you 2 orchestra tickets for every \$500.00 donated to enjoy at any of our 3 public performances as well as an invitation to the champagne toast with the Sugar Plum & Cavalier, the conductor and the artistic director immediately following the performance.**

Thank you for the opportunity to partner with your company as supporters of the arts in our community. We look forward to hearing from you.

Partners in Dance,

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