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ROYAL NEW ZEALAND BALLET

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR: PATRICIA BARKER

# Love to give.

## Dress Circle

As a valued supporter who cares about the future of ballet, show your enthusiasm with an annual donation of \$250, \$500, \$1,000 or more to **the Dress Circle** and make your personal contribution to the RNZB's ongoing success.

The RNZB could not continue to stage world class ballet every year without the support of committed individuals like you, and we are grateful that you have chosen to invest in artistic excellence.

We are pleased to offer special recognition to those who donate \$250 or more for our general, day-to-day activities. As thanks, we welcome you as Dress Circle donors and offer you unique opportunities to come closer to the company (see over for details).

## Annual Appeal

Following the triumph of his *Hansel & Gretel* in 2019, the RNZB is delighted to commission *The Firebird* by Choreographer in Residence **Loughlan Prior** for 2021. Loughlan is working with leading designer **Tracy Grant Lord** to re-imagine this Russian classic.

Be an integral investor in a new iconic ballet with your donation of any amount to our **Annual Appeal**. We are pleased to offer special recognition to those who donate \$250 or more to *The Firebird*.

## Friends of the RNZB

Express your love of ballet; join the **Friends of the RNZB**. For just \$50 (or \$30 for kids), you can join a group of valued, engaged supporters who care about the future of ballet.

Your membership will help us buy the hundreds of pairs of pointe shoes, thousands of metres of tulle and countless sequins we use every year! In return, Friends of the RNZB get membership perks, including a 20% discount on tickets, seasonal newsletters, invitations to company class and other opportunities to come closer to the RNZB.

Combine your Friends of the RNZB membership with a donation to the Dress Circle or Annual Appeal and ensure the success of your national ballet company.

Enter your donation and membership details on the enclosed booking form to support the RNZB in 2021.

2021  
SEASON

## DRESS CIRCLE

### Supporters from \$250

- Acknowledgement in all 2020 programmes
- Regular communications and company updates, and personal assistance with enquiries
- An opportunity to watch company class
- An invitation to join senior RNZB management for a reception at a designated performance (in Auckland, Christchurch, Wellington, and other centres when possible)

## DRESS CIRCLE

### Supporters from \$500

- All benefits available to Dress Circle Supporters from \$250
- Separate acknowledgement in all 2020 programmes

## DRESS CIRCLE

### Supporters from \$1,000

- All benefits available to Dress Circle Supporters from \$500
- The opportunity to attend a special behind the scenes activity (in Auckland and/or Wellington)
- Personalised assistance in arranging up to two 2020 tickets and one programme voucher\*

## DRESS CIRCLE

### Supporters from \$2,500

- All benefits available to Dress Circle Supporters from \$1,000
- An invitation to view a coaching session or rehearsal at the RNZB Studios in Wellington
- Personalised assistance in arranging up to four 2020 tickets and two programme vouchers\*

## PREMIERE AND DIRECTORS' CIRCLE, AND PARTNER A DANCER

Dress Circle and Partner a Dancer supporters at the highest levels enjoy a closer involvement and partnership with the Artistic Director, Executive Director and RNZB artists. They are key ambassadors for the RNZB, occupying a special place at the heart of the company.

## PREMIERE CIRCLE

### Supporters from \$5,000

- All benefits available to Dress Circle Supporters from \$2,500
- Personalised assistance in arranging up to ten 2020 tickets and five programme vouchers\*
- Personalised opportunities to observe the work of the company first-hand
- Personalised backstage tour upon request

## DIRECTORS' CIRCLE

### Supporters from \$10,000

- All benefits available to Premiere Circle Supporters
- Personalised assistance in arranging up to twenty 2020 tickets and ten programme vouchers\*
- The opportunity to invite RNZB dancers and staff to join your guests at any events you host in connection with a performance
- Bespoke opportunities to engage with the company, based on your interests

## PARTNER A DANCER

### Supporters from \$10,000

- All benefits available to Directors' Circle Supporters
- Become closely involved with the company's work through an association with a single dancer.

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*\* The Royal New Zealand Ballet is a charitable trust registered under the Charitable Trusts Act 1957 (registration number CC25091). Donations made to the RNZB of \$5 or more are eligible for a 33% tax credit from the Inland Revenue Department. No material benefits are provided in exchange for donations. Please note that the tickets allocated as part of larger contributions are not eligible for a tax credit. Friends of the RNZB memberships are not eligible for a tax credit.*