

PRESENTED BY ARTS BROOKFIELD
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE
NEW YORK CHINESE CULTURAL CENTER

LUNAR NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

喜迎鼠年春节文艺演出

PROGRAM

节目单

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

特邀主持人

Angel Pai, Host of *NYC Vibe* on PBS' ALL ARTS

LION PARADE

舞狮游行表演

Performance by Tony Chuy's Lion Dance Team

OPENING REMARKS

开场报幕

PERFORMANCES

正式演出

1. CHINESE FAN DANCE [秀色]

Choreographer: Ruirui Tong

Instructor: Jiao Li

Performers: Katrina Bernhardt, Brittany Chan, Stefanie Chan, Tiffany Chan, Xi Chen, Hannah Chu, Susanna Dolan, Helen Hung, Sarah Lam, Emma Lu, Hillary Zeng

2. BUTTERFLY LOVERS [梁祝]

Choreographers: Wanru Lin and Grant Zhuang

Performers: Wanru Lin and Grant Zhuang

Erhu musician: Yang Wang

3. WELCOME THE YEAR OF THE RAT [喜迎鼠年]

Choreographers: Wanru Lin and Grant Zhuang

Rehearsal Assistant: Yufen Kung

Performers: Ella Chan, Grace Chan, Tiffany Chan, Gabriella Chow, Isabella Chow, Olive Martinez Chu, Allison Deng, Ashley Deng, Emily Gracitz, Penny Gu, Aria Guo, Ellie Guo, Seema Huang, Zillah Huang, Genessa Kahn, Angela Lau, Ella Lee, Vivian Lee, Katherine Lin, Alyssa Luk, Danika Ng, Kisa Radjasa, Madeleine Simmons, Maxwell Tam, Stephanie Wang, Acelyn Wu, Yiyang Xie, Claire Yang, Isaac Platt Zolov

4. SINGING FOR THE SPRING CELEBRATION [新春联唱]

Music Director: Jiaoyue Lyu

Pieces: *Where's the Spring?* 春天在哪里?, *Happy New Year* 新年好

Performers: Amia Abduyeva, Daniela Audry, Sarai Bruno, Zurie Bruno, Yuli Chiu, Asher Essor, Avery Essor, Elena Lin, Leana Martes, Gabriela Shieh Poticha, Gavin Spencer, Charlotte Toole, Faye Wisedsuthichai

5. XINJIANG FOLK DANCE [新疆民族舞]

Choreographer: Wanru Lin

Performers: Kaidi Li, Xiangxu Li, Wanru Lin, Grant Zhuang

6. SICHUAN FACE-CHANGING OPERA AND CHINESE MARTIAL ARTS [中国功夫+四川京剧变脸]

Choreographers: Guohui Ren and David Fung

Performers: Niyant Dalal, David Fung, Nestor Gonzalez, Sally Jean-Baptiste, Giancarlo Montalbano, Angela Ng, Richard Ng, Guohui Ren, Joshua Rolon, Grace Sin, Michael Wallace, Sarah Wallace, Julia Xu

7. MONGOLIAN BOWL DANCE [蒙古顶碗舞]

Choreographer: Jiao Li

Performers: Katrina Bernhardt, Brittany Chan, Stefanie Chan, Hannah Chu, Susanna Dolan, Helen Hung

8. HANDKERCHIEF DANCE [东北秧歌]

Choreographer: Grant Zhuang

Performers: Ella Chan, Grace Chan, Gabriella Chow, Isabella Chow, Olive Martinez Chu, Emily Gracitz, Penny Gu, Genessa Kahn, Danika Ng, Kisa Radjasa, Stephanie Wang

9. CHINESE TRADITIONAL MUSIC [中国民乐]

Piece: Ye Shen Chen 夜深沉

Musicians: Jie Ji (Jing'hu), Wenjie Xia (Ban'hu), Liqun Li (Chinese Dulcimer), Junling Wang (Gu Zheng)

10. RIBBON DANCE FINALE [紅綢舞]

Choreographer: Grant Zhuang

Performers: Katrina Bernhardt, Brittany Chan, Stefanie Chan, Tiffany Chan, Hannah Chu, Susanna Dolan, Sarah Lam, Kaidi Li, Xiangxu Li, Wanru Lin, Grant Zhuang

ABOUT THE NEW YORK CHINESE CULTURAL CENTER

Founded in 1974, the New York Chinese Cultural Center (NYCCC) is a cultural and educational institution dedicated to promoting the understanding and appreciation of Chinese arts in local and global communities. For over four decades, NYCCC has offered professional quality classes, workshops, and performances in Chinese traditional dance, visual arts and culture through our School of the Arts, Arts-In-Education program, and public and private engagements. NYCCC has performed in 26 states and our programs reach over 100,000 people every year. Dance China New York, our resident professional dance company, performs works that span across all categories of Chinese dance including folk, classical, and modern dance to preserve the Chinese cultural heritage while staying relevant today. NYCCC has been featured on nationally televised programs such as the National Geographic Today, the 73rd Annual Academy Awards and the PBS special the Chinese Americans. Our students and teachers have been invited to audition for *America's Got Talent*. Our former students currently perform in Cirque Du Soleil's *KÀ* and on TV shows like ABC's *Quantico*.

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