



**BIRMINGHAM
ROYAL BALLET**

Director David Bintley CBE

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HIPPODROME**

Friday 29 September 2017

CONCERTO

Music Dmitri Shostakovich; *Choreography* Kenneth MacMillan;

Designs Jürgen Rose; *Lighting* John B. Read

First movement Momoko Hirata, Tzu-Chao Chou

Second movement Céline Gittens, Brandon Lawrence

Third movement Samara Downs

Three couples Arancha Baselga, Maureya Lebowitz, Miki Mizutani,

Yasuo Atsuji, Feargus Campbell,

Edivaldo Souza da Silva

with Artists of Birmingham Royal Ballet

Solo piano Jonathan Higgins

INTERVAL

'STILL LIFE' AT THE PENGUIN CAFÉ

Music Simon Jeffes; *Choreography* David Bintley;

Designs Hayden Griffin; *Lighting* John B. Read

AIR À DANSER

The Great Auk Ruth Brill

PRELUDE AND YODEL

Utah Longhorn Ram Maureya Lebowitz with Lachlan Monaghan

LONG DISTANCE

Texas Kangaroo Rat Tzu-Chao Chou

THE ECSTASY OF DANCING FLEAS

Humboldt's Hog-nosed Skunk Flea Laura Day

Feargus Campbell, Kit Holder, Max Maslen,

Valentin Olovyannikov, Hamish Scott

WHITE MISCHIEF

Southern Cape Zebra Edivaldo Souza da Silva

Jade Heusen, Yvette Knight, Maureya Lebowitz,

Anna Monleon, Rachele Pizzillo, Alys Shee,

Daria Stanculescu, Yijing Zhang

NOW NOTHING

Tyrone Singleton, Samara Downs, Amber Cook

MUSIC BY NUMBERS

(by Simon Jeffes and Geoffrey Richardson)

Brazilian Woolly Monkey Mathias Dingman with

Karla Doorbar, Reina Fuchigami

Contralto Rebecca Duggan

Royal Ballet Sinfonia

Conductor Paul Murphy; *Leader* Robert Gibbs

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ELITE SYNCOPATIONS

Music Scott Joplin and others; *Choreography* Kenneth MacMillan;
Design Ian Spurling; *Lighting* John B. Read

1. *Sunflower Slow Drag* **The Company**
2. *Elite Syncopations* **The Company**
3. *The Cascades* **Reina Fuchigami, Alys Shee, Daria Stanciulescu**
4. *Hothouse Rag* **Chi Cao, Kit Holder, Max Maslen, Gus Payne**
5. *Calliope Rag* **Alys Shee**
6. *Ragtime Nightingales* **The Company**
7. *The Golden Hours* **Reina Fuchigami, Max Maslen**
8. *Stoptime Rag* **Céline Gittens**
9. *The Alaskan Rag* **Daria Stanciulescu, Gus Payne**
10. *Bethena Concert Waltz* **Céline Gittens, Brandon Lawrence**
11. *Friday Night* **Chi Cao**
12. *The Cataract Rag* **The Company**

Piano Conductor Matthew Drury

With members of the Royal Ballet Sinfonia

**Robert Gibbs, Gwilym Hooson, Errika Horsley, James Potter, Alan Taylor, Jo Shaw, Ian Scott, Mike Allen,
Chris Deacon, Amos Miller, Jonathan Rees, Kevin Earley**



Approximate timings

Concerto 26 minutes; *Interval* 25 minutes;

'Still Life' 43 minutes; *Interval* 25 minutes;

Elite Syncopations 38 minutes

The performance will end at approximately 10.10pm

Sir Peter Wright's
The Nutcracker

**'No other version
comes close'**

THE SUNDAY TIMES

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