

# DANCE FESTIVAL PERFORMANCE

Brian Macdonald O.C., Head, Dance Division Brydon Paige, Assistant Head Betty Farally O.C., Artistic Advisor

> Calgary, Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Boris Brott

July 28, 29, and 30 8:00 p.m., Eric Harvie Theatre

These performances are dedicated to the late Alan Hooper

Alan Hooper was a member of the Dance Faculty at The Banff Centre for 4 summers. He was formerly a soloist with the Royal Ballet and at the time of his recent tragic death was the Director of the Royal Academy of Dance.

To him and the memory of his knowledge and talent as a dancer and teacher, we dedicate these performances.

# LANCEZ VOTRE RÊVE (Première)

Choreography	Eva Von Gencsy
Music	Collage - Alan Parsons Project,
	Pat Metheny & Lyle Mays
Set Design	Laszlo L. Funtek
Costumes	Julia Tribe
	Jane Reisman

Lancez votre rêve dans l'espace Launch your dream into space comme un cerf-volant et vous ne like a kite and you may be savez pas ce qu'il vous rapportera . . .

une vie nouvelle un ami nouveau un amour nouveau un pays nouveau

surprised what it brings you . . .

a new life a new friend a new love a new universe

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### This ballet is dedicated to Senator Donald Cameron

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Rene Highway
Brian Bender
Claude Caron
Bernard Edmond
*Jean-Hugues Rochette

Cast

Commissioned by the du Maurier Council for the Performing Arts, The Laidlaw Foundation and The Nickle Family Foundation.

Denotes member of Canadian Actors' Equity Association, ACTRA, Union des Artistes or AGMA (throughout program).

# CONSTELLATION I ‡ (Première)

Choreography	Martine Epoque
Music	Micheline Coulombe Saint-Marcoux
Set and Costume Design	Julia Tribe
Lighting Design	Jane Reisman

I like science-fiction. I enjoy the idea that humanity is even larger than just the Earth people. And maybe, one day . . .

CONSTELLATION I is a sort of encounter of the third kind. People from outer space wish to meet us and try to enter our civilization. They come, they present themselves, they look at our society, and . . .

Why do they prefer to return to their stars?

If an analogy is needed, CONSTELLATION I is an artificial association of structures, highly contrasting, each using particular items from electroacoustical musical language, and showing a formal profile defined in space and in time.

M.C. S-M.

### **CONSTELLATION I is dedicated to Vincent Warren.**

\*Gioconda Barbuto Leigh-Ann Cohen Sandra Currie Helene Fulton Francine Leboiron Cast

Kim Derenne Gene Kendrick Gaetan Masse Jocelyn Paradis

<sup>‡</sup> Winner of the Clifford E. Lee Choreography Award. A special presentation will be made at the Thursday evening performance.

### INTERMISSION

M.E.

# FINDINGS

# (Première)

Choreography	*Brian Macdonald
Music	J.S. Bach & Serge Garant
Set and Costume Design	Claude Girard
Lighting Design	Jane Reisman

In a time of terrorism, television, and plagues we have all become targets; innocence is early gone and possibly irretrievable . . . .

This work was commissioned by the du Maurier Council for the Performing Arts, The Laidlaw Foundation and The Nickle Family Foundation for the 50th anniversary of The Banff Centre. The score is made up of the Ricercar (in the Markevitch orchestration) from Bach's Musical Offering, Offrande I by the Canadian composer Serge Garant, and Bach's final six-part fugue.

B.M.

Vocaliste ......Iraina Neufeld

(from the Academy of Singing Class)

Cast

\*Annette av Paul \*Gioconda Barbuto Angela Borgeest Anita Bostok Leigh-Ann Cohen \*Svea Eklof Charie Evans Francine Leboiron Cynthia Westaway Brian Bender Kim Derenne \*Jacques Drapeau Scott Harris Gene Kendrick Gaetan Masse Daniel McLaren Jocelyn Paradis \*Jean-Hugues Rochette

# INTERMISSION

### WILLIAM TELL PAS DE DEUX

Choreography	August Bournonville
Staged by	Laura Alonso
Music	Giaccomo Rossini
Lighting Design	Jane Reisman
Costumes	Les Grands Ballets Canadiens

#### Cast

Mariane Beauséjour (July 29 & 30) Nancy Shainberg (July 29) Scott Harris (July 28 & 30) Claude Caron (July 29)

# PAS DE DEUX FROM SWAN LAKE ACT II

Choreography	Lev Ivanov
Staged by	Laura Alonso
Music	
Lighting Design	Jane Reisman
Costumes	Les Grands Ballets Canadiens
	and Jennifer Craig

The adagio from SWAN LAKE Act II is probably the most famous of all the great "classical" duets. Petipa created Act I and Act III, while Ivanov (his assistant who worked largely in his famous master's shadow) created Act II and Act IV (the swan acts), where the exceptionally lyric choreography allied with Tchaikovsky's elegiac music became a perfect marriage of movement, narrative and musicality.

In this adagio the swan-maiden Odette discovers her emerging womanhood while fearing for the safety of Prince Siegfried who is both her captor and the man she loves.

Cast

\*Annette av Paul (July 28 & 30) \*Svea Eklof (July 29) \*Jacques Drapeau (July 28 & 30) \*Jean-Hugues Rochette (July 29)

#### LES PATINEURS

Choreography	Frederick Ashton
Produced by	Alexander Grant
Taught from Benesh Movement Notation by	
Music	Giacomo Meverbeer
Costume and Set Design	by the Royal Winnipeg Ballet
5	as designed by William Chappell
Lighting Design	Jane Reisman

Some people watch ice skating and say how like dancing it is. LES PATINEURS shows us how dancing, among other things, can imitate ice skating. The ballet has no story; it simply organizes what any of us might see at a skating rink into a series of nine charming divertissements.

This one act ballet was first presented by the Vic Wells Ballet at the Sadler's Wells Theatre, London, February 1937, with a cast headed by Margot Fonteyn, Robert Helpmann and Harold Turner. We are grateful to Sir Frederick Ashton for his gracious permission allowing us to dance this work at the Banff Festival and to Alexander Grant for his supervision of this production. Our thanks, also, to the Royal Winnipeg Ballet for the use of their costumes and sets.

#### Cast

#### White Girl

Sandra Currie (July 28 and 30) Charie Evans (July 29)

#### **Blue Girls**

Mariane Beauséjour (July 28, 29, and 30) \*Svea Eklof (July 28 and 30) Nancy Shainberg (July 29)

# **Red Girls**

Leigh-Ann Cohen (July 28 and 30) Cynthia Westaway (July 28 and 30) Anita Bostok (July 29) Dawn Pyke (July 29)

#### **Brown Girls**

Marianne Hallal (July 28, 29 and 30) Lorna McConnell (July 28, 29, and 30) Colleen Susannah Smith (July 28, 29 and 30) Nancy Shainberg (July 28 and 30) Angela Borgeest (July 29)

## White Boy

Kim Derenne (July 28 and 30) \*Jacques Drapeau (July 29)

#### Blue Boy

Allan Barry (July 28 and 30) Scott Harris (July 29)

#### **Brown Boys**

Clark Blakley (July 28, 29 and 30) Claude Caron (July 28, 29 and 30) Bernard Edmond (July 28, 29 and 30) Daniel McLaren (July 28, 29 and 30)

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#### UNDERSTUDIES

Lancez Votre Rêve Nancy Shainberg, Allan Barry

Constellation I Angela Borgeest, Marianne Hallal, Clark Blakley

Findings Helene Fulton, Dawn Pyke, Allan Barry, Bernard Edmond

Les Patineurs Anita Bostok, Dawn Pyke, Brian Bender

# CALGARY PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA Boris Brott, conductor

# Violin I

Cenek Vrba, Concertmaster on leave of absence Susan Eddlemon, acting Concertmaster Xiao-Hong Fu, acting assistant Concertmaster Janice Amsel Theresa Kraucunas

Bonnie Louie Alla Magid Rafail Matyukov Sheldon Nadler Kathy Stewart

### Violin II

† Jeff Plotnick
†† Barbara Schneider
Eileen Atkinson
Craig Hutchenreuther
Robert Penner
Laurie Syer
Richard Van de Geer

### Viola

† John Thompson Laurel Candel Katerine Grigoriu Judith Grossman Faye Juggins

# Cello

Susan Nadler, acting principal Yuri Gindin Joan Kent Tom Mirhady Kirk Worthington Karen Youngquist

# Bass

Chuck Garrett Sheila Garrett Robert Kim Jozef Resovsky

# Flute

<sup>†</sup> Phillippa Fullerton
 <sup>††</sup> Genevieve Blanchard

† Principal †† Assistant Principal ††† Extra Musicians

### Oboe

- † Jean Landa
- **††** David Sussman

#### Clarinet

- <sup>†</sup> Steve Amsel
- **††** Mark Urstein

### Bassoon

- † Steven Franse
- **††** Michael Hope

### Horns

- † Kurt Kellan
- ++ William Hopson
- +++ Harriet Folfinck
- +++ Rosalee Morrison

#### **Trumpets**

+ Howard Engstrom Gordon Wilhelm

#### Trombones

- † Jim Scott
- ††† John Warkinton

# **Bass Trombone**

- † Mark Johnson
  - Tuba
- † Mike Eastep

### Timpani

† Tom Miller

### Percussion

<sup>+</sup> Tim Rawlings

### Harp

+ Julia Shaw

### Piano

+++ ALbert Krywolt, staff

# THE BANFF CENTRE DANCE DIVISION

\*Brian Macdonald O.C., Head, Dance Division Brydon Paige, Assistant Head, Dance Division Betty Farally O.C., Artistic Advisor

# Faculty

Co-ordinator

Lesley Forsyth

Stage Manager

Bernie Fox

# Assistant Stage Manager

Robert Lussier Elizabeth Barnard

Laura Alonso Maureen Consolati David Earle Alexander Grant Marquita Lester Clinton Rothwell Deirdre Tarrant Eva von Gencsy

#### Assistants

Michèle-France Cloutier Rene Highway

#### Accompanists

Tita Evidente Dorothy Gatird Betty Lou McCord Elizabeth Paivarinta Yana Volodarsky

# PRODUCTION

# CARPENTERS:

Andrew Chatham	Head Carpenter
Don McGoldrick	Head Shop Carpenter
Roger J. Busque	Carpenter
David (Pops) Fukakusa Kevin Paul Brown	Carpenter
Kevin Paul Brown	Intern
Don Dodds	Intern

# ELECTRICIANS:

Christopher Popowich	Head Electrician
Adam P. Stewart	Head Show Electrician
Barry Donlevy	Electrician
Bruce Giddings	Intern
Patrick Matheson	Intern
Kate Boyd	Electrics Crew
Lisa Carreiro	Electrics Crew
Jane Gregory	Electrics Crew
Ian Jamison	Electrics Crew
Peter F. Levitt	Electrics Crew
Darryl Machan	Electrics Crew
David Reilly	Electrics Crew
Tom Wright	Electrics Crew

# ERIC HARVIE DECK:

Richard Gregson	Head Stage Carpenter
Wes Innkins	Head Show Stage Carpenter
Jeffery Lyth Lloyd Fitzsimonds Marc Miron	Intern
Lloyd Fitzsimonds	Stage Crew
Marc Miron	Stage Crew
Jean Southgate	Stage Crew
Jean Southgate Bob Stewart	Stage Crew

# **PRODUCTION ASSISTANTS:**

Bob Snape	Driver
Linda Waldman	Production Office

# **PROP SHOP:**

Bryn Finer	Head of Props
K.J. Johnson	Buyer
°Andrew Ness	Builder
Aime (Vinni) Vincent	Builder
Edward Curtis	Intern
Brenda (Bear) Enn	Intern
Josée Richer	Intern

° member of ATAC

# SCENIC ARTISTS:

Sterling MacLean	Head Scenic Artist
Luke Ho	Painter
Kurt Rauchenberger	Intern
Réjean Labrie	Intern

# SOUND:

Michael A. (Sandy) Twose	Head of Sound
Grant Bardsley	Sound Technician
James B. Cormack	Sound Technician
Randy Thiessen	Head Show Sound
Irene St. John	Intern

# WARDROBE:

Sally Roberts	Head of Wardrobe
Mary Jo Pollak	Wardrobe Assistant
Patricia Smith	Cutter
Linda Grandmaitre	Tailor
Avril Stevenson	Cutter
Frances Sweeney	Cutter
Lesley Jones	Dyer
Lisa Cerveny	Milliner
Allison Yardley Jones	First Hand
Cathy McLaren	First Hand
Sharon Secord	First Hand
Susan Walter	Seamstress
Joyce Yee	Seamstress
Pamela Yates	Wardrobe Mistress
Linda Babin	Intern
Suzanne Bédard	Intern
Lise Bélanger	Intern
Marie Colson	Intern
Suzanne Foucault	Intern
Helene Langevin	Intern
Janice McEachern	Intern
Yasmina De Tackascy	Dresser
Heather Taylor	Dresser

# WIGS AND MAKE-UP:

Martha Gleeson	Wig and Make-up Artist
Elizabeth LeMoine	Assistant
Colette Venier	Intern
Shari Turner	Make-up Crew
Jean-Guy White	Make-up Crew

# **OTHER**:

Christopher Popowich	Assistant Lighting Designer
Liz Barnard	Apprentice Stage Manager

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The du Maurier Council for the Performing Arts, established in 1971, owes its successful origins to Senator Donald Cameron.

When Imperial Tobacco first decided to embark on a program of organized giving to the arts, company principals realized the need for input from an expert, and called upon the generosity of Senator Cameron, requesting that he examine their preliminary plans, offering whatever advice or direction he might be prepared to give. From the very first meeting, Senator Cameron expressed his total enthusiasm for a concept that would permit a marketing-oriented company to provide their expertise in that area, at the same time as they were prepared to permit an independent body of performing arts leaders to make the decisions as to where Imperial Tobacco's arts expenditure would fill the greatest need.

Donald Cameron not only agreed to serve on the first du Maurier Council for the Performing Arts board, but recommended all of the other original directors, and personally contacted them to invite them to share in his enthusiasm for the project. They all agreed and each of those original directors continues to act on the du Maurier Council today.

Over the years, Senator Cameron has moved form the chairman's role to that of honorary chairman, while one of his original directors, the Honorable Pauline McGibbon, has assumed the chairmanship.

The Council has added more members, to serve a more national need, so today a ten-person board administers the du Maurier Council arts budget.

Since its inception, the du Maurier Council for the Performing Arts has become one of the largest single sources of non-government funding to the performing arts in Canada. Over the past 13 years, Imperial Tobacco has, through the du Maurier Council, contributed more than four million dollars in cash grants to performing companies across Canada, supporting every facet of the arts -dance, opera, theatre, symphony and contemporary music. The Banff Centre has been the beneficiary of numerous du Maurier grants over the years of the council's operation.

In 1977, the du Maurier Council expanded its arts support program by establishing "The du Maurier Search for Stars', a nationwide audition program for individual performing artists in both the classical and contemporary fields of performance. The "Search" has since become an important talent development program, in which hundreds of individuals are auditioned annually by an adjudication panel which travels right across Canada to select Canada's future stars. Each receives a substantial du Maurier cash bursary and network television exposure.