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Dear Advertising Sponsors:

Thank You! Thank you for being a loyal advertising sponsor or if you are considering to be one. With your support we have reached our Diamond Jubilee Anniversary Season! We hope you have had a chance to attend one of our shows but if not, please consider attending one or all of them is season.

This 60th season, I invite you to be a part of a special **commemorative souvenir book!** Yes, book number 60! This year's book will be much larger - 8.5 by 11 - all with full color ads and of course photos from the past to the present showcasing many SBRI's historical events. With your ad sponsorship you will receive a copy for your keeping. **Additionally, on our NEW website, this commemorative souvenir book will be visibly displayed to the public.**

The State Ballet of RI's 2019-2020 Events – Season 60:

- ◆ Opening on **October 5, 2019** SBRI performs for the Gloria Gemma Breast Cancers Resource Foundation, *Flames of Hope & Waterfire Event* on the State House Steps in Providence, 6pm, rain or shine.
- ◆ **November** SBRI performs at various events within the RI community including guest performance with the Providence Singers on the 9th of Nov..
- ◆ **Four Family Friendly, FREE EVENTS “Project Ballet Coffee Hour”** are planned at the State Ballet headquarters in Lincoln: open to the public, each “work in progress” mini performances allow the public to view how ballets are created with question & answer sessions; October, November, March and April.
- ◆ **December 6 & 7, 2019-** A Southern New England Tradition-The State Ballet of Rhode Island performs *Herci Marsden's “Coppelia.”* This witty and enchanting love story of a dancing doll will come alive through an electrifying cast of dancers, colorful costumes and a snowy December wedding, making it a memorable family experience for the holiday season.
- ◆ **April 3 & 4, 2020–** SBRI presents its signature ballet *Giselle, a timeless love story of Romance, Betrayal, Deception and Forgiveness.* This haunting tale is about a country maiden Giselle who is deceived by a nobleman in disguised whom sends her into madness and which leads to her tragic death.
- ◆ Join Herci Marsden and The State Ballet of RI as they conclude their 60th season at the **DIAMOND JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY GALA CELEBRATION** on Sunday, June 7, 2020 at The Dunes Club in Narragansett, RI.

A new and exciting 60th performing season is in store for The State Ballet dancers and audiences alike. Please join us for any or all of our performances and experience the cultural treasure of The State Ballet of Rhode Island. Further, it is through your generous advertising support that it becomes possible for talented local and guest artists of many genres to create, present and preserve the art of classical ballet as well as excite and educate audiences in Southern New England.
Kind Regards,

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