



THE NEW OPERA
Playbill for June 2008

5 June, Thursday, 19:00

Cavalleria Rusticana - P.Mascagni

Musical drama in one act

Conductor Eri KLAS
Stage Director Kari HEISKANEN
Set Designer Ernst HEIDEBREHT
Costume Designer Maria DANILOVA

I Pagliacci - R.Leoncavallo

Musical drama in one act

Conductor Valery KRITSKOV
Stage Director Kari HEISKANEN
Set Designer Ernst HEIDEBREHT
Costume Designer Maria DANILOVA

11 June, monday 19:00

"Bravissimo!"

Opera mix in two parts

Music Director and Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov

Choreographer Ivan Fadeyev

Set Designer Viktor Gerasimenko

Costume Designer Maria Danilova

CLASSICAL BALLET FESTIVAL

6 June, tuesday 19:00

Swan Lake – P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in three acts

Imperial Russian Ballet

Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda



7 June, saturday, 19:00

Swan Lake - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in three acts

Imperial Russian Ballet

Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda

9 June, Monday 19:00

Spartacus - A.Khachaturyan

ballet in two parts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

10 June, Tuesday, 19:00

Spartacus - A.Khachaturyan

ballet in two parts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

13 June, Friday, 19:00

Don Quixote - L.Minkus, Divertissement, Carmina Burana - C.Orff

Imperial Russian Ballet

Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda

Don Quixote

Suite from the ballet

Divertissement

Novaya Opera Orchestra

Conductor Valery Kritskov

Carmina Burana

Scenic cantata

14 June, Saturday 19:00

Don Quixote - L.Minkus, Divertissement, Carmina Burana - C.Orff



Imperial Russian Ballet

Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda

Don Quixote

Suite from the ballet

Divertissement

Novaya Opera Orchestra

Conductor Valery Kritskov

Carmina Burana

Scenic cantata

17 June, tuesday 19:00

Sheherazade - N.Rimsky-Korsakov, Bolero - M.Ravel, Polovtsian Dances - A.Borodin

Imperial Russian Ballet

18 June, wednesday, 19:00

Sheherazade - N.Rimsky-Korsakov, Bolero - M.Ravel, Polovtsian Dances - A.Borodin

Imperial Russian Ballet

19 June, Thursday, 19:00

Don Quixote - L.Minkus

Ballet in three acts

Imperial Russian Ballet

20 June, Friday, 19:00

Don Quixote - L.Minkus

Ballet in three acts

Imperial Russian Ballet

21 June, Saturday, 19:00

Romeo and Juliet - S.Prokofiev

Ballet in three acts

Imperial Russian Ballet



Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda

23 June, Monday, 19:00

Romeo and Juliet - S.Prokofiev

Ballet in three acts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

24 June, Tuesday, 19:00

The Sleeping Beauty - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in two acts based on the fairy tales by Charles Perrault

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

25 June, Wednesday, 19:00

The Sleeping Beauty - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in two acts based on the fairy tales by Charles Perrault

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

26 June, Thursday, 19:00

The Nutcracker - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in two acts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

27 June, Friday, 19:00

The Nutcracker - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in two acts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

30 June, Monday, 19:00

Swan Lake - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in three acts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre



1 July, Tuesday, 19:00

Swan Lake - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in three acts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

2 July, Wednesday, 19:00

Strauss Gala

Playful ballet contest in two parts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

3 July, Thursday, 19:00

Strauss Gala

Playful ballet contest in two parts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

4 July, Friday, 19:00

Spartacus - A.Khachaturyan

ballet in two acts

The Kasatkina and Vasilyov State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

5 July, Friday, 19:00

Spartacus - A.Khachaturyan

ballet in two acts



20 June, sunday 19:00

**L'Elisir d'Amore - G. Donizetti
PREMIERE**

Music Director and Conductor
Eri Klas, chief conductor
Stage Director
Yury Alexandrov
Set and Costume Designer
Vyacheslav Okunev

25 June, friday 19:00

Eugene Onegin - P.Tchaikovsky

Musical Version by
Evgeny Kolobov
Conductor
Anatoly Gus
Stage Director
Sergei Artsibashev
Set Designer
Sergei Barkhin
Costume Designer
Eleonora Maklakova

26 June, saturday 19:00

**Sheherazade - N.Rimsky-Korsakov, Bolero - M.Ravel,
Carmen Suite - G.Bizet-R.Shchedrin**
Imperial Russian Ballet

Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda

"SHEHERAZADE" N. Rimsky-Korsakov
Choreographer Mikhail Fokin
Conductor Evgeny Samoilov

"BOLERO" M.Ravel
Choreographer Nikolay Androsov

"CARMEN SUITE" G.Bizet - R.Shchedrin
Choreographer Alberto Alonso
Orchestra of the Novaya Opera
Conductor Eri Klas

28 June, monday 19:00

**Carmina Burana - C.Orff, Walpurgis Night - C.Gounod,
Divertissement**
Imperial Russian Ballet

Artistic Director Gediminas Taranda

"WALPURGIS NIGHT" C.Gounod
Choreographer Mikhail Lavrovsky

DIVERTISSEMENT
Orchestra of the Novaya Opera
Conductor Valery Kritskov

"CARMINA BURANA" C.Orff PREMIERE
Choreographer Junea Murdmaa
Soloists, choir and orchestra of the Novaya Opera
Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov
Choirmaster Yulia Senyukova



30 June, wednesday 19:00

The Firebird. The Rite of Spring - I.Stravinsky

The Kasatkina and Vasilöv State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

Dedicated to 125th anniversary of Igor Stravinsky

"THE FIREBIRD"

Ballet in one act

Stage Director and Choreographer Natalya Kasatkina, Vladimir Vasiliov

Set and Costume Director Elizaveta Dvorkina

"THE RITE OF SPRING" (images of pagan Russia)

Ballet in one act

Stage Director and Choreographer Natalya Kasatkina, Vladimir Vasiliov

Set and Costume Director Andrey Goncharov, Tatyana