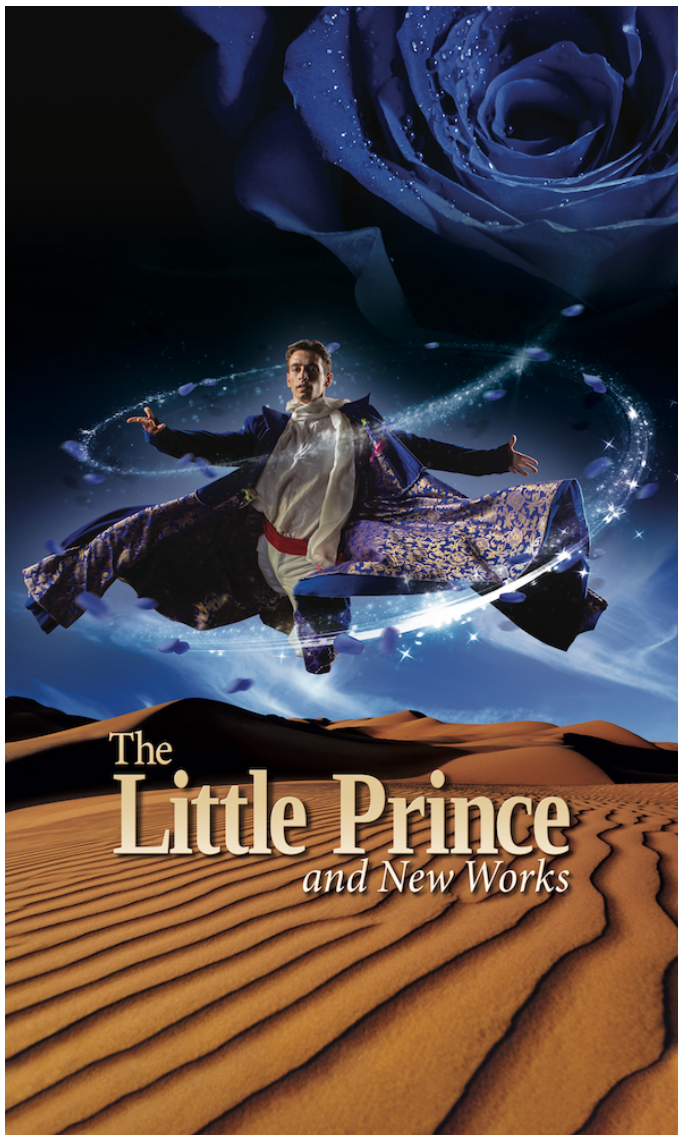




BV NEWS



On the first day of spring 2020, Ballet Victoria will present its premiere of 'The Little Prince'. Inspired by the book by A. de Saint Exupéry, Paul Destrooper's ballet shows us the world as seen by our inner child.

You may have heard that this book is the most translated work in the world! The Saint Exupéry Foundation has just announced the 300th translation of the book into hassanya, a dialect spoken by the Moorish tribes living in Cape Juby (now Tarfaya), in the southern part of Morocco. This coastal town is where the writer-pilot lived when he wrote 'The Little Prince'.

Since then, many things have changed. Gas lanterns no longer exist and the gas lamplighter's job has all but disappeared except in a few heritage streets in London or in New Orleans. So today children wonder what this planet with the lamplighter is all about? But children have not stopped creating images of the world to which they link their dreams.

If you ask your child or grandchild, as did the little prince, show me ... a plane for instance. Which picture would she or he choose to put in the blue frame? Before the 21st and 22nd of March, our newsletters will post some of the images, children dream up today.

St Exupery's plane



the child's plane



Send the picture or drawing done by your child or grandchild to petitprince@balletvictoria.ca. The pictures selected for our upcoming newsletters will win 4 free tickets to the "Little Prince" on Saturday March 21 at 7:30 PM or Sunday March 22 at 2:00 PM.

For information about the show visit the BV website <https://www.balletvictoria.ca>

Have you seen this picture before? What do you see?



The meaning of it is in that book.