



WEST CHESTER, PA – October 25th, 2006. *Love Bites!* The Brandywine Ballet Company kicks off its 2006-07 Season with the perfect Halloween weekend date night or pre-trick-or-treating activity, a full-length production of Bram Stoker's spine tingling *Dracula*, choreographed by Nancy Page. Martha Chamberlain, principal dancer for the Pennsylvania Ballet, guest stars as Dracula's love interest Mina. Tim Early returns in the role of Dracula.

This timeless tale of suspense, horror, and long lost love boasts one of the most notorious monsters in literature, centuries old Count Dracula, whose diabolical bloodlust preys upon the innocent, helpless, and beautiful in search of his one true love. Is there no end to the Dracula's wrath or will love finally conquer all? Costumes, scenery, and sets are sure to ignite your Halloween spirit for romance, scares, and mischief! The choreography, dancing, and music will truly uplift and inspire even the most jaded soul. Performances take place Friday, October 27 at 10:00 am, Saturday, October 28 at 7pm, and Sunday, October 29 at 2pm in the Emilie K. Asplundh Concert Hall on the campus of West Chester University. Tickets are on sale now at \$25, \$20, and \$15 depending on seat location – special discounted \$7.50 tickets are available for students. To purchase, call the Brandywine Ballet Box Office at 610-696-2711, or visit our website, www.brandywineballet.com. The Brandywine Ballet Company's performances are supported by the West Chester University College of Visual and Performing Arts.

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