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LINES BALLET



In performance with the

Shaolin Monks

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May 28 - June 1, 2008

Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco

Alonzo King's LINES Ballet
in Collaboration with the Shaolin Monks
music performed live by Melody of China

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Long River High Sky

With utter calm and fierce precision, the dancers of LINES Ballet and the Shaolin monks of China create an unprecedented synthesis of Eastern and Western classical forms. This collaboration represents both a blending of distinct cultural traditions -- ballet and martial arts -- and recognition that these arts of movement are convergent and intertwined.

Watching these two groups together, kung fu begins to look more like art for its own sake, and ballet like self-defense, and you begin to wonder if perhaps both are fighting forms after all -- fighting for a life of truth and beauty that all humans crave.
– San Francisco Chronicle

Spring 2008 Performances:

Wednesday	May 28	7 pm
Thursday	May 29	8 pm *
Friday	May 30	8 pm **
Saturday	May 31	3 pm***
Saturday	May 31	8 pm
Sunday	June 1	3 pm
Sunday	June 1	7 pm

Special Season Events:

- * Pre-curtain discussion with Shaolin Monks – 7 pm
- ** Post-performance conversation with Alonzo King
- *** Family Day in the Yerba Buena Plaza – 2 pm

Spring Ticket Prices: \$65, \$50, \$35, \$25

TICKETS:

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Yerba Buena Box Office: 415-978-2787

Groups of 10 or more purchasing tickets for the same date **save 20%**.
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Order directly through LINES Ballet by calling 415-863-3040 x250.

Limited student tickets available for Wednesday, May 28 performance and Saturday, May 31 matinee only. \$15 upper terrace section only. Student identification required.

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