

The background is a solid yellow color. On the left side, there is a large, dark silhouette of a tree with many thin branches. Overlaid on this background are four dark silhouettes of ice skaters in various dynamic poses. One skater is at the top left, another in the center, a third is crouching on the right, and a fourth is in the foreground, leaning forward. In the top right corner, the text 'Ice Theatre of New York, inc.' is written in a cursive script, with 'inc.' underlined.

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**Ice Theatre of New York's  
ANNUAL  
HALLOWEEN SKATING PARTY**



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## Program of Special Exhibitions

Performance from 7:30 PM – 8:00 PM

### SQUARE DANCE

(a work in progress)

Skaters:	Valery Levine-Thomas, Ken Moir, Moira North, Dana Sheill, Jennifer Chant, James Schilling, Cathy Martini, Patrick Dean
Choreography:	Rob McBrien
Music:	k.d. Lang, "Luck in My Eyes"

### DON QUIXOTE

Skaters:	Gary Beacom, Gia Guddat
Choreography:	Gary Beacom, Gia Guddat
Music:	Minkus, "Don Quixote"

### GYPSY KING

Skaters:	Suzanne Semanick, Igor Shpilband
Choreography:	Suzanne Semanick, Igor Shpilband
Music:	Gypsy Kings, "Duende"

Deep in the forest, two figures cling closely together while the gypsy campfires are burning. One must leave and the other must stay in the lonely solitude of the gypsy caravan. Their spirits are momentarily uplifted when the haunting sounds of gypsy music echo through the hills. They say their last good-byes by dancing their spirited and romantic dance.

### SHOOK FOIL

Skaters:	Valery Levine-Thomas, Cathy Martini
Choreography:	Rob McBrien
Music:	F. Chopin, "Nocturne #15"
Costumes:	Cathy Martini, Rob McBrien

### GHAZAL

Skater:	Gia Guddat
Choreography:	Gia Guddat
Music:	Najma Qareeb, "Ghazal"
Costume:	Gia Guddat

A Ghazal is a short lyric poem in Urdu. In India it is the supreme mode of poetic expression for romantic love – its agony and ecstasy.

### MALEVOLENT LANDSCAPE

Skater:	Gary Beacom
Choreography:	Gary Beacom
Music:	Patrick O'Hearn

### DIFFERENT TRAINS

Skaters:	Adam Leib, Valery Levine-Thomas, James Schilling, Jennifer Chant, Iris Savernik, Ken Moir, Patrick Dean, Cathy Martini
Choreography:	Rob McBrien
Music:	S. Reich, "Different Trains"
Hats:	Rob McBrien, Cathy Martini



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Welcome to Ice Theatre of New York's Third Annual Halloween Skating Party. All of tonight's performances are representative of the evolution of artistic skating as a dance form, and are indicative of the unique direction Ice Theatre is pursuing toward a new definition of ice performance.

Ice Theatre of New York is committed to presenting the finest professional skaters in choreographic works which celebrate and challenge the state of the art. Tonight's program includes works which demonstrate classical skating at its finest, and others which attempt to stretch the boundaries of traditional ice performance. Ice Theatre has recently been awarded a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts to explore ensemble artistic skating, this thrilling theatrical form, in which sport and art come together so uniquely.

Your support of the company will allow this process to continue and to grow, and we look forward to seeing you at future Ice Theatre of New York performances.

*Moira North*

*Rob McBrien*

Directors