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First of its Kind Encanto Concert Coming to Othello

Honoring wafila founder Jon Warling & celebrating farm workers

OTHELLO, June 1, 2017: Wafila is working with the Northwest's premier Latino dramatic tenor in bringing his award winning Encanto Music Program to Lions Park in Othello, WA. This is an historic event for the city of Othello. Never has an orchestra performed in the Columbia Basin that will combine classical arias and mariachi bolero. This mid-summer evening of enchantment is in appreciation for retiring wafila founder and local business owner, Jon Warling. It also honors all farm workers, marking the completion of the cherry harvest and the upcoming fall apple harvest. The event is family friendly and free to children under 17 who are accompanied by adult family members. Proceeds support the Iñiguez Family Endowed Scholarship fund assisting Latino children with college tuition. Event sponsors – local businesses and farmers – may purchase tickets for their workers or donate tickets to local community groups for distribution. General admission tickets can be purchased by the public online through Brown Paper Tickets for \$25 each starting June 5. See links below. Tickets will not be available at the door.

What: Encanto Sunset Concert

When: Saturday, July 29, 2017 • Doors Open @ 5:30 p.m. • Concert Starts @ 7 p.m.
Food and vendor booths will be present.

Where: Lions Park – 815 E. Pine Street, Othello, WA

Who: José Iñiguez; Ballard Civic Orchestra; Bailadores de Bronce; Mariachi Las Aguilas de EWU

Why: Honoring wafila founder Jon Warling & celebrating farm workers

Tickets available June 5 at Brown Paper Tickets <http://encantosunsetconcert.bpt.me>. Details and updates posted at <https://business.facebook.com/wafilaOfficial>. Local businesses and farmers may contact Greg Vasquez for sponsorship and booth opportunities at (509) 379-0984. **END**



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