

A NIGHT AT THE THEATRE



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WAUKESHA — Members of Ballet Folklórico Nacional de Milwaukee perform a traditional Mexican dance during “A Night on Mango Street” at Waukesha Civic Theatre on Wednesday night. About 100 people gathered at the theatre, 264 W. Main St., to enjoy a presentation celebrating Latino culture. At the event, there was a performance by Ballet Folklórico Nacional de Milwaukee, a cabaret inspired by the book “The House on Mango Street” and tapas from La Casa de Esperanza. The night was presented by the Waukesha Reads program, which is organized by the Waukesha Public Library, and there will be another cultural presentation about Latinos in the Midwest held at the Carroll University Campus Center on October 19 at 6:30 p.m.



Members of Ballet Folklórico Nacional de Milwaukee, a Milwaukee-based dance group that focuses on traditional Mexican dances, perform at Waukesha Civic Theatre on Wednesday.



Candace Decker performs a song inspired by the book “The House on Mango Street,” which tells the story of a Latina woman’s life in Chicago, at Waukesha Civic Theatre on Wednesday night.



Phil Smith performs a song at Waukesha Civic Theatre during “A Night on Mango Street” on Wednesday.