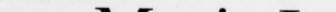
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# INTERTAINMENT



### Dance Project's 'Summer Splendors'

Andrea Parson and Franco Nieto of the Northwest Dance Project. The local group presents 'Summer Splendors" this weekend, June 6-7 and next weekend, June 11-15 in the project's performance center, 833 N. Shaver St. at Mississippi Avenue. For tickets, visit nwdanceproject.org or call 503-828-8285.







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### NAACP Honors Music Icon

Media impresario and humanitarian Quincy Jones has been selected as the 99th recipient of the NAACP's Spingarn Medal, the civil rights group's highest honor.

Awarded for outstanding and noble achievement by an American of African descent, the medal will be bestowed on July 23 at 105th NAACPNational Convention in Las Vegas.

Jones is also a respected humanitarian. In 1985, he pioneered the model of using celebrity to raise money and awareness for a cause with "We Are the World."



**Quincy Jones** 

The song remains the best-selling single of all-time, and raised more than \$63 Million for Ethiopian famine relief.

"Quincy Jones is an icon of the entertainment industry who has shaped the lives of millions through music, film, and more," stated NAACPChairman Roslyn M. Brock. "But what makes Mr. Jones so deserving of this award is how he uses his celebrity and influence to advance critical humanitarian issues across the globe. We are honored to count him among our prestigious Spingarn medalists."

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## **College Hosts Latino Festival**

Latino will take place on Saturday, June 7, at Clackamas Community College in Oregon City from ers and tours. noon to 4:30 p.m. The festival brings a variety of resources to the Latino community.

The sixth annual Festival food, health and financial resources, munity to the college and other imsoccer and an introduction to the college through inspirational speak-

The free event includes music, tunity to introduce the Latino com- dancing.

portant community resources.

Entertainment at this year's festival includes the popular Ballet Organizer Camilo Sanchez, who Folklorico, mariachi singer teaches CCC's Spanish GED pro- Stephanie Martinez, Azteca dancgram, said the festival is an oppor- ers, Colombian dance and salsa