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Mr. John Toohey,

Friday, October 23, 2015

I wanted to take this time to thank you for allowing us to host the Ballet Hispanico workshops here at Warren High School. Our student's thoroughly enjoyed taking class from the company members. The students got to experience improvisation and were allowed to feel free and comfortable in the dance setting. A lot of our students have not been exposed to dance until taking a class here at Warren so this was a great opportunity for them to experience a master class from professionals.

Thank you so much for providing us with tickets to attend the Ballet Hispanico's, "Carmen Marquia," on Thursday, October 22, 2015, at the Lila Cockrell Theatre. Every student that attended approached me and said, "thank you so much for taking us and selecting us to attend the ballet performance. I overheard some of the students saying how they had never attended, a ballet, that this was their first time to see a ballet performance. What a great experience for these students.

I myself attended the performance and was on the edge of my seat for the entire show. I have to say that the Ballet Hispanico's "Carmen Marquis", was spectacular!

From the stage setting to the simplicity of the costumes they worked so beautifully to tell this story that was portrayed through the dancer's movement.

Thank you for everything you and your staff has done to provide such great opportunities for our youth.

Sincerely,

Angela Pina

Fine Arts Dance Instructor- Warren High School