



## San Francisco students activists unveiled massive mural

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On August 26, SF student activists unveiled a 100 foot wide by 30 foot tall 67 Sueños Mural (67 Dreams) at 65 Ninth Street (between Mission and Market). This project was born from the dream of San Francisco migrant students looking to raise awareness of current immigration laws that neglect the realities of 67 percent of today's undocumented youth.

According to the organizers, the mural humanizes our migrant brothers and sisters, illustrates that they all have a dream and proclaims that no human being is illegal. Mentored by American Friends Service Committee youth organizer Pablo Paredes, seven San Francisco Bay Area migrant youth produced the mural's unique vision and narrative. The piece was rendered by Oakland-based Community Rejuvenation Project's muralist Pancho Pescador, volunteers, and local residents.



67 Sueños is a core group of seven students impacted by today's immigration laws have become true leaders in the struggle for migrant justice. The unveiling coincided with the launch of [67suenos.org](http://67suenos.org), where they share their work.

Rita Moreno: Life Without Makeup premieres at Berkeley Rep

In September, the Tony Award-winning Berkeley Repertory Theatre kicks off its new season with the world premiere of Rita Moreno: Life Without Makeup, a captivating new show created specifically for this outstanding actress. Written by Artistic Director Tony Taccone, developed by Rita Moreno and Tony Taccone, and staged and directed by David

Galligan, this production starts previews in the Roda Theatre on September 2, opens September 7, and runs through October 30.

During her career, Rita Moreno has portrayed some tough women, from Anita in West Side Story to Maria Callas in Master Class. Now this legendary performer takes on the toughest woman of all – herself. “I am truly excited as I anticipate telling my story on the stage at Berkeley Rep,” Moreno remarks. “It is great to be surrounded by such a supportive group of talented and dedicated people”.

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