

The Excelsior Springs Area Cultural Guild

Inspiring the Arts

Fall 2019

WELCOME to the launch of the Excelsior Springs Cultural Guild quarterly.

We encourage everyone to use it as a means of communicating notices of activities, news, or information. Please submit details as soon as possible for timely insertion. They can be given to me directly, or e-mailed to damarco213@gmail.com - please include a contact number for any clarifications.

Dave Copeland

1st Place

Prize Winning Float
WaterFest 2019



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The Excelsior Springs Area Cultural Guild

is a nonprofit organization dedicated to inspiring the arts. We encourage and promote appreciation for the fine arts through education and community events. Our goal of the annual events – Mardi Gras Murder Mystery, Gatsby Days and more – is to raise funds to provide scholarships for area students pursuing an education in the arts. This includes Art, Poetry & Prose, Graphic Arts, Music, Dance, and Theater. Scholarships awarded in the last 10 years total over \$28,000.



Scholarship Recipients 2019

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Meet the 2019 Winners

The information in the following bios was taken from their scholarship applications.



Logan Bown
Excelsior Springs

His interest in music began in Lawson in 2011 with the gift of a trumpet from his grandfather.

His family returned to Excelsior Springs at the end of his 7th Grade year after a two year stay in South Carolina.

He has been involved in theater as well as both vocal and instrumental music. He will be attending Missouri State University majoring in Instrumental and Vocal Music Education.



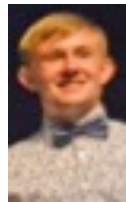
Karly Jennings
Orrick

Music has always been regarded as her first love. She has been involved with vocal music (both solo and choral), has played a number of instruments, and been very active in many theatrical productions. She will be attending UMKC to earn a degree in Music Therapy for special needs children



Garrison Kennedy
Excelsior Springs

During his Freshman year, he took a speech class and got positive feedback from the teacher. He later landed a small role in the spring play and in his Junior year joined another cast. His feeling that the theater has been instrumental in his growth as an individual. He will be majoring in Theater at NWMSU.



Trey Potter
Excelsior Springs

Trey started to play the stand-up base when he was only in the first grade. From there his musical abilities began to grow and branch out into different instruments and singing.

He plans to attend James River College to pursue an Associates Degree for Leadership followed by a transfer to Evangel University to complete a Bachelors Degree in Music. In addition to his ministry, he plans make a living at a recording studio.



Carlee Rupe
Excelsior Springs

Carlee's longtime creative talents has led her to a career in digital arts. Throughout the past year she has been enrolled in a digital media class at the Excelsior Springs Career Center.

She feels the field can offer opportunities in a variety of entrepreneurial areas.

Her continued studies in digital media will begin in the fall of 2019 at NWMSU



Victoria Vaughn
Excelsior Springs

Victoria's dream is a career in the performing arts. Her passion has "gone back as far as I can remember" but realizes that to achieve success will take a lot of hard work and determination.

She plans to go to AMDA (American Musical and Dramatic Academy) to get a Bachelors in Fine Arts Degree.

If success in her field comes, she wants to use her position to raise awareness of the needs of sexual assault victims.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Performing Arts Center

High School
Drama Department
Wizard of Oz
Nov. 8th & 9th

Middle School Band Concert
Nov. 21st
High School Band Concert
Dec. 10th

Art Crawl Second Weekend

Oct. 10th & 11th
Nov. 7th & 8th
Dec. 12th & 13th

Slightly Off Broadway Theater

And Then There Were None
Sept. 20th, 21st, 27th, 28th
Oct. 4th & 5th

CSP Halloween Show
Oct. 18th & 19th

Little Shop of Horrors
Nov. 8th, 9th, 15th, 16th, 17th,
22nd, & 23rd

Monster Ball



October 25th
7:30-11:30 PM