

2016



ARTSCOUNCIL
W I C H I T A , K A N S A S

**PREVIOUS ANNUAL
ART AWARD WINNERS**

Past Individual/Special Recognition

1969-The M.C. Naftzgers
1970-James Robertson
1971-Irene Vickers Baker
1972-Mary Jane Teall
1973-Cecil Riney
1974-Harry Litwin
1975-James M. Miller
1976-C. Henry Nathan
1977-Walter J. Duerksen
1978-Gladys Wiedemann
1979-(not given?)
1980-Richard Welsbacher
1981-Beatrice Sanford Pease
1982-Milly and Sam Marcus
1983-Martin Bush
1984-John M. Bell
1985-Betty and Richard Minkler
1986-Bobbie and Marvin Bastian
1987-Ruth and Charles H. Sanderson
1988-Mary R. Koch
1989-the Garvey Family
1990-Howard E Wooden
1991-Robert A. Puckett
1992-Wayne Bryan
1993-Anita & Larry Jones
1994-Helen and Jay Galloway
1995-Doris B. Nelson
1996-George Gibson
1997-Elizabeth and Charles Koch
1998-Helen and Russell Meyer
1999-Eric Engstrom
2000-Marti Connelly
2001-
2002-
2003-
2004-
2005-City of Wichita & Sedgwick County
2006-Sharon Mallory (Plane Crazy Event),
City of Wichita & Sedgwick County
2007-not given
2008-Project Beauty

2009-Lois Crane
2010-Mid-American Indian Center
2011-Mitch Berman
2012- Karla Burns
2013 – Babs Mellor
2014 – Ted Ayres
2015 - In recognition of Tanya Tandoc
2016 – No award given

Past Individual Artists Award

2001 - Ron Christ
2002 - Eric Schmidt
2003 - Dustin Parker
2004 - Hugh Greer
2005 - Maestro Andrew Sewell
2006 - Tom Otterness
2007 - Jerry Hahn
2008 - John Boldenow
2009 - Marilyn Grisham
2010 - Todd Whipple
2011 - Steve Murillo
2012 – Christopher Gulick
2013 – Curt Clonts
2014 - John Harrison
2015 - Larry Schwarm
2016 – Thomas Douglas

Arts Advocate/Individual Award Winners

2001-Geri Colgan
2002- Liz Kennedy
2003 -Dora Timmerman
2004 - Don and Shirley Beggs
2005 -Kelly Callen
2006 - Sterling and Paula Varner
2007 - Mary Ellen Barrier
2008 - Barbara Rensner
2009 - Jerry Martin

2010 - (not given?)
2011-Ron Holt
2012-Dan Rouser
2013-Joan Cole
2014-Kristin Beal
2015-Donna Perline
2016 – Armando Minjarez

2010-Tara Walker
2011-Dick Welsbacher/Joyce Cavarozzi
2012 – Richard Crowson
2013 – Aimee Geist
2014 – Katie Lynn
2015 – Ted Krone
2016 – Nick Johnson

Arts Advocate/Group or Business Winners

2001-Arts Partners
2002-Wichita Alliance for Arts
2003-The Fiber Studio
2004-Gallery XII
2005-Wichita Symphony Youth Orchestra
Program
2006-Wichita Downtown Development
Corporation
2007-Editorial Board/Wichita Eagle
2008-Marketplace Properties
2009-(not given)
2010-Plymouth Congregational
2011-Tallgrass Film Festival
2012 – Jesters of Wichita Music Theater
2013 – St. James Episcopal Church
2014 – Wichita Community Foundation
2015- Simon McHugh, McHugh Violin
2016 – Plant Hair; Linda & Tod Ernst, Graham
Ross

Business in the Arts Award Winners

1999-IFR Systems, Inc
2000-
2001-Printing, Inc
2002-LineSight Gallery
2003-Karg Glass
2004-Cabaret Old Town
2005-George Laham-Bradley Fair Concert
2006-Ron Doty-The Design Centre
2007-Spice Merchant
2008-Lawrence Photo
2009-Belford Electric
2010-Cessna Aircraft Corp
2011-Watermark Books
2012 – Jo Zakas, Clifton Square
2013 – Bluebird Arthouse – Emily Brookover
2014 – Senseney Music, Founder Denny
Senseney
2015 – Discontinued (See Art Advocate Group
or Business)

Arts Educators Award Winners

2001-Walt Myers
2002-Norm Terry
2003-Novelene Ross
2004-J.C. Combs
2005-Bill Harshbarger
2006-Lisa Hittle
2007-John Boyd
2008-Stan Rogers
2009-Not Given?

Youth Recognition Award Winners

2001-Nicholas Herndon
2002-Ben Kincaid
2003-Kelsey Mercer
2004-Emma Craig
2005-Escola De Samba (Boys & Girls Club)
2006-East High School Chamber Musicians
String Quartet
2007-Injoy Fountain
2008-Truman Glover

2009-Jenny Win

Youth Recognition Award Cont'd

2010-Thomas Murillo
2011-Rosie Beyer
2012 – Molly Gardner
2013 – Daniel Debolt
2014 – Chloe Cloud
2015 – Brendan Whalen
2016 – Evan Schelton

Gordon Evans Award Winners

1983- Gordon W. Evans (accepted by Dennis Evans)
1984 – Bob Braden
1985 – No award
1986 – No award
1987 – No award
1988 – No award
1989 – Helen Meyer
1990 – Wayne Bryan
1991 – Barbara Amsden
1992 – 1996 No award
1997 – Joan S. Beren
1998 – Carol Wilson
1999- Burton Pell
2000- No award
2001-Mary Lynn Oliver
2002-Belden Mills
2003-Joe Goodwin
2004-Dan and Shoko Severt
2005-Clifford W Stone
2006-Christine Paulson Polk-Project Beauty
2007-Delmar Klocke
2008-Howard Ellington Family
2009-The Devore Family-Bill and Alta Devore,
Dick and Ginny Devore

2010-Georgia Stevens
2011-No award
2012 – Mike Michaelis

2013 – Chris Shank
2014 – Mayor Carl Brewer
2015 - Martie Walker
2016 - Sondra Langel

Special Project Award Winners

1999-John S. and James L. Knight Foundation
2000-
2001-Paula & Barry Downing-Lowell D. Homes
Museum of Anthropology
2002-College Hill Pool
2003-Art Aid
2004- Paula & Barry Downing
2005-Holiday Tables-Designing Women
2006-The Gallery at Larksfield Place
2007-Pastoral Council, St Anthony's
2008-Asian Festival: Wichita Asian Association
2009-Terry Dozal
2010-Adam Hartke-First Fridays
2011-Botanica Children's Garden
2013 – Exploration Place – Star Wars Exhibit
2014 – Kansas Aviation Museum – “March of
Transportation” Mural Project
2015- Wichita Symphony Orchestra,
Bluebeard's Castle
2016 – Lavonta Williams, City of Wichita,
“Redbud Bike Trail”

Burton Pell Award (Since 2006)

2006- Linda Starkey
2007- Jacquelyn Dillion-Krass
2008 -Robert Town
2009 - Dr. Tom Wine

2010- Eric Crawford
2011- Denny Dusek
2012 – Marilyn Killian
2013 – Julianne McLean
2014 – Mark Foley
2015 – Samuel Ramey
2016 - Lynne Davis

Mary Koch, Harry Litwin, Richard and Betty
Minkler, Mary Jane Teall, Gladys Wiedemann,
The Chandler Family

**Special Recognition of Arts
Organizations**

1999-Wichita Community Foundation
2000-
2001-Kansas Watercolor Society
2002-Kay Buskirk-Northeast Area Strings
Academy
2003-Kansas Authors Club
2004-Chamber Music at the Barn
2005-The Kansas African-American Museum
2006-Wichita Grand Opera
2007-Wichita Art Museum
2008-Orpheum Performing Arts Centre, Ltd.
2009-Wichita Public Library
2010-Wichita Symphony Orchestra
2011-Wichita Community Theater
2012 – Wichita Center for the Arts
2013 – Theater League – Lion King
2014 – Creative Rush
2015 – No award given
2016 – No award given

Arts Organization Award

2013 – Friends of the Wichita Art Museum
2014 – Music Theatre Wichita Teen Choir
2015 – Ballet Wichita
2016 – Heart of America Men’s Chorus

**Hall of Fame
(Not given any more)**

The Bastian Family, Olive Ann Beech, John Bell,
The Boeing Company, Jay Decker, Olive Garvey,