



**EVANSVILLE MUSEUM**

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**The 58th Annual High School Art Show:  
Virtual Exhibition**

Work by students from  
Gibson, Posey, Vanderburgh and Warrick Counties  
in Southwestern Indiana

**March 28 - April 25, 2021**

This exhibition is presented in memory of Shirley K. Wright

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**This Exhibition is presented in Memory of  
Shirley Kremp Wright (1929-2003)**

Shirley Wright is remembered as a woman of tremendous style and a great love of the arts. A wife, mother of five and grandmother to ten, she had an amazing ability to provide encouragement and was considered to be “the glue that held her family together.” In 1963, only one year after the Evansville Museum Guild was formed, Shirley Wright suggested that the volunteer association organize an art exhibition of the work of local high school students. The High School Art Show has made an important impact on the lives of literally thousands of young artists enrolled in public, private, and parochial high schools in Southwestern Indiana.

In recognition of Shirley Wright’s myriad gifts and the tremendous legacy she has provided with the establishment of this annual art competition, we are deeply honored to dedicate this exhibition to her memory.

**JUROR’S STATEMENT**



Henri Matisse said, “Creativity takes courage”. As I judged the many wonderful submissions for this year’s art show, the one consistent theme that tied each piece together for me was just that... courage. Every submission is an example of an artist’s bravery and courage to put one’s inner soul out on display for the world to see, and in this case to be judged. I commend the artist’s daring to allow me, along with other viewers; to have a glimpse into their minds and hearts, the true powerhouse to their creativity. A block of clay, a palette of watercolor, a box of pencils, a blank computer screen, are all lifeless inanimate objects until the artist puts their hands on them and allows their creativity to flow unbridled from their powerhouse of creativity into their chosen mediums, and that unrestricted transfer, every brush stroke, every pencil line, every mouse click, requires courage. To

the viewers of these submissions, I ask for you to consider how much of yourself you would be willing, able or perhaps brave enough to transfer on to a piece of canvas, into a piece of jewelry, or unto a lump of clay for the masses to ingest, for the future to judge. To the artists, I plead with you, please continue to use the vast spectrums of emotion to fuel your powerhouse of creativity and allow courage to be your stoker. Thank you for allowing me to judge your work. It was an immensely humbling honor and pleasure to be part of this art show. Keep up the inspired work.

**Ricardo A. Rodriguez**  
Museum Director  
Baseball Heritage Museum

## PARTICIPATING HIGH SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS

Benjamin Bosse High School	Mr. Vince Cullison
Castle High School	Mr. Matt Fitzpatrick
Central High School	Mr. Harold Roberts
	Ms. Shannon Werner-Purkey
Evansville Christian School	Ms. Chasity Bates
Evansville Day School	Mr. Clinton Bosler
Gibson Southern High School	Ms. Laura Russell
Mater Dei High School	Ms. Toni Wallace
Mt. Vernon Senior High School	Ms. Kendra Glaser
	Ms. Audrey Kavanaugh
New Tech Institute	Ms. Brooke Congleton Wheeler
North High School	Ms. Jennifer Bretz
	Ms. Heather Swader
North Posey High School	Ms. Julie Wilson
Princeton Community High School	Mr. James Wallace
Reitz Memorial High School	Ms. Laura C. Ackerman
	Ms. Lenea Harless
Signature High School	Mr. Kyle Darnell
Tecumseh High School	Ms. Christine Woolsey
William H. Harrison High School	Ms. Sara Ruckman
Wood Memorial High School	Mrs. Pat E. Douglas

**CATEGORY AWARDS PRESENTED BY THE FRIENDS OF THE EVANSVILLE MUSEUM**

\$300 John W. Streetman Best of Show Award  
**Gracie Defur**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School  
*Saucy Fingers*, toilet paper and acrylic on plate

\$100 First Place Painting Merit Award  
**Zoey Malone**, New Tech Institute  
*Girl with Rose*, ink wash

\$75 Second Place Painting Merit Award  
**Brayden Pegram**, Gibson Southern High School  
*Stars*, watercolor

\$50 Third Place Painting Merit Award  
**Frank Wurtz**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School  
*Animals*, acrylic

\$100 First Place Drawing Merit Award  
**Debryn Taylor**, William H. Harrison High School  
*Self-Portrait*, graphite

\$75 Second Place Drawing Merit Award  
**Madison Aman**, William H. Harrison High School  
*Trafficking*, Micron pen and collage

\$50 Third Place Drawing Merit Award  
**Jessica Worden**, Evansville Day School  
*From My Mom's Garden*, colored pencil

\$100 First Place Printmaking Merit Award  
**Gabriel Blanton**, Mater Dei High School  
*Virtually Speaking*, linoleum block ink

\$75 Second Place Printmaking Merit Award  
**Gracelin Randolph**, New Tech Institute  
*Honey Bee*, block print

\$50 Third Place Printmaking Merit Award  
**Izzy Folz**, Mater Dei High School  
*Honey Bee*, linoleum block ink

\$100 First Place Graphic Design Merit Award  
**Reece Perry**, Benjamin Bosse High School  
*Dear Leader, Photoshop*

\$75 Second Place Graphic Design Merit Award  
**Mark Gray**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School  
*Iron Man, Adobe Illustrator*

\$50 Third Place Graphic Design Merit Award  
**Matthew Bell**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School  
*Kanye East, Adobe Illustrator*

\$100 First Place Mixed Media Merit Award  
**Jordan Seiler**, Mater Dei High School  
*Mr. Pelican, needle overlay on reduction print*

\$75 Second Place Mixed Media Merit Award  
**Liberty Whitledge**, Princeton Community High School  
*Roses of the Day, paper and watercolor*

\$50 Third Place Mixed Media Merit Award  
**Anna Greulich**, Mater Dei High School  
*Thirst, magazines, colored pencil, paint*

\$100 First Place Photography Merit Award  
**Anna Clark**, Reitz Memorial High School  
*Untitled Portrait, digital photography*

\$75 Second Place Photography Merit Award  
**Abi Lowery**, Reitz Memorial High School  
*Shower, digital photography*

\$50 Third Place Photography Merit Award  
**Aaliyah Puckett**, Reitz Memorial High School  
*The Apocalypse, digital photography*

\$100 First Place Ceramics Merit Award  
**Hayleigh Latham**, North Posey High School  
*Back the Blue, glazed ceramic clay*

\$75 Second Place Ceramics Merit Award  
**Madison Jaques**, Central High School  
*Frustration, low fire ceramic*

\$50 Third Place Ceramics Merit Award

**Rylee Julian**, North High School

*Self*, clay and watercolor

\$100 First Place Textiles Merit Award

**Taylor McKannan**, Wood Memorial High School

*It Looks Like a Horse, It Walks Like a Horse*, batik

\$100 First Place Jewelry Merit Award

**Annabelle Lansdale**, Castle High School

*Creation 1*, embossing, copper, nickel

\$75 Second Place Jewelry Merit Award

**Landen Snelling**, Castle High School

*Necklace*, embossing, copper, nickel, brass

\$100 First Place Sculpture, 3-D & Miscellaneous Merit Award

**Gracie Defur**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School

*Saucy Fingers*, toilet paper and acrylic paint on plate

\$75 Second Place Sculpture, 3-D & Miscellaneous Merit Award

**Ellen Aldrich**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School

*Hot Buttered Popcorn*, toilet paper and acrylic in box

\$50 Third Place Sculpture, 3-D & Miscellaneous Merit Award

**Holyn Williams**, Castle High School

*I'm Not Picky*, playing cards, acrylic, copper, nickel, satin ribbon, faux moss

## EXHIBITION CHECKLIST

### PAINTING

**Calissa Bonny**, Princeton Community High School, *Elijah McWilliams*, watercolor  
**Calissa Bonny**, Princeton Community High School, *Spiral*, watercolor  
**Gonzalo Cruz Cortes**, Benjamin Bosse High School, *Vengeance 2*, acrylic  
**Savannah Gambrel**, Princeton Community High School, *Axle*, collage  
**Isabelle Harper**, Gibson Southern High School, *Yellow Field*, acrylic  
**Lucy Harper**, Signature High School, *Bloom*, acrylic  
**Giana Kern**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Pinky Pink*, watercolor  
**Alexzandres Lorenzana**, Evansville Christian School, *Two at Sea*, acrylic on canvas  
**Jada Lott**, Gibson Southern High School, *Hop on the Bus*, acrylic  
**Zoey Malone**, New Tech Institute, *Girl with Rose*, ink wash  
**Alaina Meckler**, Evansville Day School, *Blooming Vibrance*, acrylic  
**Dunham Moriah**, Evansville Christian School, *Mother's Day Bouquet*, acrylic on board  
**Dunham Moriah**, Evansville Christian School, *Come Holy Spirit*, acrylic on canvas  
**Brayden Pegram**, Gibson Southern High School, *Battleship*, acrylic  
**Brayden Pegram**, Gibson Southern High School, *Stars*, watercolor  
**Allyssa Schulz**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Paris of the South*, watercolor  
**Anna Schwambach**, Evansville Christian School, *Creating for the Creator*, acrylic on canvas  
**Julia Volchenko**, Evansville Christian School, *Fawn with Pearl Earring*, acrylic on canvas  
**Ashlyn Welte**, Evansville Christian School, *Cats in Amish Country*, painting on board  
**Bailee Wilson**, Signature High School, *In Your Eyes*, acrylic  
**Tyler Woolems**, Gibson Southern High School, *Anything*, acrylic  
**Carmen Worthington**, William H. Harrison High School, *Mischievous*, acrylic  
**Frank Wurtz**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Animals*, acrylic

### DRAWING

**Sicily Aliota**, Reitz Memorial High School, *School Pride*, pencil  
**Madison Aman**, William H. Harrison High School, *Shaving*, Prismacolor and white gel pen  
**Madison Aman**, William H. Harrison High School, *Trafficking*, Micron pen and collage  
**Grace Blondin**, Evansville Day School, *The Source of My Carpal Tunnel*, ink  
**Grace Blondin**, Evansville Day School, *Mom Told Me to Clean the Floor*, colored pencil  
**Brynn Bodine**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Memorial from a Student Perspective*, pencil  
**Myah Brakie**, Benjamin Bosse High School, *Untitled*, colored pencil  
**Kady Burgess**, William H. Harrison High School, *Mr. Cason*, Prismacolor and white gel pen  
**Gonzalo Cruz Cortes**, Benjamin Bosse High School, *Vengeance*, colored pencil  
**Greta Diehl**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Diva Dog*, marker  
**Ella Dornburg**, William H. Harrison High School, *Carmenberry*, Prismacolor  
**Amber Duncan**, Tecumseh High School, *Grandparents*, pencil  
**Skyler Fletcher**, Central High School, *A Dead Bird I Found in the Road and Carried to My House*, graphite  
**Lyndsey Gentil**, North Posey High School, *My Eyes*, charcoal and pastel on gray paper

**Faith Guzman**, William H. Harrison High School, *OCD*, Prismacolor and white gel pen  
**Dillon Hawkins**, Evansville Christian School, *Frigid Mountain*, chalk pastel  
**Emilee Hogan**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *First Breath*, colored pencil  
**Kealie Hood**, Evansville Christian School, *Apocalypse of Gen-Z*, pen and ink  
**Emma Hunt**, William H. Harrison High School, *All Eyes on Me*, watercolor and Micron pen  
**Michael Key**, North High School, *Lips*, graphite  
**Michael Key**, North High School, *Metamorphosis*, graphite  
**Lynnea Klemczewski**, New Tech Institute, *Untitled (cat)*, graphite  
**Sofie Koenig**, Castle High School, *Stinky Rat Boy with Mustache*, colored pencil  
**Jesse Kunst**, Evansville Day School, *The Flower of Her Love*, colored pencil  
**Jada Lott**, Gibson Southern High School, *Tree Frog*, Prismacolor  
**Faith McPhee**, Castle High School, *Looking Beyond*, graphite  
**Meredith Meunier**, Reitz Memorial High School, *My Favorite Brother Jack*, ink pen  
**Lindsey Moorman**, Central High School, *Sunflower*, soft pastel  
**Skylar Newman**, Benjamin Bosse High School, *Grandpa*, graphite  
**Madison Schaefer**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Odie*, ink pen  
**Katharine Scheithe**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Cliffhanger*, pencil  
**Cloe Schnerr**, Central High School, *He Listened*, scratchboard  
**Jasmine Sherman**, Princeton Community High School, *Face Card Design (Dragon King of Diamonds)*, Prismacolor  
**Isabella Stratton**, Castle High School, *Conflicting Duality*, charcoal  
**Chris Swayer**, New Tech Institute, *Untitled (owl)*, graphite  
**Lainey Sweeney**, Benjamin Bosse High School, *Untitled*, oil pastel  
**Arianna Tate**, North High School, *Tears of Envy*, Prismacolor  
**Debryn Taylor**, William H. Harrison High School, *Bronte'*, Prismacolor and white gel pen  
**Debryn Taylor**, William H. Harrison High School, *Self-Portrait*, graphite  
**Kane Wilsey**, Evansville Day School, *The Empty Sink*, ink  
**Kane Wilsey**, Evansville Day School, *Roy G. Biv*, colored pencil  
**Luke Woodyard**, Reitz Memorial High School, *An Afternoon Graze*, colored pencil  
**Mary Woolston**, Central High School, *The Mushroom Stands Alone*, graphite  
**Jessica Worden**, Evansville Day School, *Boats*, ink  
**Jessica Worden**, Evansville Day School, *From My Mom's Garden*, colored pencil  
**Chloe Yune**, Signature High School, *Topography*, oil pastel

## **PRINTMAKING**

**Alisha Ahmed**, Signature High School, *Fairy Garden*, linoleum print  
**Gabriel Blanton**, Mater Dei High School, *Virtually Speaking*, linoleum block ink  
**Sydney Bosecker**, Central High School, *Malfunction*, relief print and ink  
**Sam DeTalente**, Evansville Christian School, *Serpent and Spear*, relief block print  
**Sam DeTalente**, Evansville Christian School, *A Ray of Sunshine*, relief block print  
**Izzy Folz**, Mater Dei High School, *Honey Bee*, linoleum block ink  
**Aydyn Freeman**, Evansville Christian School, *Rock Guitar*, relief block printmaking  
**Autumn Fulps**, Princeton Community High School, *Valorous Flight*, glue print  
**Anna Miller**, New Tech Institute, *Alice*, block print and watercolor



**Hannah Moore**, Evansville Christian School, *Haute Couture*, serigraph/mono-print  
**Hannah Moore**, Evansville Christian School, *Idol Crush*, serigraph/mono-print  
**Julianne Pardon**, North Posey High School, *Sheba's Birthday*, drypoint etching  
**Gracelin Randolph**, New Tech Institute, *Honey Bee*, block print  
**Allie Rusk**, Mater Dei High School, *Aloe You Very Much*, reduction print  
**Chris Sawyer**, New Tech Institute, *Frog*, block print on hand-drawn background

#### GRAPHIC DESIGN

**Kate Baba**, Signature High School, *Verte*, digital collage  
**Matthew Bell**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Kanye East*, Adobe Illustrator  
**Brady Bowman**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Animal Topography*, Adobe Illustrator  
**Mark Gray**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Iron Man*, Adobe Illustrator  
**Brandon Juarez Fernandez**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Christmas Card: Feliz Navidad*, Adobe Illustrator  
**Reece Perry**, Benjamin Bosse High School, *Dear Leader*, Adobe Photoshop  
**Rylee Schmuck**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Giraffe*, Adobe Illustrator  
**Ryan Spaulding**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Ruby da Cherry*, Adobe Illustrator  
**James Taylor**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Harry Potter*, Adobe Illustrator

#### MIXED MEDIA

**Kayla Allen**, Central High School, *Decomposition*, watercolor and ink  
**Kate Baba**, Signature High School, *Angelic*, digital collage and acrylic  
**Anna Greulich**, Mater Dei High School, *Thirst*, magazines, colored pencil, paint  
**Mia Jaranowski**, Evansville Christian School, *Half Full*, collage  
**Lydia Kreitemyer**, Signature High School, *Purple Moo*, linoleum print and watercolor  
**Jordan Seiler**, Mater Dei High School, *Mr. Pelican*, needle overlay on reduction print  
**Liberty Whitledge**, Princeton Community High School, *Roses of the Day*, paper and watercolor

#### PHOTOGRAPHY

**Marylouise Campbell**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Field*, digital photography  
**Anna Clark**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Untitled Portrait*, digital photography  
**Chloe Gonzales**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Gears*, digital photography  
**Katie Jo Hirsch**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Moving to Beat*, digital photography  
**Lucas Hoffman**, Reitz Memorial High School, *View of the Heavens*, digital photography  
**Abi Lowery**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Relic*, digital photography  
**Abi Lowery**, Reitz Memorial High School, *Shower*, digital photography  
**Kinsley Nobles**, Reitz Memorial High School, *West Wing*, digital photography  
**Aaliyah Puckett**, Reitz Memorial High School, *The Apocalypse*, digital photography

#### CERAMICS

**Madison Acton**, Central High School, *Motherhood*, low fire ceramic  
**Ashlynn Anderson**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Willow in the Rough*, horse hair ceramic  
**Zoey Birchler**, North High School, *Feasting Fae*, low fire glazeware  
**Zoey Birchler**, North High School, *Peregrine*, low fire glazeware

**Olivia Braddam**, Central High School, *My World*, low fire ceramic  
**Cierra Brooks**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Ace*, glazed stoneware  
**Taylor Freeman**, North Posey High School, *Penny for Your Thoughts*, glazed ceramic clay and attached pennies  
**Taylor Freeman**, North Posey High School, *Flower Vaseology*, glazed ceramic clay  
**Evan Hanson**, Central High School, *Crimson & Confetti*, low fire, thrown ceramic  
**Jenna Heath**, North Posey High School, *COVID Free*, glazed ceramic clay  
**Addison Heines**, North High School, *Hive Honey Jar*, low fire glazeware  
**Jennifer Hoang**, North High School, *Unusual Companions*, acrylic on bisqueware  
**Madison Jaques**, Central High School, *Frustration*, low fire ceramic  
**Rylee Julian**, North High School, *Self*, clay and watercolor  
**Lilly Kerby**, North Posey High School, *A Kiss to Make It All Better*, glazed ceramic clay  
**Claire Killian**, Central High School, *Solitary*, low fire ceramic  
**Hayleigh Latham**, North Posey High School, *Back the Blue*, glazed ceramic clay  
**Kara Millay**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Kraken Attack*, glazed stoneware  
**Thea Scott**, North High School, *Sloth*, low fire glazeware  
**Landon Wagner**, North High School, *An Box*, low fire glazeware  
**Macy Windell**, North High School, *Beauty Standards*, low fire glazeware

#### TEXTILES

**Taylor McKannan**, Wood Memorial High School, *It Looks Like a Horse, It Walks Like a Horse*, batik

#### JEWELRY

**Annabelle Lansdale**, Castle High School, *Creation 1*, embossing, copper, nickel  
**Landen Snelling**, Castle High School, *Necklace*, embossing, copper, nickel, brass

#### SCULPTURE, 3-DIMENSIONAL & MISCELLANEOUS

**Ellen Aldrich**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Hot Buttered Popcorn*, toilet paper and acrylic in box  
**Ashtyn Davis**, Princeton Community High School, *Nike Tennis Shoes*, assorted corrugated cardboard  
**Gracie Defur**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Saucy Fingers*, toilet paper and acrylic on plate  
**Madeline Elleser**, North High School, *Diamond Eyes*, acrylic sheets, wood board, epoxy glue, ceramic snakes, ceramic cougar head, gold spray paint, black vinyl stickers, black gems, gold chain purse strap, jump rings  
**Zack Fischer**, Mater Dei High School, *Yeah Toast!*, cardboard  
**Sara Griffin**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Wild*, papier-mâché  
**Katelyn Happe**, Mater Dei High School, *Campfire Delight*, cardboard  
**Chloe Hardigree**, North High School, *Venetian Masquerade*, raku and beads  
**Sara Martin**, Princeton Community High School, *Viking Helmet*, assorted corrugated cardboard  
**Rhya McIntyre**, Princeton Community High School, *Deconstructed Chucks*, assorted corrugated cardboard

**Malakye Moody**, Princeton Community High School, *Moody FastTracks*, assorted corrugated cardboard

**Avi Schneider**, Mt. Vernon Senior High School, *Flipping Out*, papier-mâché

**Raina Slay**, Princeton Community High School, *Pumps with a Bow*, assorted corrugated cardboard

**Ben St. Pierre**, Mater Dei High School, *I Wanna Be a Cowboy*, cardboard

**Kelsey Wilhite**, Gibson Southern High School, *View of the Snail*, papier-mâché

**Holyn Williams**, Castle High School, *I'm Not Picky*, playing Cards, acrylic, copper, nickel, satin Ribbon, faux moss