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LOCAL MUSCIANS COMPETE FOR THE TITLE OF CHARLOTTE'S IDOL – YOU CAN BE A JUDGE!

Charlotte, MI, September 26, 2016–Congratulations to your Charlotte's Idol finalists!

Haven Hiatt (accompanied by Anna Rudnitsky and Emma Bartley) from Charlotte
Monte Pride from Okemos
Emily Whatley from Charlotte
Deshawn "Shawn" Pauling from Eaton Rapids
Mikayla Smith from Charlotte
Hope Olivia Bishop from Eaton Rapids
Brandon Michael McCoy from Charlotte
Bridgette AnnMarie Gulock from Diamondale
Morgan Gonzales from Charlotte
Clayton Jones from Charlotte
Danella Virgo from Charlotte
Joel Krupa from Eaton Rapids
Brooke Leinbaugh from Leslie



They will be competing for the vote of our four judges: Vince Vu, John Merrit, Donnie Brown, and YOU THE AUDIENCE! That's right you get a chance to help crown the 2017 Charlotte's Idol Champion. Our champion will receive a paid contract to perform a 20 minute opening set on Friday, October 14 for Joshua Davis (the third place winner on THE VOICE) and an invitation to perform on July 13, 2017 with the City of Charlotte's Concerts on the Courthouse Lawn Series. Our second and third place winners will also receive trophies and invitations to perform at the July 13, 2017 concert.

These rising stars will compete on Saturday, October 1 at 7:30pm at your Charlotte Performing Arts Center. Tickets for your chance to be a judge are only \$10.00 and available at www.CharlottePerformingArtsCenter.com or Monday-Friday from 9am – 12pm by phone at 517-541-5690 or in person at the box office located at 378 State Street in Charlotte.

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