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**Past Winners  
Musician of the Year Award**

2024	Angela Terrell
2023	Everett McConn
2022	Nansi Carroll
2021	None
2020	Will Kesling
2019	Ruth Lewis
2018	Mitchell Estrin
2017	Steven Lee Bingham and Gerald Poe
2016	William Dishman
2015	Russ Robinson
2014	Crystal Miles
2013	Robert Jackson
2012	Ronald Burrichter and Brenda Smith
2011	Claudia Brill
2010	Cathy DeWitt
2009	Wanda Louie
2008	Suzanne Carpenter
2007	Mark Coffey
2006	Cheryl Poe
2005	Rebecca Micha
2004	Budd A. Udell
2003	Richard W. Bowles
2002	Mary Louise Hyatt
2001	Sarah B. Fouse

2000	Franciska Jaeger
1999	Glen Smerage
1998	Frances Weaver
1997	Gary Langford
1996	Barbara Young
1995	Betty Keig
1994	Elwood Keister and Gloria Keister
1993	Delma Nelson
1992	David Kushner
1991	Richard E. Hord
1990	Reid Poole
1989	Bernice Maskin
1988	Elinor Bailey
1987	Willis Bodine
1986	Delbert Sterrett
1985	Jane Sterrett
1984	Louise Northrop
1983	Catherine Murphree
1982	Dorothy Reaves
1981	Tommy Waldo
1980	Helen Bell Jones
1979	H.B. Bachman
1978	Russell Danburg
1977	Bernice Hack
1976	Robert Carson

1975	Claude Mrphree
1974	Betsy Schnell