

The J's Annual Fundraiser

KC Super Star 2026



★ **Micaela Diamond**
Celebrity host & performer

SEMIFINALS

JUNE 4 • 7 P.M.
The White Theatre at The J

FINALS

AUGUST 30 • 7 P.M.
(Patron Party, 5 p.m.)
Johnson County Community College

Past KC SuperStar Winners (Pictured from left to right)
★ Brett Oplotnik, 2023 ★ Magdalena Nguyen, 2024
★ Rayna Key, 2025

Event Chairs: Alana Muller & Marc Hammer
Honorary Chair: Herb Buchbinder

Benefitting
J Jewish Community Center
of Greater Kansas City

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ABOUT US

KC SuperStar: Showcasing exceptional high school talent while supporting The J

Now in its 17th year, KC SuperStar is The J's signature annual fundraiser and a well-established high school vocal competition in the Kansas City region. Open to students from across the metro, the program combines meaningful scholarship support with a professionally produced performance experience that challenges young artists while engaging the broader community. KC SuperStar is intentionally designed to be both impactful and aspirational. Students perform before experienced judges and a live audience, gaining confidence, discipline, and real-world performance experience. This year, the program will award more than \$30,000 in scholarships, including a \$15,000 grand prize, while directly supporting The J's ability to provide accessible, high-quality programs across fitness, education, arts, and community services.

The success of KC SuperStar is made possible through the generous support of donors who believe in investing in young talent and strengthening the community. Donors are invited to attend both the Semifinal and Final rounds, culminating in a fully staged performance at Yardley Hall. The evening begins with a pre-show reception, offering time to connect with fellow supporters and celebrate the talent on stage alongside the mission it supports. Immediately following the Finals performance, Diamond Record level sponsors and above are invited to a private VIP reception where they may congratulate the finalists and take photos with Micaela Diamond, the celebrity host.

About The J

Founded in 1914, The J is a welcoming community rooted in Jewish values that serves people of all ages, backgrounds and faiths. With a mission to build a strong, vibrant and inclusive community, The J provides opportunities for connection, learning and personal growth in a safe and respectful environment that many consider a home away from home. The J serves the greater Kansas City community through a wide range of programs focused on wellness, education, arts and culture, and lifelong engagement. The J leverages funds raised by initiatives like KC SuperStar to reduce financial barriers to programming participation. This is just one of the many ways The J continues to invest in the future and strengthen the community at large.



A portion of the proceeds of KC SuperStar support the Reat Griffin Underwood Rising Stars Fund.

Join us in making a difference through the power of music and community at KC SuperStar! Your support not only nurtures talent but also fosters a stronger, more connected Greater Kansas City.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

PRESENTING SPONSOR \$50,000

- 14 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill plus full page ad on inside cover
- Recognition on website
- Signage at Auditions, Semifinals, & Finals
- Donor recognition in a thank you ad in The Jewish Chronicle
- VIP Reception after the show
- Name or logo on all applicable collateral materials

EVENT SPONSOR \$25,000

- 12 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill plus full-page ad
- Recognition on website
- Signage at Auditions, Semifinals, & Finals
- Donor recognition in a thank you ad in The Jewish Chronicle
- VIP Reception after the show
- Name or logo on all applicable collateral materials

DOUBLE DIAMOND RECORD \$15,000

- 10 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill plus full-page ad
- Recognition on website
- Signage at Semifinals & Finals
- Donor recognition in a thank you ad in The Jewish Chronicle
- VIP Reception after the show

DIAMOND RECORD \$10,000

- 8 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill plus full-page ad
- Recognition on website
- Signage at Semifinals & Finals
- Donor recognition in a thank you ad in The Jewish Chronicle
- VIP Reception after the show

PLATINUM RECORD \$5,000

- 8 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill plus half-page ad
- Recognition on website
- Signage at Semifinals & Finals
- Donor recognition in a thank you ad in The Jewish Chronicle

GOLD RECORD \$2,500

- 6 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill
- Recognition on website
- Signage at Semifinals & Finals

VINYL RECORD \$1,000

- 6 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill
- Recognition on website

LP RECORD \$500

- 4 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill

45-RECORD \$250

- 2 tickets to the Finals & Community Patron Party
- Listing in playbill

SINGLE RECORD \$125

- 1 ticket to the Finals & Community Patron Party

Fair market value is \$50.00 per ticket.

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SPONSORSHIPS

	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,000	\$500	\$250	\$125
Tickets to Finals & Community Patron Party <i>(Fair market value is \$50.00 per ticket)</i>	14	12	10	8	8	6	6	4	2	1
Listing in playbill	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Recognition on website	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			
Signage at Semifinals & Finals	X	X	X	X	X	X				
Recognition in a donor thank you ad in The Jewish Chronicle	X	X	X	X	X					
Invitation to the VIP Reception after the show	X	X	X	X						
Signage at Auditions	X	X								
Name or logo on all applicable collateral materials	X	X								
Full page ad in playbill	X	X	X	X						
Half page ad in playbill					X					

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