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## HARRIS ACADEMY OF THE ARTS NAMED WINNER IN THE KNOT BEST OF WEDDINGS 2017

*Eleventh Annual Best of Weddings Awards Honor the Top Wedding Vendors Across America*

Lincoln, NE/January 10, 2017 — Harris Academy of the Arts is pleased to announce we have been selected as a 2017 winner in [The Knot Best of Weddings](#), an award representing the highest-rated wedding professionals as reviewed by real couples, their families and wedding guests on [The Knot](#), the leading wedding brand and marketplace.

In 2017, only 2% of the 300,000 local wedding professionals listed on TheKnot.com have received this distinguished accolade. In its eleventh annual year, The Knot continues its longstanding tradition of supporting local wedding vendors with The Knot Best of Weddings 2017, an annual by-couples, for-couples guide to the top wedding professionals across the country. To determine the winners, The Knot assessed over one million reviews across the various vendor categories — venues, musicians, florists, photographers, caterers and more. These winners represent the best of the best for wedding professionals that a bride or groom would want to consider in order to inspire, plan and book their own unique wedding.

“We’re delighted to be recognized by The Knot for such a special award — bestowed by the newlyweds, their families and the wedding audiences we serve. We look forward to this new year’s special events, and are honored to have earned the trust necessary to share in the magic such a special life event inspires in all of us.” Vicki Harris, Owner, Harris Academy of the Arts.

The Knot has inspired approximately 25 million couples to plan a wedding that’s uniquely theirs. With a rich history of providing quality content and inspiration to couples, The Knot is making it easier for couples to connect with and book just the right wedding professional to create their perfect wedding day. Eight out of 10 couples come to The Knot where they can be connected to any of 300,000 local wedding professionals across the country. The Knot marries great technology with trusted content — and a little love — to make planning for the most important day of a person's life easier and more enjoyable.

For more information about The Knot Best of Weddings and a complete list of winners, please visit <https://www.theknot.com/vendors/best-of-weddings>.

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**About Harris Academy of the Arts**

Serving the Lincoln, Nebraska, area for thirteen years, Harris Academy of the Arts offers both private and group music lessons for a variety of instruments and ages. Expert instruction for piano, violin, guitar, woodwind, brass and other specialized stringed instruments are each taught by trained faculty members. Voice, theatre and talent coaching instruction is also available. In addition, Harris Academy of the Arts offers a complete live performance service of professional musicians and musical group options for any event. Weddings, corporate events, conferences and private celebration or holiday events are all enhanced by live performance from talented professional musicians. Learn more today by visiting [www.harrisacademyofthearts.com](http://www.harrisacademyofthearts.com)

**About The Knot**

The Knot is the nation's leading wedding resource and marketplace that seamlessly engages, matches and connects couples with the right products, services and local wedding professionals they need to plan and pull off their wedding. The trusted brand reaches a majority of engaged couples in the US through the #1 wedding website [TheKnot.com](http://TheKnot.com), its mobile apps, The Knot national and local wedding magazines, and The Knot book series. The Knot has inspired approximately 25 million couples to plan a wedding that's uniquely them. The Knot is the flagship brand of [XO Group Inc.](http://XO Group Inc.) (NYSE: XOXO), which helps people navigate and enjoy life's biggest moments—from getting married to moving in together and having a baby. Please visit The Knot online at [TheKnot.com](http://TheKnot.com) and follow on social media: [Facebook.com/TheKnot](https://Facebook.com/TheKnot) and @TheKnot on [Twitter](https://Twitter), [Pinterest](https://Pinterest) and [Instagram](https://Instagram).