**Press Release**

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On September 19 at 7:30pm in All Faiths Chapel on the campus of Kansas State University, the Community School for the Performing Arts will perform a recital to benefit those in our community who were impacted by the floods on Labor Day. Partners from the Greater Manhattan Community Foundation will be on hand to take cash, check, and credit card donations at the recital to benefit the foundation’s “2018 Manhattan Flood Recovery Fund.” The recital will consist of our Community School for the Performing Arts music students.

The Community School for the Performing Arts is a joint venture of Kansas State University School of Music, Theatre, and Dance and Manhattan Arts Center. The mission of the Community School, in partnership with municipal and non-profits arts organizations, is to provide the highest level of performing arts education to the region for pre-college and adult students.