

# THIS MONTH AT WINTHROP

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From virtual performances to funding for students, February has been busy for Winthrop.

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With both virtual and in-person options, there is an event fit for every student and family!

### EAGLE SPOTLIGHT

Get to know Sydney Gambrell – a sophomore fine arts major from Pendleton, South Carolina.



## FEBRUARY RECAP

- Faculty, staff and students can now take the Saliva Assay Free Expedited (SAFE) testing for COVID-19 to help maintain face-to-face classes. The test is free, quick, and noninvasive and results can typically be shared within 24-48 hours with 97.5% accuracy.
- The men's basketball team was named the Big South's Regular Season Champions. The Big South Tournament will take place in March at the Winthrop Coliseum, with the winner awarded a ticket to NCAA March Madness.
- The Department of Theatre and Dance debuted their spring virtual performance "Hear Our Voice: Shining a Light on Diversity on Broadway" that highlighted songs from musicals like "Dear Evan Hansen," "The Color Purple," "Kinky Boots" and more.

## MARCH EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MAR 10 Transfer Information Session

This is a great event to get information about the transfer application process, transfer credit policies and available scholarships virtually.

### MAR 10 Honors Information Session

Interested in becoming an Honors student? Take part in this information session to meet the director of our Honors Program and learn more.

### MAR 11 Kaleidoscope Multicultural Day

Join us virtually to celebrate Winthrop's diversity, learn more about our commitment to inclusivity and hear from current students.

### MAR 13 Admitted Student Saturday Visit

If you're an admitted student, be sure to join us in-person or virtually for an Admitted Student Saturday Visit made especially for you!



### Virtual Winthrop Day: April 10

If you are an admitted student, be sure to mark your calendars for April 10 for Virtual Winthrop Day! This event is dedicated to celebrating our #EaglesRising2021 and introducing them to the Winthrop family.

### MAR 18 Parent Q&A

Do you have questions about your future eagle's new home at Winthrop? Join us on March 18 at 6:30 p.m. to get your answers live!

### MAR 20 Virtual Open House

Join us for an in-depth view of Winthrop through academic, financial aid and student-life sessions and a virtual campus tour.

### MAR 6&27 Saturday Visit Options

Kick off your weekend with our Saturday Visit! Join either in-person or virtually for a presentation and tour of our beautiful campus.

### MAR ALL Campus Visit Options

Get to know Winthrop with an admissions presentation and tour! Offered weekdays in-person at 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. or virtually at 4 p.m.



### #EaglesRising2021

Our second round of decisions were released on February 15 where we welcomed more than 1,300 new Winthrop Eagles! Students can still apply and will receive their decision on a rolling admission basis.

## EAGLE SPOTLIGHT: SYDNEY GAMBRELL

**Why did you choose Winthrop? What made it stand out?** I chose Winthrop University because I wanted to be a part of their fantastic visual arts department. From my first visit, I knew I would be taken seriously as an artist and student. I could not wait to learn under their talented and experienced faculty that not only cared about my success but also my artistry. Now as a sophomore year as a fine arts major, I would not have it any other way. Winthrop is everything I wanted and more.

**In your opinion, what makes Winthrop "Winthrop"?** Winthrop is "Winthrop" because this university strives to learn as much as they strive to educate. This campus and its desire to welcome each student and community member is admirable. Walking onto campus feels like stepping into your home. At Winthrop, we are a community.

**If you could put your Winthrop experience into one word, what would it be and why?** I choose "rewarding" to symbolize my individual journey here at Winthrop. Everything that I learn, I work for wholeheartedly. I am proud to say Winthrop values that and rewards me for my dedication in more ways than one.

**What advice do you have for students considering Winthrop?** If you are considering Winthrop, trust your intuition. Trust your curiosity, ambition, and passion to become a college graduate. Whether you are a first-generation or legacy student, take a leap of faith into the next best four years as a Winthrop Eagle.



# APPLY NOW

Questions about your application? Want to meet your Admissions Counselor? Connect with us! Instagram: [@WinthropAdmissions](https://www.instagram.com/winthropadmissions) | E-mail: [admissions@winthrop.edu](mailto:admissions@winthrop.edu) | Phone: [803/323-2191](tel:8033232191)

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