

## KEES School Achievements

- ✓ Sara Stanton was named Teacher of the Year for the 2014-15 school year
- ✓ Teariney Tobin was named Teacher of the Year for the 2015-16 school year
- ✓ KEES increased the number of family engagement participants
- ✓ KEES' PTO reestablished
- ✓ The National Jr. Beta Club will induct its second members in May 2016
- ✓ Continual use of small groups and Student Support Teams to focus on the child, academically, socially, and behaviorally
- ✓ Purchase of two additional iPad carts
- ✓ Teachers attend Professional Development workshops to seek innovative ways to engage students. Teachers, in return, bring back and inform entire staff of the best practices
- ✓ Fresh Fruits and Vegetable Grant Recipient
- ✓ AdvancEd accredited
- ✓ TOMS shoes
- ✓ Spelling Bee winners
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade: Saylor Still
  - 4<sup>th</sup>: Gracyn Williams
  - 5<sup>th</sup>: Antonio O'Neal
- Overall Spelling Bee School Winner: Saylor Still
- ✓ Summer Enrichment Program

## 2015-16 SIC Members

*Jonna Adcox, Teacher*

*Nakeisha Baxley, Principal/Ex-Officio*

*Kathy Fox, Parent*

*Kim Richardson, Teacher*

*Mattie Odom, SIC Chair*

*Jackie O'Neal, Community*

*Tracie Sweet, Ex-Officio*

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### Purpose of the Report

*"This Report is issued by the KEES School Improvement Council in accordance with South Carolina law to share information on the school's progress in meeting various goals and objectives, the work of the SIC, and other accomplishments during the school year."*

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## Kelly Edwards Elementary School Annual School Improvement Council "Report to the Parents" 2015-16



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The mission of Kelly Edwards Elementary School, with the support of the parents and community, is to develop caring and productive citizens by providing challenging and positive experiences for all in a safe, enriched child-centered environment.

***Every Day,  
Every Child, GREATNESS!***

## SIC Annual Goals

### Performance Goals

#### Blueprint for Success

#### Student Achievement

##### Performance Goal

Raise the academic challenge and performance of each student.

##### Performance Statement

Meet the state and federal accountability objectives for all students and subgroups in writing, English Language Arts, Science and Social Studies.

#### Teacher/Administration Quality

##### Performance Goal

Ensure quality personnel in all positions.

##### Performance Statement

Provide professional development in alignment with Kelly Edwards's mission.

#### School Climate

##### Performance Goal

Enhance family and community involvement in activities related to curriculum standards.

##### Performance Statement

Increase family involvement and community partnerships to extend and improve communication, understanding, support, and engagement in education.

## Student Achievement

Each year the South Carolina Education Oversight Committee is required by law to provide each public school in South Carolina a Report Card outlining its performance. This Report Card includes an Absolute Rating and a Growth Rating. Kelly Edwards' ratings are as follows:

Absolute Rating: Average

Growth Rating: Average

In addition to the state rating, the school also receives a grade under the Federal Accountability System. Kelly Edwards received a "B" rating under the federal system.

*"For more information, you may view Myschool's "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at <http://www.ed.sc.gov/assets/reportCards/2015/elem/c/e0629007.pdf>."*

## School Sponsored Programs

- Save The Children
- Good News Club
- Reading Buddies
- Snack Pack

## School Sponsored Activities

- Back to School/Meet the Teacher
- Open House
- Book Fair
- Costume Exchange
- Fall Carnival in conjunction with Winfield Heights
- Night with the Stars
- Family Literacy Night/Math Night
- Veteran's Day Program
- African American Heritage Program
- African American Heritage Parade
- Doughnuts for Dads
- Muffins for Mom
- Star Students
- Father/Daughter Dance
- Mother/Son Dance
- Kindergarten Roundup
- Reflex Math
- Field Day
- Game Day
- Spelling Bee
- Science Fair
- Drugs Abuse Resistance Education
- TD Bank summer reading initiative
- Grandparents Day Lunch
- Pastries with the Principal
- Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast
- Read Across America Week