

NATIONAL BETA CLUB

The SBHS Chapter of the National Beta Club coordinated a school-wide drive to collect 325 items of warm clothing to the needy this past Christmas! They also sponsored a Faculty/Cop vs. Students volleyball game; the proceeds of \$500 went to benefit Special Olympics.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



NHS Sponsored: Registration, Christ Central Youth Servers, "It's Spooky to Be Hungry" (Golden Harvest Food Bank), American Education Week Faculty/Staff Breakfast, Jackson/New Ellenton Park Cleanup, Salvation Army Bell Ringers, "Be a Bunny!" (United Way), Healthy Snacks Collection (Food Banks), PB and Jam Slam Collection for Kids' Summer Lunches (Food Banks), Membership Tutoring Program.

BAND

- 90 Students Overall
- 50 Participants in Silver Spirit Marching Band
- Silver Spirit qualified for SCBDA 2A State Marching Championships for the 25th time. They received an "Excellent" rating and finished 17th.
- Record Number of Auditions for SCBDA Region Band
- 12 Students Earned Region Band Chairs
- 18 Students Earned All-County Band Chairs
- Freshmen Concert Band & Symphonic Band both earned "Excellent" ratings at SCBDA Concert Performance Assessment
- On track to earn the SCBDA Outstanding Performance Award for the 6th time in 8 years. (This is the most prestigious award a band program can receive from the SCBDA.)



TEACHER OF THE YEAR



Mrs. Amanda Williamson was named our school's Teacher of the year, and Ms. Amanda Hewett was named our school's First Year Teacher of the Year. These teachers work together to co-sponsor our school's Robotics Team.

PTSO

Our brand new Parent Teacher Student Organization will bring together the home and the school so that parents and teachers may cooperate in the education of our students.

ADDITIONAL SIGNS OF EXCELLENCE

Our graduation rate has increased to 78.9%.

SBHS will be the home of an Agriculture Program during the 2015-2016 school year.

Our School Nurse is now at SBHS 4 days per week. (This is up from 2 days per week.)

Each SBHS student is now equipped with an Office 365 account. This includes an email account and free online access to Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint and OneNote programs.

Silver Bluff High School received an Absolute Rating of "Excellent" and a Growth Rating of "Good" on the 2013-2014 School Report Card for Student Achievement. We also received the Palmetto Gold Award. Our teachers and students are working extremely hard.



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Silver Bluff High School Annual Report to Parents 2014 – 2015



"The mission of Silver Bluff High School is to prepare students to become responsible lifelong learners by providing diverse learning experiences in a positive environment where the school and community work together to enable students to reach their maximum potential."

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ATHLETICS

The Volleyball Team became this year's Region Champs with a perfect 10-0 record. They advanced to the 2nd round of the playoffs.



Carneal Hall received a football scholarship for Chowan College. Kaela Hill received a track scholarship for Columbia College. Jasmine Squirewell received a softball scholarship for Claflin University. Haley Key received a softball scholarship for USC-Salkahatchie.

Ashanti Brown was named a Scholar Athlete by WJBF News Channel 6.

MISS SILVER BLUFF



Miss SBHS 2015 – Shelby Miles
Miss Senior – Eleanor Powell
Miss Senior Runner up – Ashley Matlock
Miss Junior – Celine Kendrick
Miss Junior Runner-Up – Ashley Hyatt
Miss Sophomore – Shaina Hadden
Miss Sophomore Runner-Up – Shelby Harris
Miss Freshman – Madelyn Webster
Miss Freshman Runner-Up – Morgan Miles
Miss Congeniality – Ashley Hyatt
Highest GPA – Lydia Hicks

HOMECOMING



Queen – Ashanti Brown
Senior Representative – Kippen Wallace
Junior Representative – Alexis Robertson
Sophomore Representative – Keanna Walker
Freshman Representative – Vanessa Campbell

STUDENT COUNCIL & BULLDOG BROTHERHOOD

These groups promoted school spirit by sponsoring our pep rallies. They hosted Homecoming and held a Powder Puff Football competition.

SCHOOL RENEWAL GOALS

- We will increase our parents', students', and teachers' satisfaction with the learning environment, social and physical environment, and school-home relations as measured on the Spring School Stakeholder Survey.
- Our on-time graduation rate will be 79.9%, as indicated on the School Report Card.
- 100% of our teachers will be Highly Qualified.

LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER

The Library Media Center started the Book Club which meets on Fridays during lunch. They also started the Chess Club, meeting twice monthly with 15 students.



The Library Media Center participated in the South Carolina Young Adult Book Award Program this year. Students had to read 3 of the 20 book award nominees.

In February, they voted for their favorite. Our school had 39 participants.

KEY CLUB

This year's completed projects include: Adopt-a-Highway, New Teacher Celebration, Home of Lake Wacamaw School Supply Drive, 9/11 Blood Drive, ALS Walk, Helping Hands Trunk or Treat, Fall Rally at Carowinds, We Care Halloween Party, Suicide Walk, Faculty/Staff Thanksgiving Luncheon, Christmas at Hopelands Volunteers, Helping Hands Christmas Party, We Care Valentine's Party, Red Cross Blood Drive, District Convention in NC, Helping Hands Easter Picnic & Egg Hunt, and Kiwanis Tricycle Race.



Be sure to check to see if your class, team, club, or organization is one of the many who are using Remind to keep students, parents, and community members informed!



CULINARY ARTS

- Mrs. Keller received a \$5,000 EIA Grant to purchase a commercial refrigerator!
- Prepared & Served SBHS Football Team Pregame Meals
- Faculty Baby Showers
- Jackson's Hook & Cook
- Veteran's Day Lunch
- Five-Course Etiquette Lunch (for Redcliffe 5th Graders)
- Teacher of the Year Reception
- Prom & Military Ball
- VFW (every 3rd Monday)
- 1st Year Teachers Reception
- Several Other Catering Events
- All Culinary I students were SerSafe Certified & will receive the National ProStart Certificate from the National Restaurant Association.
- All Culinary II students will receive Year 2 National Restaurant Association Certificate; 3 will receive Certificate of Achievement.
- Several Students Accepted to Johnson & Wales University for Culinary Arts (including scholarship offers!)



SPORTS MEDICINE

This will be the first class of completers (6)! Provided medical coverage for:



- Augusta Half Iron Man
- GRU Half Marathon
- On-Campus Sporting Events

DRAMA CLUB & CHORUS

Held the 2nd Annual Harmony Day, helping students to focus on self-acceptance and tolerance of others. Mr. Jerod Gay was a crowd favorite at this performance!

