

Learning

- **Connect2Learn**-enhanced learning by placing I-Pads in the hands of each student in grades 3-5
- **Pilot iPad take home**-encouraged learning outside of the classroom
- **Compass Learning** - enhanced staff and student expertise in the use of technology
- **12 Days of Reading**-nurtured students love of reading and books
- **Full-time Literacy Coach**-provided ongoing professional development, team taught, provided model lessons, monitored implementation of Readers' and Writers' Workshop
- **Professional Puppeteer** - shared his craft of puppetry in a four day residency
- **Bats Around the Clocks**- integrated family literacy through math and movement
- **Technology Residency**- integrated Social Studies and technology in script writing residency for 5th grade
- **Read Across America Week**-promoted reading school wide
- **Pete the Cat**- visited early childhood classes at LIES to promote literacy
- **River of Words**- researched local watersheds and displayed their learning with poetry and art
- **Cinderella**- performed Cinderella through a fourth grade residency with a Kennedy Center trained artist

School Sponsored Activities

- Student Council
- BETA Club
- Four students qualified to sing with the SC Elementary Honor Choir
- GT Dance Ensemble
- GT Visual Arts Club
- Osprey Ovation Show Choir
- Young Opsreys (first and second graders)
- Stories Alive-puppeteers
- Leadership Club for boys
- Morning News Program
- Drumming Class
- Afterschool storytelling workshop
- Sport Stacking
- Field Day
- Science Fair
- D'Arts Alive Dessert Theater
- Osprey Invitational Run
- Compass Odyssey Incentives
- Cheerleaders
- Positive Behavior Intervention Supports
- Military Lunch Bunch
- Good News Club
- Running Club
- Spirit of Old Beaufort residency
- Student Art Walk
- Holiday Concert and Roadshow
- Jungle Book musical at USCB
- Educational Field Trips

School Improvement Council

The School Improvement Council is an advisory committee to the principal and school leadership comprised of parents, educators, and community members. Working together collaboratively, our SIC reviews and monitors school initiatives, student data, and programs and focuses on the success of students and the school. SIC extends an invitation to all parents to take an active role in by attending as many monthly meetings as possible.

Ervin Sebestyn, Chair
Rebecca McCaskill, Vice Chair
Kelly McClam, Secretary

A Heart for Our Community

Heroes' Luncheon- local police officers, firefighters, and deputies enjoyed lunch with students

13th Annual Patriotic Assembly-honored parents as well as community members
Coat Drive-Beta Club sponsored a coat drive

Pennies for Patients-collected donations

Night on the Town- Osprey Ovation performed for community members

Christmas Parade-staff, students and parents marched in the Christmas parade

Cluster Art-showcased artwork of students who feed into Lady's Island Middle

Canned Food Drive- collected and donated to HELP of Beaufort

March Madness- Beta Club members collected donations for scholarships

Starring-students perform in the Jungle Book with local children's theater

Our Mission

State of SC Annual Report Card Ratings over a 5-year Period

Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2014	Average	Average
2013	Average	Average
2012	Good	Excellent
2011	Average	Average
2010	Average	Average

Our SIC

The SIC worked tirelessly to promote the unique educational programs at Lady's Island Elementary throughout our community. It is important to share with other parents and community members our passion for this school and the success of our children.

Mr. Ervin Sebestyn, Chair SIC

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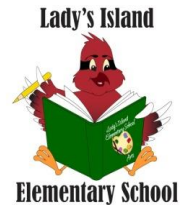
L.I.E.S. SIC News

- Increased Facebook followership by 46%
- Planned and held a Kindergarten Open House
- Developed an ad for Open House with Mrs. Trask
- Parent conducted tours of the school
- Supported Parent Teacher Organization's Spirit Nights

LOOKING AHEAD

- Investigating ways to place signage off of Sea Island Parkway (main road)
- Investigating creating a 2 minute video to promote the school
- Discussed launching a public relations campaign in the future

Report to Parents



School Improvement Council 2014-15

Visit our website at
<http://lie.beaufort.k12.sc.us/>

Principal: Marvelle Ulmer

Assistant Principal: Denise Smith

Mission Statement

Our mission is to create a dynamic environment that goes beyond academics and provides a curriculum rich in the **Arts** which helps students acquire knowledge, skills, creativity and self-confidence to achieve their highest potential.