

School Achievements

MAP growth documented each administration period. The longitudinal growth improved this year. Our 6th grade students had the highest overall growth during each MAP testing session. SCPASS & SCREADY testing were administered in the Spring.

Jr. BETA Club

NHMS inducted 27 new members this year. Projects completed: Book Drive; Clemson vs Carolina Food Drive contributed 316 pounds of food items to local food bank; Bake Sale proceeds to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

News/Broadcasting Team

Our Hawk News/Broadcasting Team provides students extended learning opportunities and work-place experiences through our school newsletter with online publications on the NHMS webpage. Our Broadcasting team produces a news announcement that broadcasts school-wide providing daily and special announcements.

Service/Community Learning

(Extended Learning Opportunities)

Students earned **service learning credits** for hours serving on the Hawk News Team, Yearbook Staff and Hawk Broadcasting Team.

Recognitions

Marc Goldberg, ELA – Teacher of the Year
Marilyn McFarlan - Employee of the Year

Transition

- Central HS faculty met with 8th graders. Virtual students received electronic information.
- Council meetings, parent meetings, notifications managed through face-to-face, electronic or virtual outlets.

SIC Members

Our Goal is to become Nationally Top Ranked...

Chair: Monica Cagle, Community Member

Principal: Dr. Jason McGuire

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Assistant Principal: Mr. Perry Miller

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Teacher: Louanne Smith

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Teacher: Kristen Kingen

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Teacher: Avery Miles

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SRO: Chesterfield County Sheriff's Office

Parents: Tasha Brandon, Barbie Outlaw

Community Members:

Rev. Robert Miller

Barbie Outlaw

Purpose of this Report

This Report is issued by the NHMS 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.

New Heights Middle School

Annual

School Improvement Council

“Report to the Parents”

2022-2023



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Mr. Marc Goldberg, *Teacher of the Year*

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Home of the Hawks!

Mission Statement

To provide an academically engaging and relationship building environment that, in three years, produces students who are ready for high school.

Community

- Chesterfield County Sheriff's Dept. – Say “No” To Drugs Campaign Video produced by Hawk News Team and Central Productions was made available to Elective classes.
- National Career Development Week celebrated with career cluster specific announcements. On career day, students dressed to represent their favorite career and watched career videos in class.
- Clubs: Jr. Beta, Chorus, Hawks News Team, Drama Club, Ambassadors, Student Council, STEAM Club, Academic Challenge Team.
- New Business Contributions: PYG Pizza, LifeGuard, Kershaw County Coroner's Office, SCDNR, The Ball Theatre
- Career Day: 34 guest speakers
- Drama Club performed Beauty and the Beast
- Student Council toured SC Governor's School and Sonoco in Hartsville, SC
- Hawks Have Heart collected contributions:
 - Relay for Life
 - Janet Mangum Scholarship Fund; Chase Arant Scholarship Fund; Kristen Williams Scholarship Fund
 - Local families in need
 - Faculty/Staff (injuries, tragic events)
 - Helping Hands Outreach Center & Janet's Closet
 - Sponored 2 families for Christmas
 - Provided 45 hoodies for students

Parent Programs

Title I Annual Meeting & Family Literacy Night December 6

- Title I Annual Update
- The Requirements of Title 1
- Parent's Right to Know & Parent Involvement Policy
- Resource Sessions for Parents
- Book Fair open to parents and students
- Over 250 parents attended

Programs to Improve Instruction

- SREB Site - STEAM
- PBIS/OBPP Anti-Bullying
- Hawk Pride Incentive focus on Academics, Attendance, Behavior and Self-management (85% of students qualified to attend)

Welcome New Administration, Faculty, Staff

Lisa Jarman, 6th Grade Science
Brianna Rivers, 7th Grade ELA
Amber Moser, Art Teacher
Latrell Leeks, Digital Literacy Teacher
Ellery McNeil, EMD Teacher
Joyce Miller, Custodian
David Hart, Parent Liason
Marion Stephens, SRO
Bernice Robinson, ISS Coordinator

Donations

Classroom supplies, uniform items, student incentives, teacher appreciation

Local businesses, individuals, community partners and churches.

Student Achievement

Jr. Scholars: Jackson Sims, Jaden Laney, Sam Lawson

Jr. Beta State Awards: Creative Writing 5th place, 6th grade Anna Cagle; Club Trading Pin 3rd place and Science Exam 6th grade 5th place, 6th grade Samuel Espinoza; Gold Key Award for 10% growth in convention attendance.

Band Award: Regional Honor Band, 8th Grade – Joselyn Leach-Hankensen.

Academic Challenge Team: 3-3 record for regular season.

