

## Communication Tools

- School website
- ♦ Facebook page
- ♦ PowerSchool Parent Portal
- ♦ Classroom weekly newsletters
- ♦ School monthly newsletters
- ♦ District all call system
- ♦ Parent Square

## Awards and Recognitions

- Boeing Wellness Grant Winner
- Donor's Choose Awards
- Pearls Grant Winner

***Stephanie Carroll – BHPS  
Teacher of Year***

***Leah Stanley - Hampton  
County School District  
Teacher of the Year***

***Katie Diaz – Support Person  
Of the Year***



## School Improvement Council

### Members

Allen Cook, Community Member  
Michelle Purdy, Teacher  
Leah Stanley, Teacher  
Stephanie Carroll, Teacher  
Suzanne Peebles, Community Member  
Tara James, Parent  
Kim Hutto, Parent

Brandy Noll, Principal

## Ben Hazel Primary School Report to the People 2022-2023



628 Railroad Avenue West  
Hampton, SC 29924

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## Community Involvement

- **CAN DRIVE**

The school sponsored a "Soup"er Bowl Canned Food Drive during the week of the Super Bowl. Over 600 food items were collected and distributed to local churches for their food closets.

- **GARDEN**

BHPS partnered with Clemson University Garden Program to provide students with hands-on gardening experiences. Students prepped, planted, and harvested vegetables in their garden.

- **BOEING WELLNESS**

BHPS Wellness Initiative-We are embracing health and wellness and socioemotional aspects in the lives of staff and students. We begin each day with a wellness tip and breathing exercises. We also promote drinking water throughout the day and provide water refill stations for students and staff.

- **LITERACY**

Drop Everything and Read – Students and staff dressed as book characters and participated in a parade. Community Leaders were costume judges.

Read Across America – Community volunteers read to classes in the school during the week.

## Professional Development

- BHPS teachers participate in weekly Professional Learning Communities that are focused on student data.
- LETRS – All reading teachers are participating in a two year professional learning course to improve instruction of reading, spelling and related language skills. It provides educators with in-depth knowledge and tools they can use with any reading program.
- *Through the **Read to Succeed Act (R2S)*** HES has a reading coach to support all teachers across all content areas. The goal is to help all teachers increase the literacy levels of all students through effective instructional and intervention strategies.

## Growth Mindset

- One of our goals is to increase student achievement. The three elements used to achieve this are multiple career paths, professional growth and instructionally focused accountability. We have a Leadership Team that consists of an instructional coach, three mentor teachers, and two administrators. We have embedded weekly professional development (PLC meetings) during planning periods and weekly collaborative team meetings to make intentional decisions for continuous school improvement and professional growth.



## Celebrating Students

- \* Student of the Week recognition
- \* Annual Awards Day program
- \* Bullying Prevention Week
- \* Red Ribbon Week
- \* Drama Club – two productions per year
- \* "Bee A Writer" recognition
- \* Attendance Celebrations
- \* Birthday monthly Celebrations
- \* Recognition for i-Ready, Dreambox, Waterford supplemental programs
- \* "Caught bee-ing Kind"



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## Fine Arts Opportunities

- Monthly art contests
- Drama Club
- Field trips to enhance education