Our Mission, Vision, & Beliefs:

LME is Anchored in Leadership and Anchored in Learning



21st Century Skills

We engage in high quality 21st century teaching and learning.

Leadership Model

We practice leadership and citizenship in a global context.

Vision:

Through a culture of collaboration, LME students will be self-directed, global citizens who lead and learn with excellence in the 21st century.

Rigor & Relevance

We aspire to the highest level of excellence in learning and in teaching by making decisions based on what is best for each child.

Professional Learning Community

We invest in relationships, support collaboration, and celebrate success.

This has been an amazing year at LMES! We are proud to announce that we have been chosen to move forward as a Leader in Me school through the Covey Foundation. We are proud of the work we have completed so far with our leadership model, and we hope you will see much more to come. Our Going Global with Leadership Night and Family Write Night are just a few of the wonderful activities that have exemplified our work. Our goal is to be among the few in the world recognized as a Lighthouse School. Look for more exiting things to come!

LME Highlights

2001-2011 Red Carpet 2010 Palmetto Gold

Spanish • ABC Garden • Safety Leaders • Recycling • Navigators• Wetlands Area • Peer Helpers • Media Leaders• Leader in Me School• Nature Trail • Student Council • LMES Live •Computer Leaders•Student Tech Team•Announcement Team Leader• School Store Leaders•

Administration:

Devona Price, Principal

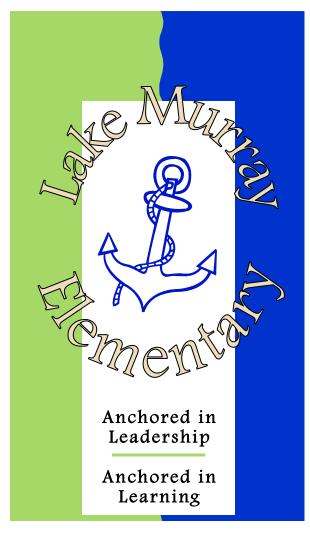
Denise McCray, Assistant Administrator

Tim Livingston, Assistant Principal



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SIC ANNUAL REPORT TO THE PARENTS

2011-2012

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LMES School Improvement Council 2011~2012

The purpose of the LMES School Improvement Council is to serve as an advisory committee to our school. School Improvement Councils are mandated by law to exist in every public school in South Carolina. Our council plays a key role in the education of our children, bringing together parents, educators and community stakeholders to work together to improve Lake Murray Elementary.

Our 2011-2012 School Improvement Council Members are:

Ed Pearce Debbra Capko

SIC Chairperson Parent Elected

Ashley Wierzbicki Community Member

Keith Dooley Devona Price

Community Member Principal, Ex-Officio

Tim Livingston Denise McCray

Assistant Principal, Ex-Officio Assistant Administrattor, Ex-Officio

Mark Garner Debbie Carroll

Teacher Representative Teacher Representative

A BUSY YEAR

Salute the Troops Care Packages— created care packages to send to our troops

JDRF Walk— raised money through various competitions for Juvenile Diabetes

Relay for Life— raised money for the American Cancer Society through various events

Empty Bowl Project- collected canned food items to donate to our local food bank

Jump Rope for Heart— promoted healthy lifestyles while raising money for the American Heart Association

Family Reading Night— celebrated reading throughout the school with an "Out of this World" theme

Family Write Night— participated in writing activities with parents and students to extend our focus on writing.

Family Arts Night— a celebration of arts infusion with our students and families

Going Global with Leadership Night— a celebration of our leadership model and 21st Century skills

Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS)

Aligned to the state academic standards, these assessments include writing, English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies. The table below shows the percentage of Lake Murray Elementary students who scored Met or Exemplary for the 2010-2011 school year.

		Writing		Social Studies	Science
3rd grade	97.2%	N/A	96.3%	100%	88.7%
4th grade	90.2%	N/A	92.7%	92.7%	92.7%
5th grade	91.5%	91.5%	95.7%	87.9%	91.5%

Our Goals

- ⇒ Increase student achievement
- ⇒ Develop self-directed student leaders
- ⇒ Provide high-quality instruction that is rigorous and has real-world application
- ⇒ Foster a community of collaboration
- ⇒ Develop a leadership model to challenge students to be 21st Century Global Learners