### **Student and School Achievements**

- 2012-13 Palmetto Gold Award in "Overall Achievement" and "Closing the Achievement Gap"
- Creek Bridge Chapter of SC Gear-UP will present at the National 2014 NCCEP/Gear Up Conference in Washington D.C.
- Warrior Winter Food Drive Faculty, Staff, Students, and Community Members, along with a partnership with Harvest Hope, raised \$2700 and donated a Food Box to every single student at Creek Bridge (355 students)
- Autumn Warren and Janice Boatwright were accepted to attend the 2014 Business Week at Presbyterian College
- Louis Timmons, JAG Governor's Award
- School Spelling Bee Winner: Skyler Parks, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade, placed at the Pee Dee Regional Spelling Bee
- Skylar McCummings was the recipient of the Perfect Attendance Award for Marion County Schools.
- Shayla Graves and Akehya Lakin signed letters of intent to participate in Athletics at Morris College
- Varsity Football and Boys Varsity Basketball advanced to the regional playoffs
- JV Girls' Basketball Team named Co-Conference Champions
- SAT scores improved by 120 points
- Hosted HSAP Parent Night, Financial Aid Parent Workshop, and multiple Parent Nights/Report Card Pick-Ups
- Implemented a School-Wide Mentoring
  Program
- Tuesday/Thursday Student Club and Teacher Professional Development Days

## CBHS SIC Members

Johnny Graves, Chair Wallace Moore, Student Deborah Bachand, Teacher DeJuan Moore, Student Trophelia Hall, Parent Tykeem Williams, Student Dorothy Fore, Teacher Jennifer McGill, Teacher Alexus Gore, Student Sandra Roberts, Teacher Rena Willard, Parent Teresa Williams, Parent Debrah Moore, Parent A.C. Robinson, Community Member Gwen Legette, Community Member Kent Williams, Community Member Marvin Stevenson, Community Member Priscilla Legette, Parent/Teacher Rep. LaSonya Reaves, Parent/Teacher Rep. Darryl Woodberry, Asst. Principal Daris Gore, Principal

# Creek Bridge High School Annual School Improvement Council "Report to the Parents" 2013-2014



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The mission of Creek Bridge is to ensure that all students are prepared to succeed in a global society by providing meaningful educational experiences in a safe and nurturing environment.

### **SIC Annual Goals**

#### To improve student achievement in English Language Arts

- All students in grades 6-9 are assessed at least 3 times a year to monitor growth in reading levels.
- Students in grades 6-10 are provided with extended, year-long classes in ELA.
- The Balanced Literacy model is implemented and includes self-selected daily reading time with independent conferencing and small-group guided instruction.
- Student achievement is monitored through MAP and quarterly benchmark testing.
- Students needing extra assistance are accommodated through pull-out tutoring, before and after-school assistance, content recovery, and morning café.

To improve student achievement in Math

- Students in grades 6-10 are provided with extended, year-long classes in math.
- Students needing extra assistance are accommodated through pull-out tutoring, before and after-school assistance, content recovery, and morning café.
- A "Balanced Math" model is used in math classes to emphasize higher-order thinking and reasoning skills through written expression.
- Student growth is monitored through MAP and quarterly benchmark testing.
- Students participate in school and regional math competitions.

To foster a culture of collaboration and high expectations among teachers, parents, students, and all stakeholders

- Teachers participate in targeted, data-driven professional development opportunities and Professional Learning Communities throughout the year.
- Parent Nights, community events, and extracurricular activities are hosted regularly.
- Communication with stakeholders is enhanced through the use of school newsletters, a regularly updated school website and sign, newspaper press releases and announcements, and continuous written and verbal communication with parents.

## **Student Achievement**

For detailed information regarding student achievement and demographic information, please view Creek Bridge Middle and High Schools' "S.C. School Report Card" for the previous school year online at <u>www.ed.sc.gov</u>.



#### **Purpose of the Report**

This Report is issued by the Creek Bridge High 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.

#### **Additional Information**

Although Creek Bridge High School is a small, rural school, we strive to offer our students an unparalleled educational experience through innovative and engaging instructional practices, data-driven student interventions, and access to state-of-the-art technology.

All students in grades 6-12 have access to a variety of technology, and our campus houses three computer labs and mobile laptop carts, with interactive Promethean Boards in every classroom. Students also have access to iPods, iPads, flipcams, Kindle Readers, digital cameras, and other audio and video equipment necessary to produce quality work.

Creek Bridge hosts a Career Café through a partnership with the Pee Dee Workforce Investment Board and Regional Education Center. We also have a Literacy Lab, where students benefit from a targeted curriculum of reading intervention through the READ 180 and System 44 programs.

Additionally, our middle school has adopted the single-gender educational model, and students are required to wear schoolapproved uniforms. In addition, our school is part of the High Schools that Work and Making Middle Grades Work consortium.

Finally, through service learning projects; athletics; student organizations and clubs; and participation in school, regional, state, and national competitions, our students are excelling and demonstrating "The Creek Bridge Way."