

NHS Programs & Activities

Band	SAT Test Prep Sessions
Beta Club	Senior Awards Night
Blood Drives	Special Olympics
Chorus	Spirit Week
Cinco De Mayo Celebration	Spring Reading Celebration
College Signing Day	Student Government Association
Community Pep Rallies	Student of the Month
District Art Show	Teacher Cadets
End of Course Incentives	Tutoring Center
Honor Roll Incentives	Underclassmen Awards Night
JROTC	Winter Color Guard
Junior Scholars	
Journalism Class	
Individual Graduation Plan	
March of Dimes	
Military Day	
Mr. NHS Pageant	
Miss NHS Pageant	
National Honor Society	
NCAA Parent Night	
Parent Institute	
Pennies for Patients	
Poetry Slam	
Pink Out for Breast Cancer Awareness	
Reading Buddies (@BSE)	
Relay for Life	

Newberry High School

SIC Members:

Kim Allen
Yulissa Alvarez
Huger Caughman
Angela Chappell
Bobby Coats
Audrey Eigner
Ashlei Gallman
Lanette Garris
Kevin Goodman
Taylor Harmon
Kennedi Jeter
Lydia Kinard
Roberta Kinard
John LeSaine
Maria Martinez
Trabia McFall
Detra Miller
Eugina Niles
Marianna Robertson
Michael Ruff
Jerry Young



Purpose of this Report:

This report is issued by the Newberry 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.

NEWBERRY HIGH SCHOOL

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2015-2016 *Report to the Parents*



Mr. Vance Jones
Principal

Mr. Kyle Cannon, Assistant Principal
Mrs. Amanda Finley, Assistant Principal
Ms. Lawanda Johnson, Assistant Principal

School Improvement Goals

The School Improvement Council's goals for this school year were to:

1. Increase the number of parents and community members attending school related functions.
2. Continue to develop partnerships with community organizations.
3. Begin 'Parent Institutes' to build positive relationships and to keep parents informed of activities and decisions being made at the school level.

2015 ACT Scores		
	Average Scale Score	State Scale Score
Composite	15.2	17.9
English	13.0	16.5
Mathematics	16.2	18.1
Reading	15.2	18.3
Science	15.9	18.2

2015 ACT WorkKeys		
	Average Scale Score	State Scale Score
Reading for Information	89.8%	93.5%
Locating Information	81.6%	87.7%
Applied Mathematics	63.2%	73.4%

Recognition and Awards

\$1+ million in scholarship monies

Huger Caughman - District Teacher of the Year

Lea Smith—NCS Distinguished Teach of Reading

Football Upperstate Champions

Girls Basketball Region Champions

SGA selected as Gold Honor Council (SCASC)

SGA President Inducted into Perry McCoy Leadership Hall of Fame

\$1000 Raised for March of Dimes

\$1000 Raised for Pennies for Patients

5 Beta Club Members qualify for Nationals

SCAAA 2AA Principal of the Year

State Ratings History of School		
Year	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating
2014	Average	Below Average
2013	Average	Good
2012	Average	Below Average

Improvement Efforts

Principal Advisory Council

Content Recovery Labs

Community Outreach Programs

Character Building during Advisor/Advisee (Dog Time)

Dual Enrollment Classes

Freshman Academy

Test/Retest

ACT/EOC Preparation Blitz

Afterschool Teacher/Peer Tutoring

2015 End of Course Tests		
	Our School	Schools Like Ours
Algebra 1/ Math for Tech. 2	78.9%	76.8%
English I	57.2%	58.7%
Biology I/ Applied Biology	61.9%	67.0%
US History and the Constitution	41.3%	56.5%
All Tests	59.9%	64.9%