The Principal's Voice

Our school is helping all students develop the world class skills and life and career characteristics of the Profile of the Graduate by providing a high quality education that consist of high rigor in a small rural environment where children are more than a number.

Branchville High School (BHS) serves the Branchville area of Orangeburg County as a 6-12 school with an approximately 350 student body located in a rural setting. The faculty and staff of BHS is made up of dedicated individuals who have high expectations for all students to learn and grow in a positive, safe and warm educational environment. We believe all students can learn and that parents should be involved in the education of their children. Our goal is to educate students who will be prepared to either excel in post-secondary education, be productive in the workforce, and become lifelong learners.

Branchville High School has had many academic successes this year. We saw gains in our 2016-2017 End of Course test scores in United States History, and English 1. Branchville High School had 90% of the 2016-2017 graduate on time and 40% of the seniors qualified for state scholarship money. This year South Carolina has removed the Work keys test and now 11th grade students will be taking the ACT test, WIN test and the ASVAB test. Our goal at BHS is to have 100% of our student college and career ready. The high school and middle school students put on Romeo and Juliet, under the direction of Mrs. Toni Ott and Ms. Rebecca Hutto. Branchville High School Senior and 5th/6th Beta club will compete for National Indoors at the National Beta Convention in Georgia.

In sports BHS captured the Lower-State championship in Volleyball, and region championship in Baseball, Softball, and Soccer. The two mottos that we, at Branchville, believe in is "Only the Best at BHS" and "Branchville is a Rayl Rode School (RRS) Respect, Responsibility, and Safety". BHS must provide students with academic rigor, relevance, relationships, and fun to be successful for the future. Through the combined efforts of students, parents and teachers, Branchville High School strives to help all students reach their full potential. We encourage all students to build positive memories while preparing to be productive citizens for the future.

We thank you for your continued support.

David B. Hess

Principal BHS

Branchville High Senions 2018





Gold Winner

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Only the Best At BHS Career Day



Senior Class 2018



2018 VFW Writing Competition Winners - Patriots Pen



Branchville High School Volleyball Banner Presentation



Branchville High

- ACCREDITED BY THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS
- PALMETTO GOLD SCHOOL
- BASEBALL, SOFTBALL, TRICT/REGIONAL CHAMPS

VOLLEYBALL DIS-

- PBIS SCHOOL
- JOE JACKSON SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
- INITIATED SCHOOL-WIDE MAP TESTING
- EXTENSIVE CREDIT RECOVERY PROGRAM
- S.C. VIRTUAL ONLINE SCHOOL
- 14 LIFE SCHOLARS
- PALMETTO FELLOW RECIPIENTS
- MASONIC LODGE #110 SCHOLARSHIP
- JUNIOR SCHOLARS PROGRAM
- NATIONAL JOSTENS' YEARBOOK RECOGNITION
- FIELDS OF FAITH SITE
- 3RD IN THE REGION FOR BLOOD DONATIONS
- FFA PLACEMENTS IN STATE COMPETITIONS
- SENIOR BETA CLUB FINISHING IN TOP 3
- JUNIOR BETA CLUB STATE AWARD WINNER
- BHS VOLLEYBALL LOWER STATE CHAMPS
- BHS BOYS BASKETBALL SUCCESSFUL SEASON
- LORI WILLIAMS STAFF PERSON OF THE YEAR MICHAEL SALOMONE TEACHER OF THE YEAR
- MADISON LEGGETT NAMED 1A PLAYER OF THE YEAR IN VOLLEYBALL