School Organizations and Contacts

Spring Valley Education Foundation

Jonnie Corning, Executive Director John Green, President Donete Isreal, President-Elect

School Improvement Council Members

Lynn Roth, (Chair) Michelle Maxberry (Vice Chair) Clare Parker (Secretary)

Sara Braddock, Parent Jennifer Cain, Parent Leonard Cain, Parent Effie Patricia Diillard, Parent T. Wayne Gilbert, Parent Siva Natarajan, Parent Ravi Ravindra, Parent Stanley Ross, Parent Marty Roth, Parent Nanette Wilson, Parent

Aubrey Cain, Student Laurel Nowell, Student

Andrea Clutts, Teacher Jackie Howard, Teacher Kristina Schwarzbauer, Teacher Rodney Wilson, Teacher

Dr. Baron Davis, Principal Jim Childers, Assistant Principal Rob Herron, Assistant Principal April Shell, Assistant Principal Dr. Linda Silvernail, Assistant Principal

Extracurricular Activities

Clubs

Fellowship of Christian Athletes; French, Latin, & Spanish Clubs; Future Business Leaders of America; Gospel Choir; HOSA; Math Team; Mock Trial Team; Student Council; SV Players

Athletics

Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track, Volleyball, Wrestling

> Special Programs Adaptive Physical Education AFJROTC AVID Career Information Center Project Lead the Way Teacher Cadet Viking Way Work-based Learning

Family Programs Fitness Fever Girls Empowered Group Study Skills Group Teen Talk Career Fair College Fair Parent Workshops: Financial Aid Night, College Information Night, FAFSA Workshop



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Mission Statement

Spring Valley High School, working together with its students, families and the community, will provide a secure environment and innovative educational experiences that will empower our students to achieve excellence and to take responsibility for their lives, their learning and the world in which they live.

> School Hours 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Total student enrollment: 1,980 Grades 9—12

School Highlights & Awards

Spring Valley High is a 450,000 sq. ft. state-of-the -art facility serving a diverse student body. We have cutting-edge technology, content-specific science and fine arts labs, and exceptional athletic facilities. In addition to comprehensive and CATE programs, our school houses three schoolswithin-a-school: magnet math and science programs, a freshman academy, and an Arts in Basic Curriculum Program. Our science and math magnet program students won over 80 awards for science research. Our senior class had 7 National Merit Finalists, 1 National Merit Scholarship Recipient, 42 High School League Scholar Athletes, 33 Palmetto Fellows, 26 SC Academic Honor Graduates, 115 Hope Scholarships and 107 Life Scholarship recipients. The Senior Class earned \$34,439,739 in scholarships, with 61.9% of seniors receiving scholarships. Nine athletic teams won Region Championships and all 22 varsity sports programs qualified for the state playoffs. Spring Valley continues its implementation of Design Teams and Professional Learning Leaders begun last year, as well as Smaller Learning Communities, Viking Way and Drop-Out Prevention Programs.

Student Information

51% African American 35% White 7% Asian 5% Hispanic 2% Other

148 Professional Staff 44 National Board Certified

Test Scores

Percentage of First-Time Test Takers Passing HSAP (April 2012)		
HSAP-ELA	HSAP-Math	HSAP-ELA-Math
91.1	85.7	84.0

Awards & Recognitions

- 2012-2013 Palmetto Gold Award
- Named one of the nation's most academically challenging high schools by *The Washington Post*
- 7 National Merit Finalists
- 1 National Merit Scholarship Recipient
- 8 perfect scores of 800 on the SAT
- Band received Superior rating at State Concert Performance Assessment
- Orchestra received Excellent and Superior ratings at SCMEA Region III Concert Festival
- Gospel Choir named #1 Gospel Choir at 2013 Stir Up the Gifts competition
- Discovery students earned 44 awards at the SC Region II Science and Engineering Fair
- AFJROTC won Air Force National JROTC Drill Championship
- Student Council received Gold Honor Council Award at annual SCASC Conference
- Region 4 AAAA Wrestler of the Year

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Goals for the next school year

- Achieve a graduation rate of 95%
- Achieve a longitudinal HSAP pass rate of 99.9%
- Achieve an overall EOC pass rate of 90.0%
- Achieve an overall AP pass rate of 90.0
- Create a personalized environment that supports each student's intellectual, ethical, social, and physical development

Magnet Programs

<u>Discovery</u>: A four-year science- and mathbased Honors/AP program emphasizing independent research for students committed to academic excellence.

<u>Explorations</u>: A four-year college-preparatory program with an emphasis on the science, mathematics, and communication skills .

Technology Available

- Smart Boards & sound systems in every classroom
- 1-Two-1 Computer Initiative with Chromebooks
- Galaxy Tabs, Nooks, & laptops
- Classroom computer labs and mobile labs available to all classes
- Video cameras, flip cameras, and document cameras

Major Grants Received

- Smaller Learning Communities Grant (\$1.3 million over 5 years)
- Arts Curricular Distinguished Arts Program Grant
- SC Hospital Association Anatomy in Clay Grant