



Blythewood High School

School Improvement Council

Annual Report to Parents and Community

Mission Statement

Together, we create a safe environment for growth, filled with pathways of success for all Bengals.

Our Vision

In four years, every Bengal will be prepared with the skills and knowledge to be enrolled, enlisted, or employed.

Our Core Values

Show Respect, Take Responsibility, Build Relationships

Our Priorities

Student Success, Safe Environment, Purposeful Collaboration, Rigorous Instruction

2021-2022 SIC Members	2021-2022 Ed Foundation Members
Elaina Arnold (Co-Chair, Student) Denean Green-Rivers (Co-Chair, Parent) Jeremiah Allen Krissy Ard Audrey Blom Brielle Cade Jaylin Childs	Kathy Johnson - Interim President Amy Ely - Treasurer Matt Sherman - Principal Jacquelin Bailey Ashton Carroll Kristen Chaneyworth Odora Coleman Bud Crain

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● Show Respect

No Place For Hate School

Student-led initiative by our Freshmen Class Reps

I WILL SEEK TO GAIN understanding of those who are different from myself.

I WILL SPEAK OUT AGAINST prejudice and discrimination.

I WILL REACH OUT to support those who are targets of hate.

I WILL PROMOTE respect for people and help foster a prejudice-free school.

I RECOGNIZE that respecting individual dignity and promoting intergroup harmony are the responsibilities of all students.

I BELIEVE that one person can make a difference - no person can be an “innocent” bystander when it comes to opposing hate.

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No Place For Hate Bengal Video

● Take Responsibility

“Pay It Forward”

The Pay It Forward Club is a student led initiative that helps to identify needs

in our community and organize ways to meet these needs.

This year...

Collected new and used books for local schools and the Prisma Health Pediatric Hospital

Supported opportunities to celebrate teachers by supporting the Sunshine Committee!

Raised funds to benefit the Fairfield County Animal Shelter

New Student/ Family Handbook

Parent initiated and student supported opportunity to create a seamless onboarding process for new Bengals and Bengal Families

[Things I wish I knew... \(Survey Link\)](#)

[New Bengals Page \(Draft\)](#)

● **Build Relationships**

Bridging The Gap Initiative

Bengal Nation SIC student members are proposing a collaboration with middle school SIC members to cultivate future SIC leaders!

“Our 2021-2022 school improvement council wants to announce a new project. We decided to begin Bridging the Gap Initiative. The School Improvement Council (SIC) wants to help rising Freshmen better acclimate and succeed in highschool. To do so we are planning to partner up and work with our middle school areas to showcase our many clubs and organizations that are offered here at Blythewood high school. Please view below for the guidelines.”

“Be a Fan!!!”

South Carolina Special Olympics

Bengal Nation students and staff are ready to “Be a Fan” by supporting our local and state Special Olympics. BHS hosted the Midlands Spring Games for local schools and is hosting the SC Summer Games on May 7th.

Come BE A FAN!!!!

Opportunities for ALL Bengals!

Clubs

4 Bands: Marching, Symphonic, Jazz, Concert,
Chorus, Orchestra, Winter Guard,
World Music Program: West African Drums, Taiko
Drums, Steel Pans, Dance
Clubs: African Drum & Dance Ensemble,
Athletics, BETA Club, Blue Legion Band, Broadcast
Journalism & Media, Blythewood Cyber Security,
Blythewood Racial Issues Committee (BRIC), Chorus
& AcaBengals, Culinary, Culture Appreciation Club,
DECA, Equality Club, Fellowship of Christian
Athletes, Future Business Leaders of
America, Future Farmers of America, Gamers Table,
Holiday Wishes, Honors Forum, Health Occupation of
Students of America, JROTC, Leo Club, Men
Mentoring Men Every day, National
Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, National
English Honor Society, National French Honor
Society, National Honor Society for Dance Arts,
National Math Honor Society, National Spanish
Honor Society, National Technical Honor Society,
Orchestra, PROM, Steel Tryin' Band, Science
National Honor Society, Skills USA, Student
Leadership, Teacher Cadets, Tech Bar, Teenage
Democrats, Teenage Republicans, The Tabletop
Empire, Theatre & International Thespian Honor
Society, Yearbook

Sports:

Baseball

Basketball (boys & girls teams)

Bowling (co-ed club team)

Cheerleading

Cross Country (boys & girls teams)

Football

Golf (boys & girls teams)

Lacrosse (boys & girls teams)

Soccer (boys & girls teams)

Softball

Swimming (boys & girls teams)

Tennis (boys & girls teams)

Track (boys & girls teams)

Volleyball

Wrestling