### **School Improvement Council Members**



Saluda Elementary School was awarded the

## Palmetto Gold Award

for absolute performance.

Saluda Elementary School was awarded a **B** on their State Report Card Way To Go Saluda!

Saluda Elementary received an Absolute Rating of *Average* and a Growth Rating of *Average* on the 2013 Annual School Report Card from the State of South Carolina. Kristi Collins, Chair Sherry Bradley, Parent Madeline Culbreath, Parent Alejandro Dominguez, Parent Nicole Wertz, Parent Sarah Deloach, Teacher Pamela Chestnut, Teacher Holly Shaw, Community Member Lee Morris, Community Member Marcie Enlow, Ex-officio Member

## District and School Mission and

### **Vision Statements**

### Mission:

Educate all students by providing a rigorous and relevant curriculum with supportive programs.

### Vision:

The vision of Saluda Elementary School is to become an exemplary school in which every student leaves equipped to succeed in school, work and life.



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### **Report To Parents and Community**



# **Celebrate With Us**

- Saluda Elementary Honors Choir performed : Christmas Around the World and 101 Dalmations.
- Saluda Elementary hosted monthly Connecting with Parents Meetings. Topics discussed included school policies, curriculum standards, Common Core, homework tips, activities involving Math, ELA, Science and Social Studies.
- Grandparent of the Year essay contest winners: 3rd Grade: Graceyn Corley 4th Grade: Monserrath Pegueros-Borbonio 5th Grade: Carter Collins
- SES hosted the fourth annual Miss SES Pageant in February to raise funds for Relay For Life. Miss SES winner was Carter Collins.
- SES continues to partner with the Saluda Garden Club.
  Our students have grown strawberries, cabbage, potatoes, lettuce, peppers, squash and much more.
- SES inducted 33 students into the Nation Honor Society
- Saluda Elementary offered an after- school program. The program was funded through the Safe Schools/Healthy Students grant.
- Saluda Elementary continues to be data driven by utilizing MAP testing to track student progress.

### Saluda Elementary hosted Parent nights:

August......Parent Connection Night Open House

October.....Connecting to the Curriculum

November...Parent Conferences

December....Christmas Play

January..... National Honor Society Induction

February.....Miss SES Pageant

May.....Science Night

Students were given the opportunity to be members of the **BowTie Club or Girls in Pearls.** Boys and girls must qualify in the following areas to be members: complete daily homework, attend school each day, model good behavior, passing Study Island overall by 70% or more, achieve the best grades in all subjects.



# 2013 PASS Results

Percentage scoring met or exemplary

	ELA	Math	Social	Science
			Studies	
3rd	80.2	67	73.9	63.8
Grade				
4th	70.1	76.3	77.1	67.4
Grade				
5th	86.1	79.7	74.4	72.5
Grade				

### 2013—2014 Teacher Of The Year

# Pamela Chestnut



### **Purpose of the Report**

This report is developed by the School Improvement Council to communicate the progress of the school in achieving the goals and objectives in the strategic plan.