

## Challenges

- Technology
- Academic achievement of all sub-groups
- Grade level transitioning



## 2013 PASS Data

Grade	ELA	Math	Science	Social Studies	Wr
6	97.8	92.4	91.1	100	91.4
7	93.7	86.1	87.3	83.5	84
8	91.5	84	94.3	92.5	86.8

**Report Card Grade A**

## School Improvement Council Members

Mrs. Lindsey Dobbins, Community  
 Mrs. Cathy Riordan, Teacher  
 Ms. Mary Lou McInerney, Parent  
 Mrs. Marion Ann Mason, Teacher  
 Mrs. Paula Clark, Parent

Chairperson - Ms. Mary Lou McInerney  
 Ex-Officio Member - Dr. Crystal McSwain

## Community Involvement

### Dolly Parton's Imagination Library

**Veteran's Day Program**—Honored local Veteran's Post 4873

**Relay for Life** - Bronze level award for raising over \$1,300.

**Cardinal Citizenship Class** - Community Service Projects - Christmas boxes to the Charles Lea center, Veterans Memorial Park, yard work for Hospice House.

**Red Ribbon Rally**—Celebrated Real Cardinals are Drug Free

**United Way**

**Canned Food Drive for Operation Hope**

**Partnered with Landrum Public Library to participate in Book Clubs**



## Annual Report to the Parents 2013-2014

*The Mission of Landrum Middle School is to give each student every opportunity to make the most of themselves.*

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# Landrum Middle School

## Recognitions and Awards

SC Exemplary Reading School

Palmetto's Finest Finalist School

Palmetto Gold Award for General Performance

Palmetto Silver Award for Meeting the Growth in Achievement

Received Junior League Grant of \$500 for "The War is On"

Received grant of \$20,000 for Kessler Cultural Evenings from the Mary F. Kessler fund of the Polk County Community Foundation

Student was a national winner in the NCDA Poetry and Poster Contest

3 Duke TIP Scholars

9 Junior Scholars

146 Beta Club Members

Making Middle Grades Work Depth of Implementation Award 2012

185 Students participated in Job Shadow Day

LMS recognized in the Guinness Book of World Records for having the most people paddle balling at the same time.

Chorus received all Superior Ratings at the Spartanburg County Middle School Choral Concert Festival

## School Goals

### I. Children Are Challenged Academically

- Afterschool academic tutoring
- MAP goal setting
- Use of Dominie, Fountas & Pinnell, MAP and PASS data to monitor and guide instruction
- SAT Workshops for students
- Apply for Palmetto's Finest
- Apply for Exemplary Reading Award

### II. People Feel Safe

- Implement the OLWEUS anti-bullying program

### III. People Feel Welcome

- Weekly postcards sent home that focus on RED
- 6th Grade Cardinal Take Off Camp
- SIC Committee
- PTO Board

## Innovative Programs

Battle of the Brains

Cardinal City

Global Art Project

Cardinal TV Crew

Cardinal Citizens

Cardinal Coverage

Invention Convention



## Purpose of SIC Report

As mandated by Act 135, the School Improvement Council for LMS has developed this report to parents and community to highlight the progress the school is making in achieving goals established by the schools five-year Strategic Plan.

## Report Card Ratings

2012-2013 - Excellent

2011-2012 - Excellent

2010-2011 - Excellent