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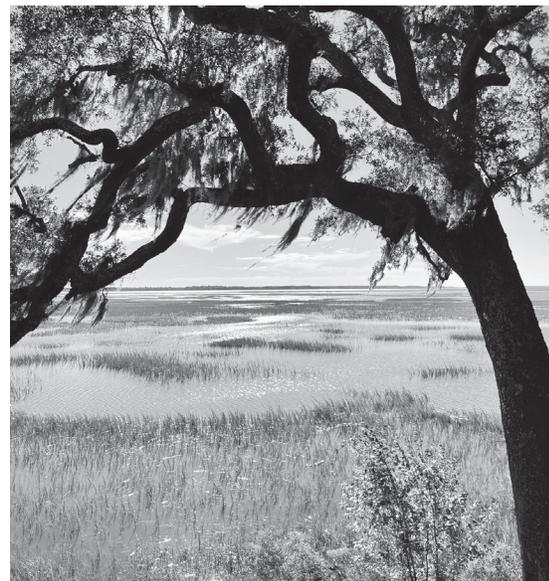
EYE ON THE ISLAND

A few things have been going on since the last update related to the Point Farm Mitigation Bank:

1) The SCDHEC-OCRM "Critical Area" permit for the excavation work in the salt marsh, to create the mitigation bank, was appealed by individual residents of Wadmalaw and the Coastal Conservation League (CCL), to the Administrative Law Court in Columbia. The appeal will be handled by the SC Environmental Law Project (SCELP), and the hearing will likely be early next year.

2) Charleston County Council has continued its ongoing move to create a new zoning law that if approved, would avoid the Charleston County Board of Zoning Appeals' (BZA) April 2022 denial of Point Farm's wetland buffer encroachments. The variance denials are on appeal in the Charleston County Circuit Court.

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There's nothing as beautiful as 'high tide' on Wadmalaw!

ELECTION DAY NOVEMBER 8TH – VOTE!

November 8th is our next chance to exercise our civic duty to vote in the general election. Wadmalaw has two precincts: Wadmalaw Island 1 is on the Bears Bluff side of the island and Wadmalaw Island 2 is on the Maybank side. For this election, however, the ballots are the same.

All voters will use Edith Frierson Elementary School to vote between the hours of 7 AM and 7 PM. If you are in line by 7 PM, you will still be allowed to vote.

As with all elections, you can check www.scvotes.gov to review your registration status, find your polling place, and review a sample ballot.

Here is an overview of the major contests:

Governor and Lt. Governor: McMaster/Evette, Reeves/Ethridge, or Cunningham/Parham Casey.

US Senate: Tim Scott or Krystle Matthews.

US Representative District 1: Nancy Mace, Joseph Oddo, or Annie Andrews.

State House of Representatives: Matt Leber or Chardale Murray.

Please note: all contests are as listed in order on the sample ballot.

Additionally, in this election there are **two constitutional amendments** to be voted on. Both are related to reserve funds. The first is a vote to gradually raise the "rainy day" fund from 5 to 7 percent of the previous year's revenue.

The second seeks to increase the capital reserve fund from 2 to 3 percent of the general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year and provide that the first use of the capital reserve fund is to offset midyear budget reductions.

As with all constitutional amendments, please do your research on these adjustments to understand what they mean and determine how you would like to vote.

FALL TERM OFF TO BUSY START AT FRIERSON

In September, Hurricane Ian generated intense activity at Edith Frierson Elementary School. Charleston County switched to e-learning for two days. Teachers made alternate lesson plans and gathered Chrome books, while the support staff kept the students challenged and occupied both inside and outside of the school. Paper packets were prepared for those who lacked internet access and could not travel to the school campus to use the WiFi. Importantly, staff put together two days of snacks and meals for those students who are food insecure. Clearly a challenging day for Wadmalaw Island's elementary school. ...continued on pg. 7

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Rockville Township
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Little Rock Baptist Church

6522 Maybank Highway
Rev. James Peterson, Pastor
Services at 11:30 AM
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New Bethlehem Baptist Church

1945 Liberia Road
Rev. Zachary Williams
Services at 11:00 AM

New Jerusalem AME Church

6179 Bears Bluff Road
Rev. Tony J. Slater, Jr., Pastor
Services at 10:00 AM

New St. James Bethel AME Church

5305 Maybank Highway
Rev. William R. Jones, Pastor
Services at 10:00 AM

New Webster United Methodist Church

4755 Bears Bluff Road
Rev. Pattie E. Gordon, Pastor
Rev. Shamond Riddy, Director
of Visitation
Services at 10:15 AM

Rockville Presbyterian Church

2479 Sea Island Yacht Club Road
Rev. Fred Hope, Pastor
Services at 10:00 AM

Salem Baptist Church

5768 Bears Bluff Road
Rev. Martha Florence Brown,
Pastor
Services at 11:00 AM

Salem Presbyterian Church

5591 Maybank Highway
Rev Carolyn K. Heyward, Pastor
Services at 11:00 AM on 2nd
and 4th Sundays, 9:30 AM on
1st and 3rd.

FAMILY SEEKING TO START 4-H CLUB ON WADMALAW

4-H club is a service-oriented organization teaching young people all phases of agriculture and animal sciences.

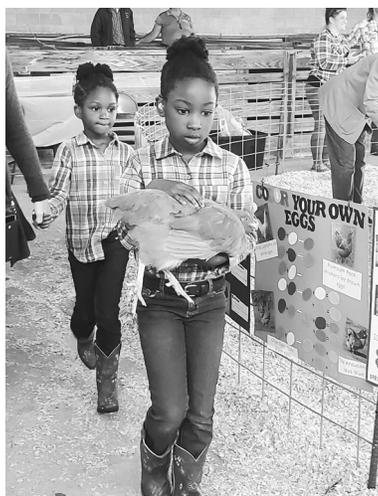
Their motto is: To Make the Best Better. The 4 H's stand for Head, Heart, Hands, and Health.

4-H is under the auspices of Clemson University Extension services, but have county agents throughout South Carolina. In Hampton and Colleton County, there are three agents: one teaches Pasture and Grassland, one for Tree Farming, and one for Poultry Science, from conception to table.

Marty and Kimberly Spivey live on Wadmalaw with their two adopted daughters Vannie and Pip, one dog, and many chickens and roosters. Marty is training to become a 4-H leader, which would allow him to start a 4-H club on Wadmalaw. Both of their daughters are 4-H members, and presently the family attends meetings in Walterboro with 15-20 other young people and their parents.

Daughter Vannie is in the pullet program, where she received 25 pullets (chicks) to raise. As they grew, she selected one to show at exhibitions and local fairs. She named hers Ginger. She must keep a journal, including photos, about her experiences with the chickens. She also needs to be able to answer questions about her bird. At the end of one year, she will return 5 of the original 25.

4-H is a healthy, instructive, and productive program for young people. With the efforts of Marty and Kimberly, there will soon be a branch of 4-H on Wadmalaw. If you have children who may be interested in participating in a 4-H Club program on Wadmalaw, please contact Marty at 843-817-6900 or marty.spivey@gmail.com



Pip and Vannie Spivey at the Orangeburg State Fair with 'Ginger.'

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Nov. 8th:** Election Day / No School for CCSD
- Nov. 8th:** Wadmalaw Island Land Planning Committee Monthly Meeting @ 7PM
- Nov. 12th:** Blessing of the Vines Festival & Farmers Market @ Deep Water Vineyard @ 10AM – 5PM
- Nov. 20th:** "The Point Is" Annual Oyster Roast + Chili & Mac & Cheese Cook Off @ Noon – 5PM
- Nov. 21-25th:** CCSD Schools closed
- Dec. 13th:** Wadmalaw Island Land Planning Committee Monthly Meeting @ 7PM
- Dec 19-Jan 3:** CCSD Schools Closed
- Jan. 10th:** Wadmalaw Island Land Planning Committee Monthly Meeting @ 7PM
- Jan 16 + 17:** CCSD Schools Closed
- Jan. 28th:** 2023 Wadmalaw Island Community Chili Cook Off @ The Wadmalaw Community Center @ 12Noon – 4PM
- Feb. 14th:** Wadmalaw Island Land Planning Committee Monthly Meeting @ 7PM
- Feb. 20th:** CCSD Schools Closed
- Feb. 25th:** Oyster Roast + Cork Shuckin' Festival & Farmers Market @ Deep Water Vineyard @ 10AM – 5PM

In order to keep the community informed of events on the island, we are proud to continue our community calendar! Our next calendar will cover February thru May, so please send any public events that you would like included to Scott Gilmore at ScottGilmore@gmail.com



Marty, Kimberly, Pip and Vannie at their home on Wadmalaw.

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RAISING CATTLE ON WADMALAW—

Bill Walpole of Anchorage Plantation gazes out over his herd of 180 Angus-Hereford cross cows and their calves, which are grazing contentedly on lush Wadmaw pasture. "The thing that always amazes me the most," says Bill, "is how they can get so fat just eating grass." Bill has already been in and out of the cattle business a couple of times in his life, so returning to ranching when Anchorage stopped growing tomatoes was a natural. "The cows manage the grass for us, and the money generated goes back into taking care of the property."

Early fall is the end of calving season. Bulls were let in with the cows for several months earlier in the year so the calves are all born in a 60- to 90-day window. A helper aids in managing the herd during this busy time, recording mothers and birth dates, catching and tagging the calves, and taking care of fences.

Throughout the summer, the herd mows down the grass, and are turned out onto fresh pasture about every thirty days. In the fall, Bill follows behind them, disking the summer grasses and planting winter rye. Whatever green rye grass is not consumed over the winter will be cut in April and ensiled in long shrink-wrap tubes, where it ferments and cures. The following winter, pieces of the roll can be cut off and transported to the pasture as needed for supplemental feed. "When the plastic is cut, the silage smells so sweet the herd will practically run over you to get to it. There is very little waste compared to traditional dry hay," says Bill.

Twice a year, the cattle are humanely rounded up into a holding pen with the help of 4 or 5 cowboys from the Orangeburg stockyard. Friends and family are invited to the fall workday to watch and picnic, and the grandkids help push the cattle through the chute. Any cows which are limping, or older cows which are not calving anymore, are removed from the herd. Calves are sold annually in the early summer when they reach about 600 pounds. Because they are all-natural (raised without anti-biotics or hormones), they are typically sent to small stockyards in the Northeast where they are finished on wheat before they go to market.

Stopping by the separate pasture where the five bulls are kept, an enormous black Angus eagerly trots over to see if we have a snack. "When you buy Angus beef at the grocery store, it just means that the bull was a registered Angus," explains Bill. "Breeding to an Angus-Hereford cross typically results in one of three types of calves, the most valuable being a black-white face called a Black Baldie. The bulls are kept together in the same pasture so that they get to know each other, and hopefully will not become aggressive when they are let in with the cows and begin competing for mates."

The life of a cattle rancher follows the seasons, 365 days a year. You have to love it to do it.



Bill Walpole with one of his Angus-Hereford bulls.

Resident Profile:

SUSAN WHALEY HANCKEL

Susan Whaley Hanckel is pure Wadmaw. Her father, John Whaley, farmed on the island his entire life, like many of his ancestors. Well-known and popular, John was the first skipper of the "Undine" SIOD V at the Rockville races. Her mother, Mary Townsend, was a direct descendent of Rockville's original settlers.

Susan was born at Roper Hospital in 1957 and raised in a home she shared with her two older siblings, Johnny and Ellen. Life was good on Brigger Hill Road. Some would say it was idyllic for young children back in the '50's and '60's.

Her grandparents, Charlie and Sarah Townsend, lived next door along with her Uncle Tom and Aunt Marion. After retiring, Charlie became Treasurer of The Sea Island Yacht Club, and served for over 20 years. Susan remembers helping out at Club functions by selling cokes and treats while watching children roller-skate in the Hall.

Tom ran the small general store near the Village. He always seemed to have a candy treat for the kids. Family ties were close. Seafood was prevalent year-round, and food from nearby farms was fresh and plentiful. She remembers the family's constant concern for the weather and winds that are always haunting farmers.

Her education began at the little Wadmaw schoolhouse on Liberia Road, where she was taught by her great-aunt, Mary Townsend, and her grandmother Merle Whaley, who was also the principal. There were 7 grades in the school, which had only two classrooms. Susan's first-grade class contained only three students.

Later, Susan went to First Baptist School in Charleston, where she commuted in daily carpools with several other Islanders. Evans Townsend was the most frequent driver. Her senior year, she lived in town with her great aunt, Leslie Townsend Jervey, whose home was located only two blocks from school.

Susan graduated in 1975 and married Bill Hanckel in 1980. They have two children: Will, who is 39, and Emily, who is 36. Her children have blessed them with four "perfect grandchildren" who all live in Charleston and visit regularly.

It's fair to say that Susan is a "bin ya." She's still living in the same house where she was raised, and has no plans to live elsewhere. When one gazes out over the gorgeous view from her bluff, it's easy to understand: it is a visual paradise.

"My next move," she smiled, "will be to St. John's graveyard."



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The proposed law under consideration would remove the BZA variance process altogether from wetlands buffer encroachment approvals for mitigation banks. After the second of three “readings” to approve or deny the change, County Council voted to delay the third reading vote, requesting that Point Farm and the Wadmalaw Community try to come up with a solution to resolve the overall disputes. In a surprising move, days before discussions were to take place, members of the County staff called off the meeting. If the proposed law is approved, wetlands buffer reviews would be handled by the Planning Director, without the public notice, open meetings, or public input that is required by the current BZA variance process.

3) While this proposal to amend the zoning laws has been going on, a court hearing was held October 24, 2022, to consider allowing the CCL to intervene in Point Farm’s appeal of the April BZA denials. The judge decided not to allow CCL to intervene, and ordered the County and Point Farm to mediate the appeal.

4) A Notice of Intent to contest the Corps of Engineer’s mitigation bank permit was filed in August by individuals, CCL, and the Wadmalaw Land Planning Committee. It is unknown at this time if the case to contest will be filed.

Residents on the Island remain concerned and hopeful that an overall solution can be reached to protect our beautiful Leadenwah Creek and North Edisto River. Stay tuned!



REAL ESTATE SALES

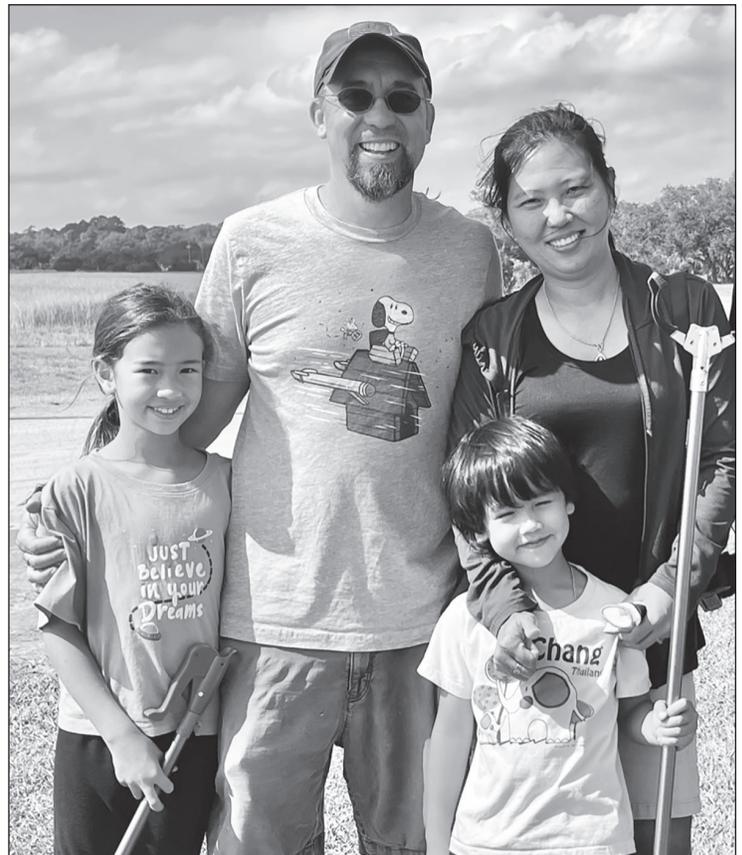
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RESIDENCES	Acres	Date Sold	Price
2463 Marine Road	0.37	8/19/2022	\$249,000
1711 Yellow House Road	2.24	8/19/2022	\$715,000
5777 Boone Haven Road	3.0	8/23/2022	\$2,141,700
2668 Cherry Point Road	4.0	9/09/2022	\$895,000
1940 Longcreek Road	3.67	9/23/2022	\$950,000
VACANT LAND	Acres	Date Sold	Price
0 Liberia Road	2.02	7/14/2022	\$125,000
4998 Maybank Hwy	6.85	7/27/2022	\$110,000
0 Summer Marsh Lane	6.1	8/04/2022	\$249,990
2667 Roseville Road	0.89	8/25/2022	\$90,000
2815 Roseville Road	5.76	9/9/2022	\$199,000
2726 Roseville Road	5.19	9/16/2022	\$75,000

WADMALAW RESIDENTS INVITED TO WEIGH IN ON COUNTY HOUSING PLAN

Charleston County’s Department of Housing and Neighborhood Revitalization will soon be seeking public comments on its draft comprehensive housing plan, called Housing Our Future. The culmination of a year-long process, the draft plan outlines key needs, priority strategies, and implementation considerations for Charleston County to advance important housing goals.

The Wadmalaw community is invited to review and provide feedback on the draft document at a meeting with County officials to be held on December 6th at 12:00 PM at the Johns Island Library. Those unable to attend will be able to access the draft document and attend a virtual meeting available on the Charleston County website www.charlestoncounty.org/hof on November 17th.



The Gilmore Family participated in KWB’s Cherry Point Landing Quarterly Litter Sweep in September. This clean-up takes place every quarter and are great for family participation. Watch for announcements on Facebook.

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WILPC MINUTES SUMMARY - 3RD QUARTER

July 19, 2022 - Committee Reports:

The Mission Statement was read by Committee Member Terry Reed.

Communication: The Wadmalaw Island Newsletter will be sent out in the first week of August. If you have any ideas for articles or events to put in the newsletter, please contact Scott Gilmore, Scott@strategicevents.com. The Land Planning Committee Facebook page had a 1.8% increase in June, and the Wadmalaw Proud Facebook page had a 2.4% increase in June. Please continue to send photos to be added to the page.

Education: The new elementary school has requested name suggestions from the community for the new school. Currently, there is no specific deadline for suggestions.

Community Center: There will be a Back-to-School event held at the Community Center on August 6th.

Public Works: There was a work order submitted for road repair on Harts Bluff Rd. Roadway trees on the island are in desperate need of trimming. DOT has been contacted numerous times by residents and committee members.

Fire Report: There were 361 incidents reported in the Fire District: Wadmalaw Island: 27 Incidents, Seabrook Island: 37; Kiawah Island: 88; Johns Island: 209

Zoning & Environmental: two plats were sent from the County, a boundary survey on Sadie Lane, and a property line adjustment off of Bear's Bluff Rd. County Council will consider a ZLDR change that would allow in-house approvals of wetland buffer encroachments for mitigation banks. This would take away the BZA authority for reviewing these requests as variances, requiring public notice and open hearings.

Sheriff's Report: The Sheriff's dept. is monitoring the drag races taking place on Bear's Bluff.

Other Notes: Keep Wadmalaw Beautiful is asking that people mow their lawns beyond their property lines on the highways to help volunteers that pickup litter. Studies show taller grass attracts more litter.

There was a reminder that we don't meet in August, and the "Pass the Hat" collection for the Community Center was \$73.

September 13, 2022 - Committee Reports

The Mission Statement was read by Committee member Dennis Vane.

Communications: There has been a 6% increase in engagement on the WILPC Facebook Page. The next newsletter will be coming out at the beginning of November. The deadline for article submissions is October 14th. Send to PO Box 3 or emailed, wadmalawnews@gmail.com.

Zoning & Environmental: No plats were submitted for the month of September. The proposed amendment to the ZDLR regarding wetlands buffers for mitigation banks has gotten 2nd reading approval from County Council, with 3rd reading scheduled for September 20th. We are opposing this change that would allow wetlands buffer encroachments for mitigation banks to be approved in-house, taking away public voice in BZA meetings as variances. Wadmalaw residents are encouraged to continue to write to County Council in opposition, and to attend Council meetings. There was a Planning Commission meeting September 12th which included a clarification of the three acre density exception in AG-15, which we support.

Education: CCSD board approved the new elementary school to be built on Johns Island. Building will begin in March of 2023 and open in August 2024. St. Johns Homecoming will be October 7th, and alumni will hold a tailgate from 12-7 PM. Tickets purchased ahead of the event are \$10, and \$20 the day of.

Community Center: The Community Center holds Bible studies on Tuesdays at 10 AM. The Public Library will visit the Community Center. On September 17th, the Center will hold the "50 Shades of Pink" celebration honoring breast cancer survivors, \$10 donations will be accepted. A spaghetti and lasagna dinner will be held October 8th at 12 PM, with \$10 donations requested.

Other Notes:

Fire District: July Incidents Wadmalaw Island: 33; Johns Island: 227; Seabrook Island: 60, and Kiawah: 106

Sheriff's Report: August – September: August 30 an armed robbery took place on Armin Rd. A gas tank and other items were stolen on Tacky Point Rd. The vehicle in question in the incident is a Volvo Sedan. There has been a string of trailer thefts on the islands. Please chain and lock your trailers.

Johns Island: The City of Charleston redistricting may created a Council Johns Island.

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LET'S MEET ANOTHER WADMALAW BUSINESS OWNER

Murhelvic Woodworks, C. Murry Thompson, Jr.

About Murhelvic Woodworks: I spend time in my shop making charcuterie boards and tables from spalted pecan trees on my property. My daughters asked for a board for Christmas about 4 years ago. Their friends saw them, and that started my woodworking business.

Your Connection to Wadmalaw? I am a retired physician since 2019 and was a part-time Wadmalaw resident most of my life. My parents bought our Leadenwah Creek property in 1959 when I was 9 years old. We spent the summers there, and in 2006, my wife and I bought the place from my parents.

Contact Info: CMurryT22@gmail.com

What do you love most about Wadmalaw? The island conveys a sense of calm, connection, and community that crosses color barriers. It feels like a place where we all still care about each other, something that sadly seems missing in the world offisland. As evidence, one needs only to listen to the banter and conversation when we see each other at "the dump" on Liberia Road. There should be a study done to document that one's blood pressure drops at least 10 points after crossing the Esau Jenkins (Church Creek) Bridge. There are very few places that can do that anymore.



Example of the benches to be placed in the Wadmalaw Island Community Park as part of the enhancement project in progress. For a donation of \$750, a bench will be placed in the park with a plaque naming the individual, family or organization donor or a person(s) in whose memory the donation is made. If interested, please contact Kevin Richbourg at 843-513-2234.

TIERRA SIMMONS, DAUGHTER OF WADMALAW

Growing up on Wadmalaw Island has a lot to do with Tierra Simmons' beautiful smile. She had a wonderful childhood filled with many happy times. "Some of my favorite memories growing up center around Easter time, when all the kids would gather for Easter egg hunts and ice cream floats. I love when the community comes together as one."

Her mother Annette Simmons is now retired from the Charleston County School District, where she taught for twenty-five years. Her father, Tracy, better known as Neal, is a retired truck driver. According to Tierra, "He's the best fish guy on Wadmalaw!"

When not taking care of her beautiful two-and-a-half-year-old daughter, Raelynn, Tierra can be found at the John's Island Charleston Cleaners where she is the front desk assistant. You can't miss her: she's the one who is always smiling!



Father and daughter, Tracy and Tierra Simmons

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FALL TERM OFF TO BUSY START AT FRIERSON

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Frierson Elementary takes care of ALL of its students, all day every day. There is a lot of "catching up" to do this year, since the pandemic left so many struggling to keep up. An afterschool program runs until 6:00 p.m. every day, giving students a snack and supper while being supervised in academic, social and physical activities. Students who sometimes make poor choices now have a behavior specialist to help them find their way. There is a guidance counselor who works with issues facing individuals and classes, leading discussions to hopefully prevent future problems. Deputy Garris has returned as the Resource Officer, offering support to children and staff. There are two Reading Interventionists, one for K-2 students and another for the upper levels.

Enrollment is up to 155, with three primary classes (3, 4 and 5-year-olds), three Lower L classes (Grades 1,2,3) and two Upper L classes (Grades 4 and 5). All are following the Montessori guidelines to teach state standards. The Upper L wing was renovated over the summer, including new bathrooms. Plans are in the works to have grades 6, 7 and 8 added, so a child could enter Frierson at age three and stay until ready for high school. Open House in September was a huge success, with 98% in attendance. Communication with parents is a priority. There are Sunday evening callouts from the principal, Dr. Cummings, and folders of work and progress go home every three weeks on Wednesdays. It is an awesome year of growth and gratitude, involving each student, staff member, and parent.

Frierson is getting support from area churches, who bring meals to the staff and teachers at various times each month. Kiawah Cares has been an integral part of the school garden, which now has raised beds and walkways. Clemson students are working with the Upper L classes to design and build a pergola for the outdoor garden workspace. It will be both functional and beautiful.

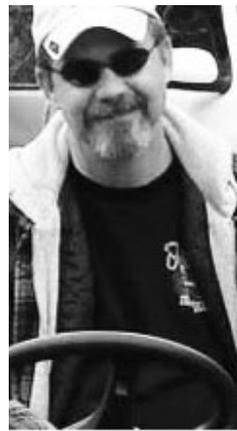
WHAT DOES THE FRIERSON NEED FROM THE COMMUNITY?

- 1) Reading Partners would like to restart after being suspended during the pandemic. Come and read with a student on a weekly basis.
- 2) Dr. Cummings would like to honor each staff member on their birthday with a gift card. She needs 20 more.
- 3) The teacher's lounge needs some gently-used, comfortable furniture. A sofa and some armchairs would be nice.

If you are interested in helping out in any way, please call the school. (843) 559-4500.

It takes a village, and this one is busy and prospering.

MEET KWB BRIGADE VOLUNTEERS



Name: Chris Coley
Maybank Hwy. - Brigade 19

Occupation:
Retired Air Force Pilot

Years on Wadmalaw:
12 Years

Why I am a Brigade member:
"I participate as a way to contribute to our community. I hope people see us and think twice before throwing that trash out of the window."

Join over 140 residents from all over the island working together to keep our island litter-free.

Email: KWB at keepwadmalawbeautiful@gmail.com or call/text 843-566-5702 to volunteer.



Grandparents' Day at Frierson was a huge success!

On Friday, October 7th, a group of approximately 15 volunteers (both adults and students!) came together on a beautiful fall day to tend to the Frierson Elementary School gardens. The group worked together to weed the plant beds and to clear out some undergrowth in the outdoor classroom area. These outdoor spaces provide a wonderful opportunity for our youngsters to get some fresh air while learning about the importance of our very special environment. Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time for our young islanders!

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Distinguished by its long yellow bill, this Great Egret is also known as a Common Egret, Great White Egret or Great White Heron.

JOHNS ISLAND LIBRARY SCHEDULE

Tues. Nov. 1,8,15,22,29 10:00-10:30a.m.

Toddler Storytime (Ages 2-3 w/adult)

Thur. Nov. 3,10,17 10:00-10:30a.m.

Family Storytime (All ages w/adult)

Mon. Nov. 7,14,21,28 10:00-10:30a.m.

Baby Storytime (0-24 months w/adult)

Wed. Nov. 9: 10:30-11:30a.m. Coffee and Conversation (Seniors)

Sat. Nov. 12 11:00 a.m. History of the Hutchinson House (Adults)

Talk given by the Edisto Island Land Trust about one of the oldest surviving houses built by African Americans on Edisto.

Mon-Fri Nov. 14-18 (All Day) Five Days, Five Games!

Celebrate International Games Month (Kids and families) Children's area

Tues. Nov. 15 2:00p.m. Sea Islands Book Club (Adults) "Such a Fun Age" by Kiley Reid

Wed. Nov. 16 1:30-3:30p.m. Staying Safe Online (Adults)

Discusses most common online threats and how to protect oneself. Previous experience or completion of "Searching the Web" required. Call 843-805-6885 to register.

Thur. Nov. 17 2:30-4:30p.m. "Sing" in the Community Room (Teens)

Tues. Nov. 22 10:00a.m.-12:00p.m. Hitchcock films: "Rear Window" (Adults)