

# UPCOMING EVENTS

Stay informed and follow us on:  
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10/09 Softball & Volleyball VS Carmel @5pm  
10/12 Softball & Volleyball VS Crestdale  
@5pm  
10/18 Early Release Day @12:30pm  
10/23 Softball & Volleyball VS JM Robinson  
@5pm



## Meet our Student Services Team:

Amanda Jones— 6th Grade  
Counselor

Emma Parkes— 7th Grade  
Counselor

Whitney Matthews— 8th  
Grade Counselor



**If you were unable to make it to the 8th grade Washington, DC parent interest meeting on Sept. 27, click [here](#) for the presentation.**

**Please indicate if you would like to chaperone and if your student is interested in attending by clicking [here](#).**

**Deadline is October 6th**



# **Fall Spirt Week**

**Monday 10/23:**

Fall out - Wear fall colors

**Tuesday 10/24:**

PJ Day

**Wednesday 10/25:**

"Pink out" for football game & breast cancer awareness month

**Thursday 10/26:**

Rhymes with no reason  
(example: Arbys and Barbies)

**Friday 10/27:**

Anything but a backpack (no wheels & must be able to carry)

# 2024 YEARBOOK



Don't miss out — reserve your copy today!

## WAYS TO ORDER:



**ONLINE**

[JOSTENSYEARBOOKS.COM](http://JOSTENSYEARBOOKS.COM)



**SCAN**



**CALL**

1.877.767.5217  
8AM-5PM CST  
MONDAY-FRIDAY

**OTHER HELPFUL INFO:**

**JOSTENSYEARBOOKS.COM**



# SOUTH CHARLOTTE MIDDLE SCHOOL ANNUAL FUND

ANNUAL FUND **\$20,148**

This is THE main source of funding for SCMS. In addition to supporting the annual needs of teachers and staff, Every donation helps to support teachers, purchase innovative technology, keep our media center updated, provide funds for continuing education classes, beautify school grounds, and much more.

## 135 families have donated!

What Should I Contribute?

The short answer: give what you can. Contributions can range from \$5 to over \$1,000. While every year varies, the PTO can spend an average of \$60.00 per student per year. Please give as generously as you can.

### To Donate:

Donate online at [www.scmspto.com](http://www.scmspto.com).



#### CORPORATE MATCHING:

Check with your employer to see if they will match your donation!

**\$45,000!!!**

**\$40,000**

**\$35,000**

**\$30,000**

**\$25,000**

**\$20,000**

**\$10,000**

**\$5,000**

**\$0**



**AS OF  
SEPTMEBER 27**

**45% TO  
GOAL**

**\*Through September 27, 2023 (total includes pending matching gifts)**



## Thank you to the families who have contributed to the 2023 - 2024 Annual Fund!\*

Abas Family  
Ahn Family  
Alvarado Family  
Amber Toney  
Amisano Family  
Ankush Hiremath  
Anonymous  
Anonymous  
Anonymous  
Appreciation  
Arris  
Aryadne Azevedo  
Battle  
Ben Philpott  
Bennett Wallace  
Biswas Family  
Blackwell Family  
Brady Casas Family  
Brewer Family  
Brian and Holly Stanley  
Buckley Family  
Carson Keiser  
Chris and Katie Nygren  
Chriscoe Family  
Chriscoe Family  
Coombs Family  
Cook Family  
Cooper Daniels  
Dan & Allison Hollins  
Dassle Cleaning Services  
DelGuzzo Family  
Divin Shah  
Education  
Emery  
Emily Galvin  
Emma Gelbard  
Erin Avery  
Ferraro Family  
Gannon Family  
Gima Family  
Glenda and Brian Bernhardt  
Gosu Family  
Greg and Amy Arnold  
Hayden Family  
Huffman Family  
Jeff & Emily Hudson  
John Wappes  
Karina Kushnirenko-Tretiak  
Kiker Family

Knight Family  
Kruglov Family  
Laurenzi Family  
Lewis & Cyndi Martin  
Losev  
Losev  
Luis Family  
Manning  
Minchew Family  
Mom and Dad  
Moon / Cordova  
Mr. & Mrs. Scott O'Connell  
Mr. and Mrs. Susan Alexander  
Murphy  
Neeriemer Family  
Neighborhood Lender mortgage  
Paige Neeley  
Pietrafesa Family  
Prayagkar Family  
Reddin Family  
Reese Taylor  
Rodela Family  
Ruland  
Schiffman Family  
Schiffman Family  
SCMS PTO  
Stroupe Family  
Sturgis Family  
Syed Family  
The Antshel Family  
The Arts  
The Burtness Family  
The Buzzard Family  
The Culver Family  
The Desai Family  
The Devines  
The Dickens Family  
The Drake Family  
The Ennis Family  
The Finley Family  
The Gerlach Family  
The Goanos Family  
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The Hadley Family  
The Harding Family  
The Hedrick Family  
The Holgorsens

The Hudson Family  
The Hutchens Family  
The Kalia Family  
The Khimji Family  
The King Family  
The Kirkland Family  
The Kochan Family  
The Li Family  
The McHaffie Family  
The Naro Family  
The Polston Family  
The Resnick Family  
The Russell Family  
The Sandy Family  
The Schwartz Family  
The Sokolowicz Family  
The Stallings Family  
The Tabors  
The Tropsha Family  
The Waldron Family  
The Webb Family  
Tim & Laurie Moore  
Todd and Libby Fuller  
Tricia Coorey  
Ward Family  
Yang Family  
Zaccardelli Family  
Zach Althofer  
Zierler Family

# Participation by grade

6th grade



14%

7th grade



18%

8th grade



16%

# Your donation matters!

Whether you give \$5 or \$500, SCMS students rely on the generous support of families like you.

Thank you to the families that have already donated!

We are 45% of the way to our fundraising goal! We need everyone to participate to reach this year's goal.

**DONATE NOW**

SCAN ME



SCMS ANNUAL FUND

[WWW.SCMSPTO.ORG](http://WWW.SCMSPTO.ORG)

Participation as of September 27, 2023

# NAME THAT SCHOOL

Check out the **TOP 10 NAMES**  
for the new CMS High School  
coming next year to South Charlotte,  
and rate your choices!



[bit.ly/Top10NamesCLT](https://bit.ly/Top10NamesCLT)



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# GOOD TO KNOW

- ◆ South Charlotte is a member of the South Learning Community. (980) 344-7160
- ◆ To report an absence email [scms.attendance@cms.k12.nc.us](mailto:scms.attendance@cms.k12.nc.us) or you may phone the school at 980-343-3670.
- ◆ Online School Payments (OSP) - CMS has provided us with the opportunity to accept payments for school events on-line. It is much like Athletics Pay-to-Play, comes with a fee (4%), and allows you to pay at your convenience. If you choose to pay on-line, it also relieves our teachers from the time taken to do the paperwork and to receipt and turn in money or checks. *Teachers will continue to take cash and checks as they always have.*

Just sign in to: [osp.osmsinc.com/CMS](http://osp.osmsinc.com/CMS)

Choose your student's event and homeroom teacher, and make payment.

The teacher and Financial Secretary are sent advisements of your payment.

We hope you will take advantage of this opportunity. Through the year, events will be added including field trips, textbooks, fees, and other payments.

- ◆ Re-link your Harris Teeter VIC card! Our TIE number is 1933.

[http://www.harristeeter.com/community/together\\_in\\_education/link\\_to\\_your\\_school.a\\_spx](http://www.harristeeter.com/community/together_in_education/link_to_your_school.a_spx)

- ◆ Need a tutor? Check out our website for a great list.

The **SOUTH CHARLOTTE** Way  
Doing the **RIGHT** thing,  
All Day *Every Day...*

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