

Your Anson Inside County Schools

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Letter from the Superintendent

Anson County Students, Parents, and Community Members:

On behalf of the Anson County Board of Education and all ACS staff members; I would like to let you know we are continuing to provide very effective instructional opportunities for each child attending our schools. Each day we experience the rewards of serving as educators in our great Anson County Community. Additionally, our children continue to benefit from programs provided by other agencies, faith-based groups, and businesses. Each of you play a vital role in the success of our community, schools, and each child served by ACS.

As we face each day of teaching and learning; sadly, we also faced the challenge of maintaining a safe environment for children and adults at our schools. When I entered the education profession our doors were open and unlocked. As society has changed negatively, we now must strive to maintain access control utilizing assistive devices requiring visitors to be screened prior to entering certain areas of our schools. This climate of concern is present in many, many institutions designed to provide a service such as nursing homes, daycare centers, hospitals, governmental agencies, parks, restaurants, and even churches. We are definitely living in an era of time when we must take every possible step to prepare for a crisis should one of our schools become a target. Schools should be a safe haven for children, so we must stay the course to protect our children.

As the Superintendent of Anson County Schools, I address school safety with upmost concern, professionalism and with high expectations for my staff to be as prepared as possible when a school faces a crisis. Each school has a very detailed Emergency Response Plan that is developed based on collaboration with local, state and federal agencies trained to support schools in times of crisis. Staff members participate in procedural trainings to ensure that we all know how to respond based on the type of crisis we experience. A crisis could be in the form of violence, inclement weather, chemical spills, community tragedy, etc. The crisis could be one that is resolved promptly or it may take a period of time to address the situation. Either way, we do have response plans.

A huge portion of our plan involves monitoring to prevent a crisis on campus. I must commend each law enforcement agency in every area of our county for providing excellent support and guidance as we work to prevent a crisis and to respond during a time of crisis. Additionally, the Anson County Emergency Management Division, along with each local Fire Department, continuously advises and supports our work as we strive to keep everyone in our schools safe.

I want to thank all community members for your continuous support of ACS.

Sincerely, Michael H. Freeman, Ed.S.

Upcoming Board of Education Meeting Dates

All Regular Meetings (with the exception of the December meeting, the Annual Budget Development Workshop in April and the June meeting) will begin at 4:30 p.m. with Closed Session immediately following the opening of the meeting. Open Session should begin at

5:30 p.m. (Any changes in time will be posted on the March 26, 2018

April 17, 2018 Budget Development **Workshop** 3:30-5:30 p.m. (Additional dates to be determined if needed.)

April 30, 2018

May 21, 2018

June 28, 2018

Open Session begins at 3:30 p.m. Closed Session begins at 3:45 p.m. Open Session begins at 4:30 p.m.

Anson County Schools website and will be posted on the doors at the Board of Education District Office.)

Meetings will be held in the Administrative Office Board Room at the Board of Education Office, located on 320 Camden Road in Wadesboro unless otherwise noted.

ANSON COUNTY SCHOOLS

Our Mission "We will ensure that all students acquire skills and knowledge necessary to be successful and responsible citizens."

AHS ATHLETIC SCHEDULES & INFORMATION

LOCATION DATE OPPONENT TIME March 2 Richmond Richmond 7:00 March 6 North Stanly North Stanly 7:00 South Stanly South Stanly

AHS VARSITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE 2018

March 7 7:00 March 8 7:00 **Union Academy AHS** March 13 **East Mongomery** East Mongomery 7:00 March 14 **East Mongomery AHS** 7:00 March 16 **East Mongomery AHS** 7:00 March 20 Mt Pleasant AHS 7:00 Mt Pleasant March 21 Mt Pleasant 7:00 March 23 Mt Pleasant Mt Pleasant 7:00 April 2-7 Spring Break Tourney TBA **TBA** April 10 Central Academy **AHS** 7:00 April 11 Central Academy 7:00 Central Academy April 13 Central Academy Central Academy 7:00 April 17 West Stanly West Stanly 7:00 April 18 West Stanly **AHS** 7:00 April 20 West Stanly AHS 7:00 Forest Hills April 24 Forest Hills 7:00 Forest Hills April 25 AHS 7:00 April 27 Forest Hills **AHS** 7:00 April 30-May 4 RRC Tournament Mt Pleasant TBA 1st Round State Playoffs at TBA May 9 **TBA**

AHS VARSITY SOFTBALL SCHEDULE 2018

<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	TIME
February 28	Sun Valley	Sun Valley	5:30
March 5	North Stanly	North Stanly	5:30
March 7	Cuthbertson	Anson	4:00
March 8	North Stanly	Anson	4:30
March 13	East Montgomery	East Montgomery	4:30
March 14	Sun Valley	Anson	4:00
March 16	East Montgomery	Anson	4:30
March 20	Mt. Pleasant	Anson	4:30
March 21	Piedmont	Piedmont	6:00
March 23	Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant	6:00
March 26	Scotland	Anson	4:30
March 27	Cuthbertson	Cuthbertson	4:00
April 10	Central Academy	Anson	4:30
April 11	South Stanly	South Stanly	6:00
April 13	Central Academy	Central Academy	4:30
April 17	West Stanly	West Stanly	6:00
April 18	Richmond	Anson	4:30
April 20	West Stanly	Anson	4:30
April 24	Forest Hills	Forest Hills	6:00
April 26	Parkwood	Parkwood	6:00
April 27	Forest Hills	Anson	4:30

Rocky River Conference Tournament begins April 30

AHS JV BASEBALL SCHEDULE 2018

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
March 3	Chesterfield Pre-Seaso		TBA
March 2	Richmond	Richmond	4:30
March 6	North Stanly	North Stanly	4:30
March 7	South Stanly	South Stanly	4:30
March 8	Union Academy	AHS	TBA
March 13	East Mongomery	East Mongomery	4:30
March 16	East Mongomery	AHS	4:30
March 20	Mt. Pleasant	AHS	4:30
March 23	Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant	4:30
April 10	Central Academy	AHS	4:30
April 13	Central Academy	Central Academy	4:30
April 17	West Stanly	West Stanly	4:30
April 18	West Stanly	AHS	4:30
April 20	West Stanly	AHS	4:30
April 24	Forest Hills	Forest Hills	4:30
April 27	Forest Hills	AHS	4:30
April 30-May4	RRC Tournament	Mt. Pleasant	TBA
May 9	1st Round State Playoffs at TBA		TBA

AHS TRACK & FIELD SCHEDULE 2018

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION D	DEPART	URE TIME
March 1	Albemarle	Albemarle		2:30
March 3	Weddington Inv	itational at Weddi	ngton	7:00 a.m.
March 7	Butler	Butler		2:30
March 10	Kathy McMillan	Invitational at Hok	ke HS	7:00 a.m.
March 15	Albemarle	Albemarle		2:30
March 17	Marvin Ridge In	vitational at Marvi	n Ridge	7:00 a.m.
March 20	Sun Valley	Sun Valley		2:30
March 22	Ardrey Kell	Ardrey Kell		2:30
March 28	Weddington	Weddington		2:30
March 31	Union Pines Inv	ritational at Union	Pines	7:00 a.m.
April 11	Ardrey Kell	Ardrey Kell		2:30
April 12	FH, MP, WS, EI	M, CA at Forest Hi	lls HS	2:30
April 19	FH, MP, WS, EI	M, CA at Mt. Pleas	ant HS	2:00
April 26	FH, MP, WS, EI	M, CA at West Sta	nly HS	2:30
May 3	RR Conference	Championship at	Forest F	lills 2:30
May 11 or 12	2A Regional Ch	ampionship at TB	A	TBA
May 19	2A State Cham	oionship at NC A&	T Univ.	TBA

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AHS JV SOFTBALL SCHEDULE 2018

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
February 28	Sun Valley	Sun Valley	4:00
March 7	#Cuthbertson	Anson	5:30
March 13	#E. Montgomery	E. Montgomery	5:30
March 14	#Sun Valley	Anson	5:30
March 16	#E. Montgomery	Anson	5:30
March 20	#Mt. Pleasant	Anson	5:30
March 21	Piedmont	Piedmont	4:30
March 23	Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant	4:30
March 27	Cuthbertson	Cuthbertson	4:00
April 11	Cuthbertson	Anson	4:30
April 17	West Stanly	West Stanly	4:30
April 18	Richmond	Richmond	4:30
April 20	#West Stanly	Anson	5:30
# Denotes JV game after Varsity game is complete			

ROCKY RIVER WOMEN'S SOCCER SCHEDULE 2018

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<u>OPPONENT</u>	LOCATION
East Montgomer	Anson
Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant
Central Academy	Central Academy
West Stanly	Anson
Forest Hills	Anson
East Montgomery	East Montgomery
Mt. Pleasant	Anson
Central Academy	Anson
West Stanly	West Stanly
Forest Hills	Forest Hills
Reporting Deadline May 7	• 1st Round Playoffs May 9
	East Montgomer Mt. Pleasant Central Academy West Stanly Forest Hills East Montgomery Mt. Pleasant Central Academy West Stanly Forest Hills

ROCKY RIVER MEN'S GOLF SCHEDULE 2018

DATE	<u>TEAM</u>	LOCATION
March 8	East Montgomery	Anson
March 12	Anson	Mt. Pleasant
March 15	Anson	Central Academy
March 19	West Stanly	Anson
March 22	Forest Hills	Anson
March 26	Anson	East Montgomery
March 28	Mt. Pleasant	Anson
April 10	Central Academy	Anson
April 12	Anson	West Stanly
April 16	Anson	Forest Hills

Conference Tournament April 19, Location TBA Reporting Deadline: April 25 • Regionals April 30 & May 1 • States May 7 & 8