



# Marlin Mail

## Week of February 2nd-9th, 2024

### BASH 2024

1920'S GREAT GATSBY

SAVE THE DATE FOR A FUN NIGHT OF FOOD, FUN AND FELLOWSHIP AT THE 2024 LOWCOUNTRY BASH!

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH, 6-10PM • LITCHFIELD COUNTRY CLUB

BASH stands for Building a Scholastic Heritage and proceeds help fund the gap between school tuition and the actual costs of educating our children.

#### How You can Help Make this Event a Smashing Success:

1. Get Involved... help the PTO with planning, collecting or donating auction items, set up and clean up.
2. Donate... we are looking for unique items, services and experiences to auction off.
3. Sponsors... Highlight your business and benefit LPS too! Sponsorships get you reserved seating, recognition at BASH and on social media.
4. Join us... Attend the event to support our school! Parents, grandparents, alumni, staff and friends are all welcome.

For questions, donations or volunteering please contact Robin Johnson at [robinjohnson713@icloud.com](mailto:robinjohnson713@icloud.com). Cheers!

### FRIDAY, 2/2 VS COASTAL LEADERSHIP BOYS @ 6PM- SENIOR NIGHT!



### VALENTINE'S DRESS DOWN DAY

IN SUPPORT OF PROM COMMITTEE

# \$5

## 02.14.24

PINK AND RED CLOTHING ENCOURAGED!

### BASH 2024

1920'S GREAT GATSBY

#### HIGH BALL SPONSOR - \$5,000

10 Event Tickets with Reserved Sponsor Table  
Custom Whiskey Glass & Champagne Flute  
Sponsor Fedora Hat & Feather Boa  
Social Media and Event Program Recognition  
Corporate Logo or Name at Event

#### BEE'S KNEES SPONSOR - \$2,500

6 Event Tickets with Reserved Sponsor Table  
Custom Bees Knees Glass & Champagne Flute  
Sponsor Pocket Square & Satin Gloves  
Social Media and Event Program Recognition  
Corporate Logo or Name at Event

#### MINT JULEP SPONSOR - \$1,000

4 Event Tickets with Reserved Seating  
Custom Mint Julep Glasses  
Social Media and Event Program Recognition  
Corporate Logo or Name at Event

#### SIDE CAR SPONSOR - \$250

2 Event Tickets with Reserved Seating  
Social Media and Event Program Recognition  
Corporate Logo or Name at Event

### Financial Aid Application - Open 02/01-02/23

- Online applications for financial aid will be accessible from February 1st through February 23rd.
- See steps in email sent out on 01/29/2024 or steps listed on the last page of this newsletter
- Application for financial aid does not guarantee financial aid.
- Office hours for assistance with financial aid applications are available by appointment. Please call Tina Flaherty at 843-979-0078 or contact her by email [accounting@lowcountryprep.org](mailto:accounting@lowcountryprep.org) to schedule an appointment.

#### STEPS

1. Complete the online financial aid application at <https://online.factsmgmt.com/aid> between February 1st and 23rd.
2. Upload all required financial documents to the online FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment portal, including: tax forms & supporting schedules from tax year 2022 and tax year 2023 (if/when available), W2s, and copies of two most recent pay stubs. If applicable, copies of supporting documentation for Social Security Income, Welfare, Child Support, Food Stamps, Workers' Compensation and TANF can also be included.
3. Submit the application with a fee of \$40 (goes directly to FACTS, not LPS)
4. The Financial Aid Committee will meet in late February 2024 to review the completed applications and award financial aid. Prior to consideration, a financial aid application must be completed (Step 1) and financial documents uploaded (Step 2).
5. Families that have completed the application process by February 23rd, 2024, will receive written notification of the financial aid award on February 29th.



### Re-enrollment Information - Open 03/01 - 03/15

The re-enrollment period for current families starts on March 1st and lasts until March 15th. Enrollment will be open to the public on March 16th, so please complete all necessary steps by March 15th to secure your child's spot. Re-enrollment information will be emailed out to current families by February 29th explaining the process.



**Rent the Rock**  
**Click the SignUp Genius link**  
**below to secure your dates!**

[Click Here](#)

Don't forget that our own Ms. Fisher is available for commission to decorate the Spirit Rock. She can be reached at [afisher@lowcountryprep.org](mailto:afisher@lowcountryprep.org)



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**THANK YOU TO PEACE SOTHEBY'S  
INTERNATIONAL REALTY FOR THEIR  
SILVER PROM SPONSORSHIP!**

Prom night



**SWEET AS CANDY**  
**VALENTINE'S DAY DANCE**

Join us for the Lower School dance! Lower school students and their parents are welcome to attend.  
Please RSVP to [Brittany.brazill@gmail.com](mailto:Brittany.brazill@gmail.com)

**FRIDAY**  
**FEB 9**

**5:30pm-7pm**  
**Lowcountry**  
**Prep Gym**



**GEORGETOWN**  
**ANIMAL CLINIC**

**A BIG THANK YOU GOES OUT TO  
GEORGETOWN ANIMAL CLINIC FOR  
THEIR PLATINUM PROM  
SPONSORSHIP!**



# Athletic News

Hello Marlins!

We hope everyone has had a great week and the winter basketball season in its final stages as Spring sports are on deck. Please find below next week's events!

Monday - 2/5: JVG/ VG will practice from 3:15-4:30; Boys will practice from 4:30-5:45.

Tuesday - 2/6: The JVG/ Boys and VG teams will travel to Marlboro Academy (1035 Bennettsville Fire Tow Rd . Bennettsville SC 29512). JVG will have a 1:50 release time, Boys 2:30 release time and VG regular school time 3:00. This will be last game of the year for a boys' team.

Wednesday- 2/7: Girls will practice from 3:15-4:30.

Thursday - 2/8:" VG will host SE Christian School at 5:00. This will be a Senior Recognition Night for our two seniors (Grace and Jenny) - we will have a "Pink Out" Night as well in recognition "Play for Kay" Yow Breast Cancer Awareness month! We ask that senior families arrive by 4:30 please.

Spring Season reminders and news:

Golf: (co-ed) 6th to 12th graders - will begin practice on Wednesday - February 21st at Litchfield CC (619 Country Club Dr. Pawley's Plantation) from 3:30 - 5:00.

The Golf team will practice and or conduct matches on Mondays and Wednesdays from 2/21/24 till the SCISA State Tournament on April 22nd & 23rd - details will be passed along as we get closer to dates.

High School Soccer: (co-ed) 8th to 12th graders- will begin practice on Thursday - February 22nd here on campus. Time will be 3:15-4:45. The soccer group will meet for practices and games on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 2/22 till May 2, 2024.

We are not in attendance at school on February 19th and 20th (President's Day).

Game schedules for Golf and Soccer are being worked on and will be released soon!

If your student is interested in participating on spring teams, they MUST have an updated 2024 SCISA Physical packet COMPLETED prior to the first day of practice! If your student-athlete has been a member of a fall or winter team, their packet is good for the entire 2023-2024 school year. There are also two NEW SCISA student-athlete NFHS courses that MUST be completed along with physical packet. Information is on our school website, or located in paper form in the gym hallway outside the AD office.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Coach Phillips ([bphillips@lowcountryprep.org](mailto:bphillips@lowcountryprep.org)).

GO MARLINS!!!!



## ON THE HORIZON

FEBRUARY 1-23: FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS OPEN

FEBRUARY 2: BOYS' BASKETBALL SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT

FEBRUARY 5-7: FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADE BARRIER ISLAND FIELD TRIP

FEBRUARY 8: GIRLS' BASKETBALL SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT

FEBRUARY 9: SCISA DEBATE COMPETITION

FEBRUARY 9: LOWER SCHOOL VALENTINE'S DAY DANCE

FEBRUARY 13: FIRE DRILL

FEBRUARY 14: DRESS DOWN DAY TO BENEFIT PROM

FEBRUARY 15: SCISA DANCE COMPETITION

FEBRUARY 19-20: SCHOOL CLOSED

FEBRUARY 19: SPRING SPORTS BEGIN

FEBRUARY 23: CHAPEL/WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

FEBRUARY 27: OPEN HOUSE

FEBRUARY 28: LOWER SCHOOL SCIENCE FAIR

FEBRUARY 29: MIDDLE SCHOOL SCIENCE FAIR

MARCH 1-15 OPEN ENROLLMENT FOR CURRENT FAMILIES

MARCH 4-5: SCISA STUDENT GOVERNMENT SPRING CONVENTION

MARCH 8 & 11: SCHOOL CLOSED

MARCH 11: SCISA SCIENCE FAIR

MARCH 18-22: IOWA AND COGAT TESTING WINDOW

MARCH 18-29: NEW FAMILY ENROLLMENT

MARCH 25-28: SPRING TESTING GRADES 6, 7, 8

MARCH 29-APRIL 7: SPRING BREAK

APRIL 22-24: SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE WILLIAMSBURG FIELD TRIP