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ORANGEBURG COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT CELEBRATES MULTIPLE AWARDS FROM SC NSPRA

ORANGEBURG, S.C. – Orangeburg County School District (OCSD) is pleased to announce that its Communications Department has been recognized with five awards from the South Carolina Chapter of the National School Public Relations Association (SC NSPRA) as part of the 2024 Rewards for Excellence program. This program showcases the best in school communications across the state, with more than 280 entries submitted this year.

The department received accolades in three key categories: Annual Report, Infographic, and Photography. These awards highlight the team's ability to effectively communicate the district's objectives, achievements, and stories.

The awarded categories are:

- **Annual Report**: For a comprehensive and accessible presentation of the district's annual progress and financials.
- **Infographic**: For translating complex information into clear, engaging visual content.
- **Photography**: For capturing compelling images that convey the spirit and achievements of the OCSD community.

"Receiving these awards from SC NSPRA is a true honor and reflects the passion and expertise our team brings to every project," said Dr. Erica Taylor, OCSD Assistant Superintendent for Communications and Business and Community Partnerships. "These accolades reinforce our commitment to fostering transparent and engaging communication within our community, supporting our mission to educate and inspire."

The Communications Department, led by Dr. Erica Taylor, includes dedicated members Hatara Tyson, PJ Walker, Taylor Simpson, Cindy Kassian, and Patricia Salley. Their collective efforts have not only earned them prestigious awards but have also significantly enhanced the district's engagement with students, parents, staff, and the broader community.

For more information on the Orangeburg County School District and its recent accolades, please contact PJ Walker at pervis.walkerjr@ocsdsc.org.

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