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CCSD's "Back to School Bash" rescheduled for August 26

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*Private event will host performances by CCSD students and
Darius Rucker*

Charleston, SC - The Charleston County School District (CCSD) is delighted to announce that the first-ever "Back to School Bash," initially postponed due to Tropical Storm Debby, has been rescheduled for CCSD employees on Monday, August 26, 2024; gates open at 5:00 p.m. This private, exclusive event, for district staff and contracted employee groups only, will take place at Credit One Stadium on Daniel Island.

Given the event's new date, the CCSD Board of Trustees meeting originally set for August 26 will be rescheduled.

The "Back to School Bash" promises an unforgettable evening of entertainment and celebration, featuring a special performance by three-time Grammy Award-winning artist and CCSD alum Darius Rucker. Notably, it will highlight the talents of CCSD students with performances, including a showcase of the bands; dance groups; choral performances, and a school spirit contest.

"We are grateful to Darius Rucker, the Credit One Stadium staff, our dedicated employees, and our talented students for their flexibility and enthusiasm in making this rescheduled event possible," said Anita Huggins, Superintendent of Schools. "Darius' commitment to headlining the event to celebrate CCSD staff, teachers, students, and partners at the first-ever 'Back to School Bash' is incredibly exciting for the entire community. We know that this event will be memorable for every member of the CCSD family, and we hope it shows just how much we love and appreciate all they do to support the students of CCSD."

Please note, that this is a private event exclusive to CCSD staff and contracted employee groups only.

Media are invited to attend.

For more information, please get in touch with Andy Pruitt at (843) 937-6583 or the Office of Communications at (843) 937-6303.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is a nationally accredited school district committed to providing equitable and quality educational opportunities for all its students. CCSD is the second-largest school system in South Carolina and represents a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves approximately 50,000 students in 88 schools and specialized programs.

CCSD offers a diverse portfolio of educational options and specialized programs delivered to the students of CCSD through neighborhood, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), Montessori, and charter schools and programs. Rich educational opportunities for students include programs in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; military; dual credit; and many more.