











# THE RIDGE ANNOUNCEMENTS

APRIL 14-18

## Spring Break Spirit Week

<b>Monday April 14th</b>	<b>Teen beach movie day</b> Bikers vs Surfers Surfer: Blue, white, yellow, red, orange, or neon green Biker: Go for denim, black or red Jackets, bandanas, band t-shirts, and cool sunglasses	 VS 
<b>Tuesday April 15th</b>	<b>Spring color wars</b> Freshman- purple Sophomore- pink Juniors- Blue Seniors- green	  
<b>Wednesday April 16th</b>	<b>PJ DAY</b> Wear your favorite PJs	 
<b>Thursday April 17th</b>	<b>Disney day</b> Wear your best Disney outfits STAR WARS MARVEL Disney Pixar	 
<b>Friday April 18th</b>	<b>Tropical Tourist Day</b> Break out the bucket hats, Hawaiian shirts, leis, fanny packs, and sunglasses—dress like you're on vacation! *dress code still applies* NO SWIMSUITS	

## Student Council Application Information

Applications will be open from 4/3-4/18

<b>Interest Meeting</b>	<b>Application Deadline</b>	<b>Interviews</b>
4/3 in D221 (Flex)	4/18 at 3:40pm	4/29-5/7

Can't make the meeting? Application link and meeting information will be posted on your Class Google Classroom page.

25-26 Council will be announced 5/12

Round 2 applicants only

Email Mrs. G Quinn: [quinn@gfmsdmail.org](mailto:quinn@gfmsdmail.org) for more information

## CATAWBA RIDGE COLOR GUARD Auditions

APR 14, 15, 17  
MON, TUES, THURS  
PLEASE ATTEND ALL AUDITIONS (MON, TUES & THURS)  
4-6 PM

**NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!**  
 Open to all students who will attend Catawba Ridge High School next fall  
 \*Counts as PE Credit\*

Auditions will be held in the CRHS commons  
 Wear athletic clothing (no jeans)  
 Flag will be provided

**FIND OUT MORE AT:**  
<https://crhs.band/colorguard/>

FOR QUESTIONS:  Catawba



## DANCE TEAM TRYOUTS

Do you have **passion, precision, and drive?** Try out for our award-winning dance team!  
 All skill levels welcome. Come ready to learn and move.

**APRIL 15-17, 4-5:30 PM**  
**CRHS MAIN GYM**

**Questions?**  
 Contact Coach Bowman or Coach Ferrell  
[bowmanm@fortmillschools.org](mailto:bowmanm@fortmillschools.org)  
[errello@fortmillschools.org](mailto:errello@fortmillschools.org)



# NEXT STEPS CAREER FAIR

Are you a graduating senior who is still exploring your post-high school plans? Or a community member looking for your next opportunity? Then don't miss this opportunity to connect with local employers, educational institutions and military recruiters!

Tuesday, April 15

5:30 pm - 7 pm

Fort Mill High School Commons



## CAROLINA POOL MANAGEMENT

Lunch Visit: Thursday, April 17

Part-time job  
opportunities!

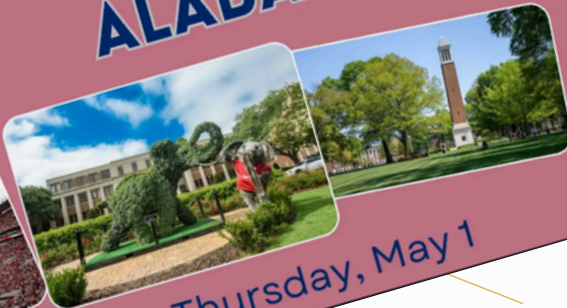


## arclabs<sup>™</sup> WELDING SCHOOL

Lunch Visit:  
Wednesday,  
April 30



## UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA



Lunch Visit: Thursday, May 1

## WINTHROP UNIVERSITY

Lunch Visit:  
Tuesday, April 29







Free high school sports physicals for student-athletes entering grades 9 through 12.

Students must be enrolled at an Atrium Health partner high school to participate.

Saturday, May 31, 2025 • 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Atrium Health Sanger Heart & Vascular Institute Kenilworth  
1237 Harding Place, Charlotte, NC 28204

Each student-athlete will receive the following free services from our team of expert providers:

- Review of medical history
- General wellness sports screening for North and South Carolina
- Electrocardiogram (ECG) - This is a heart screening for sudden cardiac death to detect health risks before they become issues
- Echocardiogram (ECHO) to be scheduled if needed
- Orthopedic screening (musculoskeletal exam)
- Vision exam
- Registered Dietitian
- Hands-Only CPR training

Please register using the link or QR code between March 1 and May 10:

[REGISTER HERE](#)



For registration questions, please email: [hschool@atriumhealth.org](mailto:hschool@atriumhealth.org)

Atrium Health  
Musculoskeletal Institute

Please note:  
The exam is a screening for school sports—not a complete physical—and does not replace the need for an annual physical with your doctor.

Click here to [LEARN MORE](#) or visit [atriumhealth.org/heart-of-a-champion](http://atriumhealth.org/heart-of-a-champion)

\* Photo and video will be taken at each event and used for marketing purposes.



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# TUESDAY CAREER CHATS

FLEX

College & Career Center (D208)



Apr  
29

Elizabeth Garypie  
Former Exec./Engineer  
Sikorsky Helicopter  
Career Areas: Mechanical/Aerospace Engineering, Management, Executive Leadership, Technology



May  
6

Michael Bader  
Chef/Owner  
The Speckled Pear  
Career Areas: Culinary Arts, Entrepreneurship

Curious what different professions do all day?

What does a specific job actually involve?

Join us to meet a variety of professionals in different fields.

Come with questions and to build your professional network!

## GUIDANCE NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2025

Check your email from the Guidance Office.

Lots of info in the links and the graphics!

Stay informed!



CATAWBA RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT NEWSLETTER APRIL 2025	
<b>Next Steps Career Fair</b> <p>April 15 - Fort Mill High 8:30am - 7:00pm Open to all FMSD Seniors Are you a graduating Senior who is still exploring your post-high school plans? Click <a href="#">HERE</a> for more info.</p>	<b>Course Verifications Due!</b> <p>Students are reminded to turn in their <b>Course Verifications</b> to Guidance. Course changes need to be submitted now to ensure a realistic opportunity to get the classes a student wants. Administration is already determining which classes will be offered next year and hiring teachers based on student course requests. Students using our Override Form will only be scheduled in classes as space is available. Changes can be made in writing no later than April 30, 2025.</p>
<b>EXAMS</b> <p>All classes take final exams!</p> <p><b>EOC Exams</b>  End of Course Exams  EOC Exams are state exams that count 20% of the final grade.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English 2 Writing - May 12</li> <li>- English 2 Reading - May 14</li> <li>- US History - May 15</li> <li>- Algebra 1 - May 16</li> <li>- Biology 1 - May 19</li> </ul> <p><b>Senior Exams*</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- May 14 - 3rd / 4th</li> <li>- May 15 - 1st / 2nd</li> </ul> <p>*See Senior Exam Exemption policy*</p> <p><b>Final Exams</b>  Semester 2 Exams  Semester Exams are teacher grade evaluations based on final exams, projects, and classwork.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- May 21 - 1st / 2nd - FULL DAY</li> <li>- May 22 - 3rd / 4th - HALF DAY</li> </ul>	<p><b>Fort Mill School District Calendar 2025-2026</b></p> <p>Click <a href="#">HERE</a> for the 2025-2026 Fort Mill School District calendar and please plan accordingly.</p> <p><b>Collegeboard AP</b></p> <p><b>AP Testing</b>  Advanced Placement Tests  May 5 - May 16, 2025  Mark your calendar now for these AP Exams. Click link <a href="#">HERE</a> for individual exam dates/details.</p> <p><b>College Classes</b>  Did you request college classes for next year? Students taking college classes MUST complete the college application and required forms ASAP.  Click <a href="#">HERE</a> for more detailed info.</p> <p><b>School Holidays</b>  April 21-25, 2025  SPRING BREAK</p> <p><b>Summer Stuff</b>  Need something to do this summer? Click <a href="#">HERE</a> for summer opportunities.</p>
<b>Graduation Info</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Do you have a Cap &amp; Gown?  April 4 is the last day to order to ensure delivery before graduation. Call Josten's 1-800-967-8367</li> <li>- April 11: Cap &amp; Gown photos  Cap and Gown photo info <a href="#">HERE</a>  April 11 @ CRHS - Sign up <a href="#">HERE</a></li> <li>- May 7: Senior Meeting @ 3:00PM  CRHS Auditorium - Mandatory!</li> <li>- May 21: Grad Practice @ 2:30PM  CRHS Auditorium - Mandatory!</li> <li>- May 23: Graduation @ 10:00AM  Winthrop Coliseum</li> <li>- Report Scholarship offers <a href="#">HERE</a></li> <li>- Senior Letter <a href="#">HERE</a></li> </ul>	<b>Tips for Finishing Strong!</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check grades often!</li> <li>• Discuss concerns with teachers ASAP!</li> <li>• Seek help/tutoring during FLEX!</li> <li>• Use study time wisely!</li> <li>• Don't procrastinate!</li> <li>• Time is of the essence!</li> </ul> <p>Remember ALL final grades are posted on transcripts and calculated in students' GPA and Class Rank!</p> <p><b>Senior Exam Exemption</b>  <b>FINAL EXAMS</b>  Final Exams are a requirement for all seniors. If you are exempt from final exams, you must provide documentation to the Guidance Department by April 30, 2025.</p> <p><b>SAT / ACT Tests</b>  Click link above for SAT and ACT test dates, deadlines, and score report info.</p>

# Weekly Sports Schedule

## Monday, April 14

5:00 PM	Girls Junior Varsity Softball	Indian Land High School <i>Double Header</i>	Home
7:00 PM	Boys Varsity Baseball	Rock Hill High School	Away

## Tuesday, April 15

5:00 PM	Boys Varsity Tennis	Clover High School	Away
5:30 PM	Girls Junior Varsity Soccer	Indian Land High School	Away
5:00 PM	Coed Varsity Track	Rock Hill High School	Home
5:30 PM	Boys Junior Varsity Soccer	Indian Land High School	Home
6:00 PM	Girls Varsity Softball	Indian Land High School	Home
7:00 PM	Girls Varsity Soccer	Indian Land High School	Away
7:00 PM	Boys Varsity Soccer	Indian Land High School	Home

## Wednesday, April 16

4:00 PM	Boys Varsity Golf	South Pointe High School	Home
5:00 PM	Boys Varsity Tennis	Indian Land High School	Home
5:00 PM	Boys Junior Varsity Baseball	Rock Hill High School	Home
7:00 PM	Boys Varsity Baseball	Rock Hill High School	Home

## Thursday, April 17

5:00 PM	Girls Junior Varsity Softball	Nation Ford High School	Away
5:30 PM	Boys Junior Varsity Soccer	Nation Ford High School	Away
5:30 PM	Girls Junior Varsity Soccer	Nation Ford High School	Home
5:00 PM	Boys Varsity Tennis	Fort Mill HS	Home
7:00 PM	Boys Varsity Soccer	Nation Ford High School	Away
7:00 PM	Girls Varsity Soccer	Nation Ford High School	Home
7:00 PM	Boys Varsity Baseball	Rock Hill High School	Away
7:00 PM	Girls Varsity Softball	Nation Ford High School	Away

## Friday, April 18

*No events scheduled*

## Saturday, April 19

*No events scheduled*

## Sunday, April 20

*No events scheduled*

