

For Immediate Release

November 10, 2016

Contact:

Erica Taylor 843-937-6303

Media Advisory

Deer Park Middle School Dedication

**Office of Strategy and
Communications**

Gerrita Postlewait, Ed.D.

Superintendent of Schools

Erica S. Taylor

Executive Director

Who: Parents, community members, and media outlets are welcomed and encouraged to join us at the dedication ceremony for Deer Park Middle in North Charleston.

What: Deer Park Middle is the District's newest middle school, which currently serves students in fifth and sixth grade. The school centers around four pillars: curriculum, climate, culture, and community.

Featured speakers for this event include Mayor Keith Summey, Superintendent Gerrita Postlewait, District 4 Constituent Board Member Charles Monteith, and other distinguished guests.

When: Monday, November 14, 2016 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. A guided tour of the new facility will follow after the conclusion of the dedication ceremony.

Where: Deer Park Middle Gym, 2263 Otranto Road, North Charleston, SC 29406

For more information: For more information regarding this event, please contact the Office of Strategy and Communications at (843) 937-6303.

About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools that span 1,000 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 86 schools and several specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities led by associate superintendents. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.