

## Savannah Lakes Village Tara Club Expansion Project



McCORMICK - The Men's Social Group Nine-Hole Golf League (MSG9) is spearheading the project to build a new outdoor patio hardscape area that will overlook the 9th and 18th greens at the Tara Club in Savannah Lakes Village. This structure, which will be inset into the hill below the practice putting green, will feature an engraved brick walkway that will lead out to the patio.

Complete funding for the project will come from the sale of engraved bricks sponsored by residents, members and local businesses. The project is estimated to cost approximately \$80,000, to which more than half has already been generated through engraved brick sales.

MSG9 President Rob Clancy, who has spearheaded the project, said, "This project will provide a fantastic setting where members and visitors alike can take in the beauty of the surroundings perched above Lake Thurmond."

Completion of the project is expected sometime before the Summer of 2022. The patio design will match an already existing retaining wall recently completed above the 18th green at Tara Club.

Anyone interested in more information or to place an order for an engraved brick can visit SLVBricks.org or contact Rob Clancy directly.

MSG9 is an organized Golf League within Savannah Lakes Village with over 150 participating members. Typically more than half of those play every Wednesday and Friday.

## Lander University announces President's List for Fall 2021

GREENWOOD - Lander University announces the names of undergraduate students who are recognized with the honor of making the President's List during the first semester of the 2021/22 academic year. To qualify for the President's List, a student must earn a GPA of 4.0 over the course of the semester.

Local students named to the President's List include Marta Aguilar of Bradley; Madelyn Byars and Madeline Strawn of Clarks Hill; Jordyn Deason and James Mather of McCormick; and Ethan Farrell, Megan Farrell, Alicia Harrison and Hailey Ouzts of Troy.

## Lander University announces Dean's List for Fall 2021

GREENWOOD — Lander University has announced the names of 630 outstanding undergraduates who have been named to the Dean's List for earning top academic achievements during the first semester of the 2021-22 school year.

To qualify for the Dean's List, a student must earn a grade-point average (GPA) between 3.5 and 3.9.

Local students earning recognition for their academic achievements of making the Dean's List at Lander University include Airen Devlin and Nadya Perez of Bradley; Daishawna Gilyard and Kaisha Houston of Clarks Hill; Riley McNally of McCormick; and Holly Burden and Rachel Peeler of Troy.

Founded in 1872, Lander University is a state-assisted, four-year institution that serves approximately 3,800 students. Located in Greenwood, the institution offers more than 90 areas of study in the liberal arts and sciences, with professional programs in STEM, education, business and nursing. To learn more about Lander, go online to [www.lander.edu](http://www.lander.edu).

## University of South Carolina Beaufort's Fall 2021 Academic Honor List

BLUFFTON - Announcing University of South Carolina Beaufort's Fall 2021 Academic Honor Lists!

Cameron Crawford of McCormick has been named to University of South Carolina Beaufort's President's List.

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## McCormick closes hoops season Sat at Lincolnton



Darius Houston led the Chiefs with 14 points against Southside Christian and 15 points against Westside High in Anderson, and the Chiefs won both games.

-Alicia Harrison photo

By Alicia Harrison

McCormick Chiefs basketball fans have their last chance to see their teams during the regular season this Saturday evening at Lincolnton beginning at 5 p.m.

The Varsity boys returned to Calhoun Falls to finish an interrupted game against the Blue Flashes and lost, 62-50. Cam Durant led the Chiefs with 12 points.

On senior night, the Chiefs hosted Dixie and won 52-



Bryson Bell launches a shot for the McCormick Chiefs. Bell and Javon Riley led the team with nine points each in a 52-47 victory over Dixie.

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**The McCormick Weather Report**

By Bob Edmonds \*Measurements taken at Cedar Hill Rd.

	Lows	Highs	Rain/Etc.
Tuesday, February 1	33°	60°	
Wednesday, February 2	33°	57°	
Thursday, February 3	50°	61°	0.10"
Friday, February 4	62°	53°	2.17"
Saturday, February 5	33°	52°	
Sunday, February 6	31°	50°	
Monday, February 7	34°	43°	0.38"



Serenity Searles continued to lead the Lady Chiefs with 16 points in a 40-38 victory over Southside Christian and 10 points in each of both games against Dixie.

-Alicia Harrison photo

47. Javon Riley and Bryson Bell led the scorers with nine points each. The Chiefs are losing three senior players - Jalen Salliewhite, Greyson Chasserrou and Keundre Guntner - and manager Amare Martin.

Coach Rico Salliewhite told the younger players to "keep working and learning our system."

The Chiefs close out their regular season with a non-conference game at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 12 at Lincoln County.

The Lady Chiefs edged Southside Christian, 40-38, as Serenity Searles led with 16 points and Aysa Milton contributed 13.

The ladies lost, 36-31, at Dixie, then beat Dixie, 33-27, at home. Searles scored 10 points in each game. The Lady Chiefs are losing two players, Destiny Bell and Emily Turman, along with their manager, Zy'Keria Quiller.

"I'm proud of these ladies for putting in the work to play basketball, and I wish them the best," said Coach Wideman.

The Lady Chiefs play their last regular season game at 6:30 p.m., this Saturday, Feb. 12, at Lincoln County.

The JV Chiefs topped Southside Christian, 33-29, with Darius Houston leading with 14 points. The Chiefs then topped Westside High School in Anderson, 46-34. Houston led the scoring again with 15 points.

"We worked on a lot of moves throughout the week, and they came out and did what they needed to do to get the win," said Coach Willie Brown.

The Junior Varsity Chiefs play their last regular season game at 5 p.m. at Lincoln County on Saturday, Feb. 12.

## Hannah Hill of McCormick named to James Madison University dean's list

HARRISONBURG, Va. - McCormick resident Hannah Hill has been named to the dean's list at James Madison University for the fall 2021 semester. Students who earn dean's list honors must carry at least 12 graded credit hours and earn a GPA of between 3.5 and 3.899. Hill is a communication sciences & disorders major.

Founded in 1908, James Madison University is a public university located in Virginia's Shenandoah Valley. JMU is one of the nation's leading lights in higher education, where students enjoy engaging relationships with world-class faculty who drive education innovation and support advanced research. With state-of-the-art amenities and facilities, students have access to NCAA Division I athletics. JMU also has the highest post-graduation job levels of all Virginia colleges.

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