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studies. This honor signifies hard work, engagement, and investment in scholarship," said Dr. Tamara Anderson, Senior Associate Provost. "These attributes are the building blocks of continued success, not only in the classroom, but in the workplace and in the student's personal lives. We celebrate these students and their achievement, looking forward to their future accomplishments."

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi Elects New Members

BATON ROUGE, LA (03/02/2026)-- The following people recently were elected to membership into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines.

Anone Hubbard of Elgin (29045) at Nova Southeastern University

Spencer Williams of Elgin (29045) at University of Maryland Global Campus

TaRay Carter Named to Dean's List at Biola University

LA MIRADA, CA (02/27/2026)-- TaRay Carter was named to Biola University's Dean's List for academic excellence.

Carter, a Writing for Film & Television major from Elgin, SC, was one of approximately 1,700 students who were named to the dean's list in fall 2025. Biola students are placed on the dean's list to honor those with a GPA of 3.6 or higher while enrolled in 12 or more credits and whose cumulative GPA is at least 3.2.

"Inclusion in Biola University's Dean's List is reserved for students who demonstrate exceptional performance in their academic

Kershaw THE NEWS-ERA ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



AJ VS HIGH POINT ACADEMY BOYS BASKETBALL (3RD PLAYOFF GAME)

AJ #20 Zeke Clyburn and High Point Academy #10 Breylen Pertell both going after the rebound.....AJ BOYS LOST 46-56 (Gwynn Leaird photo)

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Kershaw County Felon Pleads Guilty to Illegally Possessing a Gun Following Nightclub Shooting

COLUMBIA, S.C. — Davon Jermaine Mickle, 40, of Kershaw, has pleaded guilty to being a felon in possession of a firearm.

Evidence obtained in the investigation revealed that on Aug. 19, 2023, the Camden Police Department responded to a shooting near a nightclub. Three victims reported that they were at the nightclub when Mickle began harassing one of them. They saw Mickle walking around the parking lot with an AR-style rifle and then place the rifle in a car. After a short argument with Mickle, the three victims left together. As they were leaving, they saw Mickle run back to the car, return with the rifle, and shoot at their car nearly two dozen times. During the investigation, officers found 23 cartridges in the road near the shooting. The victims' car had one bullet hole in the bumper.

The victims identified Mickle as the shooter, and investigators determined he had an outstanding arrest warrant. Deputies from the Kershaw County Sheriff's Office located Mickle

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sitting in the driver's seat of a vehicle at his residence and saw an AR-style rifle in the passenger seat. The police detained Mickle and secured the firearm. The police reviewed surveillance footage of the shooting and observed that the shooter was wearing the same shoes, blue jean shorts and black boxers that Mickle was wearing. Investigators determined the gun in the vehicle was not the same gun used in the shooting, however a gun residue test proved that Mickle had recently fired a firearm.

Mickle is prohibited from possessing firearms and ammunition based upon previous convictions for possession with the intent to distribute cocaine, distribution of crack cocaine near a

school, distribution of crack cocaine 1st, and distribution of cocaine base 3rd.

Mickle faces a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment of 15 years and a maximum penalty of life in federal prison. He also faces a fine of up to \$250,000, restitution, and five years of supervision to follow the term of imprisonment. United States District Judge Joseph F. Anderson, Jr. accepted the guilty plea and will sentence Mickle after receiving and reviewing a sentencing report prepared by the U.S. Probation Office.

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