# MAULDIN ELEMENTARY'S SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL - 2025 COMMUNITY REPORT

### WHAT IS THE SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL (SIC)?

The SIC is a state-mandated council of parents, staff, and community members who work together to improve the school. They address key needs through initiatives like grant writing, events, and donations.

#### **TEAM MEMBERS**

- Kayla Goodridge, SIC Chair
- Crystal Beal, SIC Vice Chair
- Rikki Wright, Secretary
- Kelsey Durham, PTA President
- Jennifer Dodds, MES Principal
- Jarrod Moore, MES Admin
- Cindy Payne, The Hub
- Jennifer Enten, Holland Park Church
- Cassie Reid, MES Teacher
- Michelle Vaughn, MES Teacher
- Jena Aylor, Lighthouse



### **LUNCH & LEARN**

Through our Lunch and Learn events, hosted in partnership with MES educators, administration, and guest experts, families gain valuable insights and strategies to support their child's learning.

Previous topics include:

- Reading Strategies
- Math Strategies
- Internet Safety
- Middle School Prep (for 5<sup>th</sup> grade families)
- School Volunteer
   Opportunities



### **FALL FESTIVAL**

The annual Fall Festival connects MES families with local businesses and highlights available community resources.
Free admission and raffle prizes helped draw hundreds, making this year's event a big success.

Business types included:

- After-School care
- Tutoring Resources
- Athletic Programs
- Food truck vendors
- Family entertainment centers
- Dance Schools
- Financial Institutions



## **LIGHTHOUSE**

As a Leader in Me Lighthouse School, students learn and practice effective leadership skills through class jobs, community service volunteering, group projects and more.

We are excited to partner with both the Parent Lighthouse Team and the Student Lighthouse Team to coordinate drives and collections for local organizations and businesses in an effort to give back to our community. Our decision to partner this year will help create larger impact for years to come.

