

# Director Spotlights

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## Mallory Berley

New Ellenton Middle STEAM Magnet School

In her 5th year at New Ellenton Middle STEAM Magnet School, her passion for teaching students has grown the program tremendously. As the Assistant Director at Silver Bluff High School, she has been instrumental in the development and success of their marching program. She also helps facilitate the All-County Band and Da Capo Band Clinics in Aiken County. Congratulations Ms. Berley for inspiring all the young musicians that you teach.



## Kelley Powell

West-Oak High School

In her first year at West-Oak, she has led the marching band to achieve one of their highest placements in 2A Finals in recent years, pushed the concert bands to Grade 4 and 5 music, and inspired an audience of over 200 people at their Winter Concert. In addition to that, she plays in and conducts the Oconee Winds and teaches the Oconee County Concert Percussion. Congratulations Ms. Powell on creating a culture of positivity and success in your program and community!

We are looking to recognize outstanding South Carolina band educators and want your input.

If you would like to nominate a SC Band Director to be recognized in a future SCBDA Directors Spotlight, please email Adam Scheuch at [ascheuch@bandlink.org](mailto:ascheuch@bandlink.org). Include the director's name, school, a pic, and all the exciting things they have done for us to celebrate.

