

University

[Cleanup Continues in Rock Hill After Weekend Storms](#)

WCNC, April 22 (the [Weather Channel](#) showed a video of hail at the Ballpark)

*Powerful storms pelted Rock Hill with rain and hail late Saturday afternoon. Three students were interviewed about their experiences on campus during the storm.

[Who Pays When Trump, Other Presidential Candidates Rack Up Campaign Costs in Rock Hill?](#)

Rock Hill Herald, April 22

*The Herald cited campaign costs of the presidential candidates' visits to campus.

[Fresh Coats of Paint Adorn Rock Hill Homes After Semi-Annual Volunteer Effort](#)

Post and Courier, April 17

*Winthrop students were among those participating in Rolling In Rock Hill to paint houses around the city.

[Calling All Step Fans: The East Coast Step Show is in Fayetteville This Weekend](#)

Fayetteville Observer, April 17

*Winthrop team is among several competing.

Faculty/Staff

[SC Has a Teacher Shortage. But Teachers Who Leave Can be Blackballed From Coming Back](#)

The State, April 19

*Education Dean Beth Costner talks about how hard it is for districts to hire candidates in the current environment.

[Why Insiders Say "People's Choice" for York County Sheriff Won't be Decided on June 11](#)

Rock Hill Herald, April 18

*Political Science Professor Adolphus Belk Jr. commented on what sheriff candidates usually emphasize during campaigns.

Winthrop Poll

[Where Efforts to Legalize Medical Marijuana in South Carolina Stand in 2024](#)

WBTW, April 21

*Cites the Winthrop Poll in saying how much support there is among state residents to legalize medical marijuana.

[NY Times/Siena Poll](#)

NY Times, April 14

*Winthrop's Center for Public Opinion and Policy Research is mentioned in fielding section for helping with the poll.

Athletics

[Winthrop Wins 2024 Big South Men's Golf Championship](#)

Big South Conference, April 21

*The golf team wins the first championship in its history, and Coach Kevin Pendley '98 becomes the first individual champion to win a team championship as a head coach.

[Winthrop's Legendary Coach Mark Cooke Has Road Named After Him](#)

WCCB, April 20

*Students, staff, players and alumni came together to name the service road behind Winthrop's softball field as Coach Cooke's Way to honor the late softball coach.

Students

[Ex-Lourdes Baseball Star Hitting for Huge Numbers for Junior College](#)

Post Bulletin, April 22 (behind a paywall)

*Student-athlete Joe Sperry has excelled in playing for USC-Lancaster and will transfer to Winthrop.

[35th Annual Winthrop University MCOM Student Award Show Recap](#)

WRHI, April 18

*Allan Miller from WRHI talks about the mass communication awards dinner on April 17.

Alumni

[Darlington Hires New Principals for 2024-25 School Year](#)

SCNow, April 21

*Ashley Taylor '06 will move from a job as the literacy coach at Pate Elementary to become its principal.

[On the Move: Anna Bellew](#)

Upstate Business Journal, April 19

*Anna Bellew '15 will continue to serve on the board of directors for Half a Sorrow Foundation.

[Wyndham Rewards Unveils Finalists for Gillespie Wall Mural Honoring Greensboro Six](#)

PR Newswire, April 18

*Abel Jackson '99 is one of three finalists in this nationwide search.

[La Previa 38: ISL Agency Execs on Euro Soccer's US Interest](#)

Sportico.com, April 17

*Alex Isern '12 and Marc Segarra '13 talk about the launch of their marketing agency to build bridges between Europe and the U.S.

Other News

[Biden Administration to Roll back the Betsy DeVos Title IX Rules](#)

SC Daily Gazette, April 22

*New regulations go into effect in August and set guidelines for schools, such as treating all forms of sexual discrimination complaints equitably and promptly.

[A Desegregated USC Began with 3 Students](#)

The State, April 19

*The University of South Carolina has a sculpture now commemorating the three African-American students who ushered in a new era at the Columbia school.