

University

[SC early voting begins with record-breaking turnout. Many voters say redistricting is why.](#)

SC Daily Gazette, May 26

***Sean Hall, who recently graduated from Winthrop with a degree in psychology, said that he didn't really keep up with the redistricting debate but knows voting is important.**

[Seven Seniors Recognized for Highest GPAs at Winthrop Commencement Ceremonies](#)

WRHI, May 12

***Seven seniors received the President's Award at graduation.**

Winthrop Poll/Scott Huffmon

[Winthrop poll: SC residents struggle with grocery prices, can't afford to eat out](#)

Rock Hill Herald, May 28 (similar stories at [Post and Courier](#), [Fox Carolina](#), [WRDW](#), [WRHI](#), [WIS](#), [WCNC](#), [FITS News](#), [The State](#), [Statehouse Report](#), [Anderson Observer](#))

***Most South Carolina residents can't afford to go out to dinner, and they're having a hard time paying for groceries too. People here "feel pushed to the economic brink," said Winthrop Poll Director Scott Huffmon.**

[SC Senate considers Trump redistricting after House OKs map](#)

Spartanburg Herald Journal, May 21 (similar article in [Bluffton Today](#))

***Political Science Professor Scott Huffmon said at this point in history, Trump is the Republican Party.**

[ACLU, NAACP push back as South Carolina lawmakers move to redraw congressional lines](#)

WBTV, May 20 (similar story on [WYFF](#))

***Political Science Professor Scott Huffmon said possible redistricting could impact a lot of people around the state.**

[Why South Carolina Republicans backed away from congressional redistricting](#)

WFAE, May 13

***Political Science Scott Huffmon talked about redistricting.**

Students

[Eesher Singh Sarai Creates History: B.C. Forward Becomes First Canadian Turbaned Sikh to Reach NCAA Division I, Commits to Winthrop](#)

Darpan Magazine, May 8

***The men's basketball program has recruited its first Canadian Turbaned Sikh to the team.**

Alumni

[South Carolina Adopts Choral Anthem Written by Winthrop Alumnus](#)

WRHI, May 29

***James Kevin Gray '99 received news this month that he had been waiting on for years.**

[Colleton County celebrates Superintendent Jessica Williams' retirement after 41 years of service](#)

WCSC, May 21

***Jessica Williams '85 has retired.**

[Lake Wylie park superintendent stole 60K over years, SC sheriff says](#)

Rock Hill Herald, May 21 (similar story by [WRHI](#))

***Jason Ratterree '10 was arrested for stealing more than \$60,000 from the park.**

[New Principal at Rock Hill High School](#)

Rock Hill School District, May

***Buddy King '95 is appointed as Rock Hill High's new principal.**

Other News

[Clemson University Chooses Its Next President](#)

SC Biz News, May 27

***A neuroscientist and higher education leader, Kevin Guskievicz previously served as president at Michigan State University and chancellor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.**

[Clemson philosophers win 'Courageous Colleague' award for defense of free speech](#)

SC Daily Gazette, May 25

***Clemson University faculty member Charlie Kurth and colleague Mike Gregory wrote a column in the Chronicle of Higher Education about the university's censorship in the wake of activist Charlie Kirk's assassination.**

[USC's medical school renamed in honor of late trustee and his wife](#)

The State, Rock Hill Herald, May 22

***The Kay and C. Edward Floyd, M.D. School of Medicine, as the school will now be called, honors the late trustee and his wife of 66 years.**

[USC, Clemson froze in-state tuition in 2020. So why do they cost \\$8K more a year now?](#)

Rock Hill Herald, May 20

***Tuition has been frozen the past few years, but colleges have increased fees.**