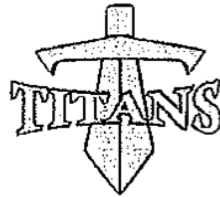


## Ann Smith Elementary School



Dear Ann Smith Parents,

Our school year is off to a great start. I am excited and anticipate a great year serving as your child's principal. We are working to create routines and processes that will allow us to have a smooth arrival and dismissal for you and our students. The **City of Ridgeland Police Department** works closely with us to assure that we are following city regulations for traffic flow and parking. One thing that we will need to be mindful of this year is parking. **YOU CAN NOT PARK ON THE WALKING TRAIL.** The city will give out parking tickets for anyone that violates this rule. We have a large student population with limited parking so we will reserve one side of the road around the school to use as parking. Please be patient as we work to find solutions for our lack of parking spaces. We encourage you to participate and be an active part of your student's school experience by attending school functions. We will do everything possible to find parking that will not violate city regulations.

Our next after school event is **Back to School Night** on **Tuesday, August 28 at 5:30.** This is an opportunity for you to get to know your child's teacher and their goals and expectations for the year. I look forward to seeing each of you there!

Respectfully yours,

Karen Harness