

# SUMTER COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL



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To Whom It May Concern:

The Panther Nation is anxiously anticipating Homecoming 2024. This season, our Panther football team will host the Greenwaves of William H. Spencer High School on Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>. We look forward to a great game and great support from the Panther Nation. We welcome all alumni back home and hope you enjoy the weekend with family, friends, classmates, teammates, teachers, and administrators!

This year, we are again offering tailgate spaces for anyone interested in tailgating before and during the game. The spaces will be limited and can be secured on a first come, first served basis. Each tailgating space will be 25'W x 25'L at the cost of \$50 which include 2 game tickets. Spaces will be clearly marked on the Football Practice Field. The tailgating area will open at **3:00 p.m. and close at Halftime (before 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter starts)**. All participants are encouraged to enter the homecoming game and support our Mighty Panthers. Tailgating participants will receive one re-entry pass into the game.

Please contact the following persons to secure a tailgate area: Dr. Marnie Dutcher, Mr. Coleman Price, or Mr. Will Rogers - (229) 924-3653.

The following guidelines will be enforced to ensure safety and order:

1. There must be a contact person(s) for each area. Contact information will be provided to school administrators and officers in charge of supervising the tailgate area.
2. Each tailgate area must be supervised at all times before, during, and after the game.
3. **ABSOLUTELY NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR TOBACCO ARE ALLOWED ON THE CAMPUS AND/OR TAILGATE AREA BEFORE, DURING, OR AFTER THE GAME!!! THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.**
4. A clean and safe environment shall be maintained at all times before, during, and after the games. Two law enforcement officers will be supervising the tailgate area.
5. Person(s) in charge of their tailgate area are responsible for all parties invited to their tailgate area(s).
6. **Playing of music must be turned off during the playing of the National Anthem and while the football game is being played.**
7. **DRIVING OF ANY VEHICLE ON THE FOOTBALL PRACTICE FIELD IS PROHIBITED!!! Exception: The vehicle attached to a grill/smoker will be allowed in the tailgating area.**
8. **TAUNTING, FIGHTING, OR ANY HARMFUL ACTS AGAINST ANY OTHER PERSON(S) BEFORE, DURING, OR AFTER THE GAME IS PROHIBITED!!!**
9. **All areas must be cleaned before exiting the campus. All vehicles and grills must be off the campus by 11:30 p.m.**

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## Homecoming Game October 4, 2024

To purchase a tailgating spot, please call 229-924-3653 or mail this form along with your payment.

Please provide the following "Information":

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduating Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Tailgate – Limited to ONE space: \$50.00 - 25' x 25' area; 2 tickets for the game

**Tailgate time: 3:00 p.m. – Halftime (before 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter starts)**

**Game time: 7:30 p.m.**

**PLEASE MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO: Sumter County High School**

Total amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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