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**Subject:** Coach Spurrier OOP Reception  
**Location:** Mansion  
**When:** 6/7/2016 6:00:00 PM - 7:30:00 PM

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**DATE:** Tuesday, June 7, 2016

**TIME:** 6:00-7:30 PM

**EVENT:** THE HBC Coach Steve Spurrier Order of the Palmetto Reception

**LOCATION:** Mansion

**STAFF:** Katherine Veldran and Nicole Priester  
*Camlin will be there taking pictures throughout the event.*

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

6:00PM – 6:30PM      Guest Arrive  
6:45PM – 7:00PM      Presentation

**Presentation:** (2mins each)

- Coach Ray Tanner or Charles Waddell
- Bill McDaniels
- Amy Spurrier Moody (Daughter)
- Governor Haley

**ATTENDEES:** 30 attendees

**YES**

1. Steve Spurrier
2. Jerri Spurrier
3. Scott Spurrier              Spurrier's son (Still coaches at USC)
4. Jennifer Spurrier
5. Lisa King                  Spurrier's daughter
6. Woody                      Lisa's boyfriend
7. Trey                        Spurrier's grandson
8. Amy Moody                Spurrier's daughter
9. Jay Moody
10. Jake Moody                Spurrier's grandson
11. Kyle Moody                Spurrier's grandson
12. Lauren Moody              Spurrier's granddaughter
13. Charles Waddell          Deputy Athletics Director
14. Sandra Waddell
15. Bill McDaniels
16. Suzanne Pucci
17. Todd Ellis                Voice of the Gamecocks / USC Athletic Hall of Fame
18. Cissy Ellis
19. Keith Postal

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| 20. Liz McMillian    | IMG   |
| 21. Dr. Jeff Guy     |   |
| 22. Katie Cox        |   |
| 23. Jamie Speronis   | Director of Football Operation (still at USC) |
| 24. Kristy Speronis  |   |
| 25. Tommy Suggs      |   |
| 26. Jane Suggs       |   |
| 27. Gary Boykin      |   |
| 28. Rita Boykin      | Coach Spurrier's Secretary                    |
| 29. Coach Ray Tanner |   |
| 30. Karen Tanner     |   |

**Not able to attend:**

Dr. Harris Pastides & Patricia Pastides (at a conference out of town)

**MENU:**

Shrimp & Grits

Beef Tenderloin Medallions

Lump Crab Stuffed Mushrooms

Assorted Sushi-Spicy Tuna, Crab & Avocado & Sesame Salmon

Cucumber Salad

Spinach & Artichoke Dip with Grilled Pita

Custard in Filo with Berries

Chocolate Chip & Orange Cannoli's

**SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS:**

HBC's letter

**BACKGROUND:** Steve Spurrier

- Nick Name: Head Ball Coach
- Born: April 20, 1945 (age 71)
- Family Life: Married Jerri Starr in 1966 and he has four children, Scott, Lisa, Amy and Steve Jr.
- Hometown: Johnson City, Tenn.
- Alma Mater: Florida Year: 1967
- 1966 Heisman Trophy Winner as a quarterback for the Gators
- He stepped down in his 11th season as head coach at the University of South Carolina
- Against South Carolina's major in-state rival, Clemson, **Spurrier's Gamecocks have gone 6-3**
- **Winning Coach in Gamecock History**

**Gamecock Football Stats:**

- In his first season at South Carolina, Coach Spurrier led the Gamecocks to a 7-5 record and a second-place finish in the SEC Eastern Division. In doing so, he posted a five-game winning streak, the 15th-consecutive year in which he has had a five-game winning streak, something no other coach in college history has accomplished.
  - **Honor:** He was honored as the SEC Coach of the Year by the Associated Press after leading the Gamecocks to a school-record five straight SEC wins, their first win ever at Tennessee and their first win over Florida since the 1930s.
- He came back with an 8-5 record in 2006, just the ninth time in school history that the Gamecocks posted eight or more wins in a season. The season was capped with a Liberty Bowl win over C-USA champion Houston.
- In his third season he had a 6-1 record and moved as high as No. 6 in the BCS rankings, before finishing the campaign with a 6-6 record. With 21 wins, he set the Carolina record for coaching

- victories after three seasons at the helm.
- With a 7-6 record in 2008, Carolina returned to a New Year's Day bowl game for the first time since the 2001 season.
- The Gamecocks followed that up with another 7-6 record in 2009, their sixth-consecutive non-losing season, the longest stretch in school history since 1928-34. The 2009 season included a win over No. 4 Ole Miss, only the second time in school history that Carolina had defeated a top-five team.
- His 2010 Gamecock squad posted several milestones en route to a 9-5 season, the biggest of which was the school's first SEC Eastern Division title and first appearance in the SEC Championship. The Gamecocks also defeated the nation's No. 1 team, Alabama, for the first time in school history, and finished the season ranked 22nd in both major national polls.
  - **Honor:** He was named SEC Coach of the Year for the seventh time, his ninth overall Coach of the Year honor.
- The Gamecocks continued to make history in 2011, winning a school-record 11 games and finishing in the top-10 in the final A.P. poll for the first time. The squad also won a school-record six SEC games and defeated each of their Eastern Division rivals in the same season for the first time. Carolina capped the regular season with a win over Clemson, its third-straight over its Palmetto State rival, the first time that has been accomplished since 1968-70, then defeated Nebraska in the Capital One Bowl by a convincing 30-13 margin.
- The 2012 season was another success, as the Gamecocks rolled up 11 wins for the second-straight season and logged double-digits in wins for just the third time in school history, capped off by a 33-28 win over Michigan in the Outback Bowl. They defeated four teams that finished among the nation's top 25 in Georgia, Clemson, Vanderbilt and Michigan. The Gamecocks defeated in-state rival Clemson for a fourth-straight year, the first time that had been accomplished since the 1950s. It's No. 8/7 final ranking was the best in school history at that time.
- The success continued in 2013. Carolina posted its third-straight 11-2 campaign, finishing fourth in both major polls, the highest national finish in school history. The team defeated five teams that finished in the Top-25, including three in the Top-10. It also defeated six teams that won their bowl games, including two BCS winners. The Gamecocks won their final six games of the season, including a school-record fifth-straight win over Clemson, and a Capital One Bowl win over Wisconsin, the third-straight New Year's Day bowl win.
- In 2014, the Head Ball Coach logged his 400th career game as a head coach, including stints with Tampa Bay in the USFL, Duke, Florida, Washington in the NFL and South Carolina. He also led the Gamecocks to a school-record fourth-consecutive bowl victory with a win over Miami in the Duck Commander Independence Bowl.
  - **Honor:** He became the fourth coach to record 100 or more wins as an SEC coach against SEC competition (he also has three wins against SEC teams while coaching at Duke). Only Paul "Bear" Bryant (159) has won more SEC conference games than Coach Spurrier's 131.

INVITE:

*Governor Nikki Haley and First Gentleman Michael Haley*

*invite you to a*

*reception*

*honoring Coach Steve Spurrier*

*Tuesday, the seventh of June*

*From six o'clock until half after seven*

*Governor's Mansion*

*800 Richland Street*

*Columbia, South Carolina*

*R.S.V.P. to Kelly Ervin*

*Parking available within the gates*

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