

COUGAR NEWS



CARDINAL MOONEY
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16TH, 2024



Cougars
Are Back!

"BE WHO GOD MEANT YOU TO BE AND
YOU WILL SET THE WORLD ON FIRE."

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

IMPORTANT INFO

Important Dates



Monday, August 19th

Senior Parent College Prep Night

-See College Counselor Corner

Wednesday August 21st

-CADY Senior Portrait Make Up Day 9:30-5:30

-Adoration in Chapel 6pm

Wednesday, August 28th

-8:30-9:15am - Club Rush in Court Yard

-6pm Back to School Night (Parents Only)



Step-Up Scholarship News

It is not too late to apply for a Step Up for Students Scholarship. You may be eligible to receive up to \$8,000 in tuition relief. To apply, please visit Step Up for Students.

Important Reminders for Parents:

Approval of Quarterly Payments: Parents must now approve the quarterly payments to CMHS. You will receive an email from Step Up with a link to approve each quarter's payment. Alternatively, you can log into your Step Up EMA dashboard. This must be completed within 2 weeks of receiving notification or the quarterly payment amount will be added back into your tuition payments.

Incidental Billing for Step Up: You will be notified each quarter via FACTS Tuition that we have received your payment from Step Up. This notification is not a new invoice for you to pay, but rather an update on how you stand with Step Up payments.

Keep Your Contact Information Up-to-Date: Please ensure your parent emails are correct and that you are regularly checking them. Important information regarding Step Up (as well as other school information) is sent through these emails. If you need to update your email address, please log into your FACTS Family Portal and make the necessary changes.

If you have any questions regarding Step Up, please feel free to contact Debbie Butor (Registrar) at dbutor@cmhs-sarasota.org

Lunch Schedule

Week A

Monday:

- Burgers
- Hot Dogs
- Tots

Tuesday:

- Chicken Tenders
- Chicken Flatbread

Wednesday:

- Meatball Sub
- Pasta

Thursday:

- Chicken Sand
- Empanadas

Friday:

- Marco's Pizza

Week B

Monday:

- Burgers
- Spicy Chicken
- Tots

Tuesday:

- Chicken Tenders
- Steak-N-Cheese

Wednesday:

- Calzones
- Pressed Cubans

Thursday:

- Chicken Sand
- Toranados

Friday:

- Marco's Pizza

*Menu subject to change

PARENT INVOLVEMENT

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

**MEET OTHER MOONEY FAMILIES WHILE
HELPING WITH CMHS EVENTS!**

**CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING FOR AN
EVENT OR BECOMING A MEMBER OF
AN EVENT COMMITTEE.**

- **ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT
OCTOBER 4, 2024**
- **HOMECOMING FISH FRY
OCTOBER 25, 2024**
- **2025 MOONEY GALA
MARCH 1, 2025**
- **AND MORE TO COME...**

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

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FAITH & SERVICE



Seeking The Sacrament of Confirmation

The Diocese of Venice has a Religious Education Office that emphasizes the importance of the Sacrament of Confirmation with a two-year program. [Click here for more information](#)

**EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION**

WITH PRAISE & WORSHIP MUSIC

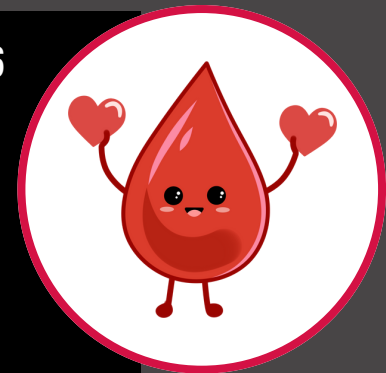
 

FAMILY FRIENDLY
ALL ARE WELCOME

**WEDNESDAY | 8.21 | 6PM-7:30PM
AT CARDINAL MOONEY HS**

The Bloodmobile will be here August 27, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Those who are at least 16 and in good health are eligible to donate the “gift of life.” Three hours of community service is available for one pint of blood donated. If you are 16 but not yet 17, you **MUST** bring a parental permission slip and a photo ID with you to the Bloodmobile.

Next blood drive: 11/05/24



Parent Rosary Prayer Group Fridays 7:45am

We welcome parents to join us to Pray the Rosary every Friday on campus in chapel

Starting Today!

COLLEGE COUNSELOR CORNER

Welcome to the College Counselor Corner

I am so very excited to begin another year assisting you in navigating all things college and post Mooney life. This added page in the Cougar News will replace my weekly email in order for ALL parents and students to have complete access to important information. I look forward to an amazing year and I will see everyone next week!!

Ericka McGarity
College Counselor



Upcoming Senior Events

- **Monday, August 19, 6:30pm:** In the Chapel: Senior Parent College Night
- **Wednesday August 21st and Thursday, August 22nd:** College Application Workshops in Ministry/World Religion classes we will be tackling Common App and our NEW college database system that replaced Naviance. Please email Ericka McGarity resume and essay revisions so that I can go over edits in the college workshops.
- **Senior Student/Parent Meetings:** For those seniors and parents who have NOT yet had their college/post Mooney meeting with Ericka McGarity, do not fear... I will email all Seniors a calendar link to schedule a meeting. Please reserve these appointment times for students and families that have not had the opportunity to meet with me.
- **Standardized Tests-** every Senior should have taken at least ONE of these tests by this point. If you have not, please see the upcoming test dates: ACT <https://www.act.org> Test Date Registration Deadline September 14 August 25 (late fees apply)
- **NCAA** Thinking about playing college sports? Per the Cardinal Mooney Handbook, you MUST register on the NCAA portal in order to move forward in the college recruitment process. We will no longer be able to send multiple colleges multiple transcripts <https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>



BACK TO SCHOOL

STUDENT LIFE



STUDENT LIFE

Come Check out Mooney CLUB RUSH

Equestrian
Club
Mock Trial
Club

St. Vincent de Paul
Society

photo club

Club Rush is on
Wednesday, August
28th from 8:30-9:15
in the Courtyard &
Selby Center

...and
Many
More!!

Mooney
Medical Club
Marine Science
Club

Miracle League
Art club
Guitar Club



CALLING ALL
COUGAR CRAZIES!
IT'S NEON NIGHT

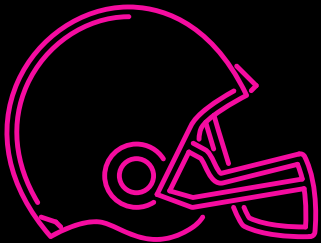


ATHLETICS

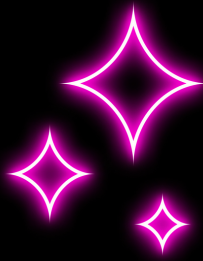
First 200 Students get a free Neon Mooney Shirt



TONIGHT @ 7PM
VARSITY FOOTBALL
MOONEY
VS.
BOOKER



LET'S GLOW
COUGARS!



COUGARS



Save time and purchase your athletic tickets from home.

Visit the CMHS Go Fan Ticket page!



Cougar Fans live stream athletic events from our HOME stadium and gymnasium through CMHS Athletics' YouTube channel. **Subscribe today!**



Concessions

Pay by Cash, Credit cards,
Apple Pay, Google Pay



COUGAR NETWORK

WE'RE KICKING OFF OUR DEBUT WEEK

WITH TWO LIVE-STREAMED EVENTS!



SCHOOL MASS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15TH | 8:45 AM

Join the Mooney students, faculty, and staff in an all-school mass to celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary

FOOTBALL GAME

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16TH | 6:30 PM

Watch the Cougars take on the Booker Tornados in the Pre-Season Kickoff game



@CMHS.CougarNetwork

CARDINAL MOONEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL **GOLF** TOURNAMENT



\$225- INDIVIDUALS
\$800 - FOURSOME

FRIDAY

OCTOBER 4TH

.....
WITH SOME OF THE PROCEEDS
BENEFITING THE CMHS ARTS
& ATHLETICS DEPARTMENTS
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THE PLANTATION GOLF
AND COUNTRY CLUB

Check-In: 10:30am
Shotgun starts: NOON

GOLF, FOOD, DRINKS , RAFFLES,
GAMES AND PRIZES

www.cmhs-sarasota.org

Register now. Space is limited



500 Rockley Blvd,
Venice, FL 34293

COUGAR ATHLETICS SCHEDULE

AUGUST 16TH-23TH

Friday 8/16

Varsity Football vs. Booker 7pm – Home

Monday 8/19

Boys Golf – Tournament – Capri Isle Golf Club

Wednesday 8/21

Girls Volleyball – Varsity 5:30pm vs. Lakewood Ranch Prep – Away

Thursday 8/22

JV Football vs. Lemon Bay 6pm - Away

Girls Volleyball – Freshman 5pm,

JV 6pm, Varsity 7pm vs. Lakewood Ranch – Home

Boys Golf at St Stephens 3:30pm – Greenfield Plantation Golf Club

Friday 8/23

Varsity Football at Sarasota 7:30pm – Away

Saturday 8/24

Girls Volleyball – Freshman Tournament, Charlotte High School - Away

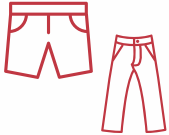
DRESSCODE

Subject to policy modifications.
Dean of Students will communicate any changes.



Tops

- CMHS Logo Polo: White, red, or black
- CMHS Logo Polo: Blue - Seniors Only



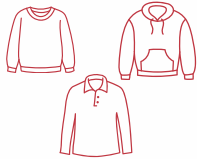
Bottoms

- Docker style pants with belt loops: khaki in color (no jean material)
- Docker style shorts with belt loops: khaki in color (no shorter than 3" above the knee)
- NOT permitted: tights, leggings, joggers



Belt

- Black or Brown belt must be worn with all shorts/pants.



Outerwear

- CMHS Logo Quarter Zip: Red or black
- CMHS Logo Crewneck Sweatshirt: Red or black
Gray, sold at CMHS

Many of the sports teams and clubs sell clothing with vendors outside of Children's World. These are not part of the daily dress code.



PE Uniform

- White logo t-shirt
- Red logo shorts



Shoes

- Dress shoes or athletic shoes (laced & tied)
- NOT permitted: moccasins, flip flops, sandals (includes Birkenstocks, Texas, etc), slippers, crocs, boots (Uggs, Doc Martens, etc) sport shoes (cleats, etc)



Official Uniform Supplier

The uniform shirts and P.E. uniforms must be purchased from:

CHILDREN'S WORLD UNIFORM SUPPLY

4525 Bee Ridge Road
Sarasota, FL 34233

Phone is (941)-955-6999

www.childrensworlduniform.com