

COUGAR NEWS

"Above all, remember that God looks for solid virtues in us, such as patience, humility, obedience, abnegation of your own will - that is, the good will to serve Him and our neighbor in Him. His providence allows us other devotions only insofar as He sees that they are useful to us."

SAINT IGNATIUS



National Catholic Schools Week

Monday

Treats at lunch provided by the Freshmen Class

Boys Basketball vs Riverview
5:30 JV/7:00 Varsity

Girls Soccer vs Bishop Verot
Semi-final game at 6 pm

Tuesday

Treats at lunch provided by the Sophomore Class

Wednesday

Grandparents Day - Fresh/Soph
8:30 am Mass

Treats at lunch provided by the Junior Class

NLI Athletic Signing at
3 pm in Gym

Soccer district finals TBD

Thursday

Treats at lunch provided by the Junior Class

Boys Basketball vs Sarasota
5:30 JV/7:00 Varsity
Senior Night! 6:30 pm

Friday

Mooney Day!

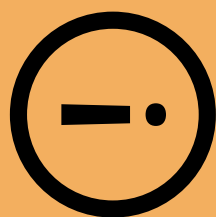
Wear your Mooney Day shirt
Lunch provided by the CARE Board
Early Dismissal at 12:00 pm

Girls Basketball District Final
7 pm

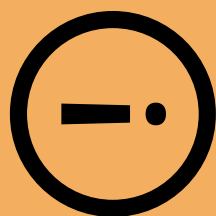
Saturday

Mooney Trivia Night
6 pm in the Selby Center
\$60 per team

Food, give-aways & prizes



Calendar of Events



January 27	Re-Enrollment Begins
January 29 - February 4	Catholic School's Week
February 3 7:55 am - 12 pm	MOONEY DAY This is an official school day Attendance Required
February 4 6 pm	Mooney Trivia Night benefitting All Children's Hospital
February 1 8:30 am	Grandparents and Special Friends Day for Freshmen and Sophomores Reservations required
February 1 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	C.A.R.E. Board Meeting
February 8 8:30 am	Grandparents and Special Friends Day for Juniors and Seniors Reservations required
February 8 6 pm	Sophomore Parent Night
February 15	Junior CAE Studies for College Admissions with Mrs. LaFemina (RSVP Required)
February 24 7:55 am (Early Release more info coming soon)	Pre-ACT for 9th and 10th Grade Junior Recognition Ceremony Senior Retreat in the Gym
February 27	Career Fair
February 28	Enrollment deadline
March 9 and 10	No School for Students Professional Development Days for Teachers
March 13-17	Spring Break

STUDENT LIFE

Mooney Day

Fri. Feb. 3 from 7:55 am - 12 pm

Please join
us for a fun-
filled
Mooney
tradition!



teacher v.
student
volleyball
game

karaoke &
trivia

fun
inflatables

pep rally &
parade of
sports

volleyball,
spike ball, four
square, and
more

all school
mass

There will be a
pep rally,
games,
activities, food,
and so much
more!



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Matthew Compa and Ella Schaefer represented the Theatre Department for the 8th graders by singing and sharing information about the program.



GRAD BASH

UNIVERSAL ORLANDO

CELEBRATE YOUR GRADUATION WITH A NIGHT
LIKE NO OTHER AT UNIVERSAL ORLANDO RESORT

DJS,
TWO THEME
PARKS,
THRILLING
RIDES,
AND MORE

MARCH 31
7PM-2AM

Bus will leave campus at 4:00 PM

\$143

PRICE INCLUDES:
TICKET TO 2 PARKS
CHARTER BUS
MEAL VOUCHER

Seniors must be in
good standing to
attend. All
outstanding
detentions must be
served.

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your Grad Bash Ticket today.



Several students from the Cardinal Mooney Symphonic Orchestra perform for the visiting 8th graders on Wednesday, January 25th.

COUGAR COMMUNITY NEWS

C.A.R.E. Board Meeting

Cougars Are Reason Enough

Wednesday, February 1

5:30 -6:30 pm

Cardinal Mooney Conference Room

Bloodmobile

The Bloodmobile will be here Tuesday, February 7st from 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. You can obtain a permission form when you sign up.

You should have a healthy breakfast before donating. To sign up for this Blood drive, see the Blood Bank recruiters at lunch time on Thursday, February 2nd or Monday, February 6th.

If you have any questions please see Mr. Scheuer



YOUR VOTE IS NEEDED



We need YOUR help to nominate Cardinal Mooney for...

BEST PRIVATE SCHOOL

Please VOTE for Cardinal Mooney once per day starting today through Wednesday, February 8, 2023, at 11:59 PM. This is the FINAL VOTING PHASE! Use the direct link below to vote.

Today is a NEW day and a New contest for SRQ Magazine so we definitely need your help.

If you do not use the direct link and go to the SRQ magazine website, click on “Events & Competitions” in the menu bar.

[Vote for Mooney HERE](#)



Mooney Trivia Night 2023

sponsored by the St. Vincent de Paul Club



Benefitting Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital Foundation

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm (doors open at 5:30) in the CMHS Selby Center.

INTERESTED IN A SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR PIZZA AND PRIZES?

Please contact Madison Duncan (24mduncan@mycmhs.org), Rebekah Bourque (23rbourque@mycmhs.org),
or Mr. Scheuer (sscheuer@cmhs-sarasota.org)

Thank you for your support!

- Each team has no more than six (6) members (no less than 4).
- Teams can be made up of CMHS students, students from other schools, parents, outside friends, faculty, staff or any combination.
- Each team donates \$60 to participate (\$10 per team member; less than 6 will need to cover \$60 fee).
- Students will receive 3 hours community service and all participants will get pizza, snacks and drinks.
- PRIZES for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place! RAFFLE for Prom Tickets! And a 50/50 drawing!

February 2, 2023

Deadline to submit forms

Also available in CANVAS

See Mr. Scheuer with any
questions.

2023 Mooney Trivia Night - \$10 Entrance Fee Per Team
Member = \$60 per Team

PLEASE PRINT

1. Team Captain-Name _____
Grade _____ \$10 _____

2. Member Name _____
Grade _____ \$10 _____

3. Member Name _____
Grade _____ \$10 _____

4. Member Name _____
Grade _____ \$10 _____

5. Member Name _____
Grade _____ \$10 _____

6. Member Name _____
Grade _____ \$10 _____

ACADEMIC SERVICES & GUIDANCE



CAREER FAIR 2023

Seeking career professionals to attend our career fair to speak with our sophomore students.

Location: CMHS Gymnasium

Date: Monday, February 27, 2023

Time: 12:55 pm -1:40 pm

Check in and set up 12:30

Event Contact: Ann LaFemina

Dean of Academic Services, College Counselor.

941-371-4917 Ext. 165

ALaFemina@cmhs-sarasota.org

RSVP: FEBRUARY 17, 2023

LOOKING FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES TO COMPLETE YOUR CARDINAL MOONEY GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS?

The All School Module found on Canvas has a routinely updated community service link. Opportunities, current and yearlong, are all posted at this link. Verification forms and letters of our school requirements are also posted for easy access. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Scheuer at sscheuer@cmhs-sarasota.org.



SOPHOMORE PARENT NIGHT

TIME CHANGE!!!!
JOIN US AT 6 PM!
WED. FEB. 8TH

Please join us for an informative night on graduation requirements, GPA information, academic honors, college planning and an introduction to our Naviance program.

We look forward to seeing you there.



ACADEMIC SERVICES & GUIDANCE



JUNIORS AND FAMILIES:

JOIN MRS. LAFEMINA FEBRUARY 15, 2023-RSVP REQUIRED

- All participants will be given the opportunity to read the 3 sample college admissions applications prior to the event.
- The sample applications will be discussed in small groups led by a college admissions representative officer. As a group, you will decide which students will be accepted, denied, or deferred.

You will learn the following:

- What colleges look for in an applicant
- What colleges value academically and how a student spends their free time
- How difficult it is to choose between applicants
- How students can evaluate their own strengths, skills, and qualities they bring to the process and how to convey them on their college application.

Students and families will gain insight and understanding as to what is valued in the application.

Space for this event is limited. please contact Mrs. Ann LaFemina, College Counselor at ALaFemina@cmhs-sarasota.org/ 941-371-4917 ext. 165. To RSVP no later than 2/10/2023.

COLLEGE TOUR
Deadline to register,
Friday, March 3, 2023.



ACADEMIC SERVICES & GUIDANCE

ATTENTION JUNIORS

The application is now open to participate in the Boys State Leadership program. Participation can lead to scholarship award money. Information about the program and the application were sent via email from Mrs. LaFemina. Those interested should complete the application by January 30th and then email that to Mr. Barry Shuck at *barry.shuck@hotmail.com*, or you can drop it off at the American Legion Post 266; 5201 Richardson Road, Sarasota, Florida 34232. In addition, applications can lead to interviews as part of the selection process. Questions about the application and interview process can be directed to Mr. Shuck at the email address above.

WHAT IS BOYS STATE?

Boys State is a unique, one-week, summertime educational program for rising seniors that focuses on participation and personal experience in a model state, complete with governmental bodies and elected public officials. It is designed to mirror the structure and operation of Florida's state government, while providing hands-on training in practical citizenship, leadership and character development through a non-partisan perspective.

THE COOLIDGE SCHOLARSHIP IS NOW OPEN AND ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS.

The Coolidge Scholarship is an annually awarded, full-ride, presidential scholarship that covers a student's tuition, room, board, and expenses for four years of undergraduate study. Awarded funds may be used by recipients at any accredited college or university in the United States.
<https://coolidgescholars.org/apply/>

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF SARASOTA

The Community Foundation of Sarasota is now accepting applications for Youth Expanded Studies. **The deadline for this application is February 1, 2023.** This scholarship is for students who are attending an educational program outside of the typical school setting (like summer programs), it is not a scholarship for college courses or degrees. This scholarship is open to high school students who are residents of Sarasota, Manatee, DeSoto, or Charlotte counties. This scholarship requires a report card and either the guardian's W9, the guardian's 1040 Tax Return, or the student's Proof of Free or Reduced Lunch.

[Click here for more information: 2023 Youth Expanded Studies Scholarship Application.](#)

The scholarship application can also be accessed through our website cfsarasota.org under Students. If you or any of your students have any questions or need assistance we are more than happy to help!



Catholic Community Foundation of Southwest Florida College & Vocational Scholarships

Now accepting applications for the 2023-24 Academic Year



Mary Fran Carroll Scholarship

The Catholic Community Foundation is proud to offer multiple \$3,000 Mary Fran Carroll Scholarships to residents of Sarasota County, Florida for tuition, books and fees (*housing and living expenses not eligible*). These scholarships may be renewed annually for up to 5 years for students maintaining a 3.2 GPA as they pursue their undergraduate degree.

The Traditional Scholarships are open to graduating seniors and recent high school graduates (within the last 2 years) who wish to pursue an undergraduate degree in any accredited college or university.

The Non-traditional Scholarships are open to adult learners who are returning to school to obtain a college degree or vocational certification after being out of high school for three or more years.



JAMES E. & MARGARET M. SCHWARZ SCHOLARSHIP

The Catholic Community Foundation is proud to offer the Schwarz scholarship valued at approximately \$6,800 to a graduating senior from Cardinal Mooney Catholic High School in Sarasota, Florida that will be pursuing a career in education. This scholarship is non-renewable and can be used for tuition, books, fees and housing expenses.



Barry L. Carey, MD Scholarship

The Catholic Community Foundation is proud to offer the Barry L. Carey, MD Scholarship valued at approximately \$400 to a practicing Catholic student graduating from a Catholic, private, public or home-school high school within the ten counties of the Diocese of Venice in Florida. Scholarship recipients must be the first generation in their family to attend a college or university. This scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship for students maintaining a 3.0 GPA and can be used for tuition, books, fees and housing expenses.

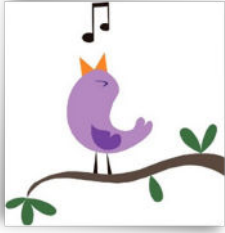


Frank & Florence Coseglia Scholarship

The Catholic Community Foundation is proud to offer the Frank and Florence Coseglia Scholarship valued at approximately \$1,100 for a Catholic college bound, financially needy student graduating from one of the four Catholic high schools in the Diocese of Venice. This is a one year non-renewable scholarship. A submission of an essay on what your Catholic education has meant to you and your future goals is required upon application.



APPLY FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIPS AT: www.ccfdioceseofvenice.org
DEADLINE: February 21, 2023 at 11:59 pm



SAIL AWAY WITH MOONEY GALA

March 25, 2023

There is just one week left to get your early bird discounted tickets at \$140/ticket.

Price increases to \$160/ticket after February 1

[Click here to purchase tickets](#)



SIGN UP FOR SPONSORSHIP TODAY!

Promotional exposure targeting distinguished guests, friends, parents, Cardinal Mooney High School supporters, plus exposure to thousands of online bidders.

[Click here to become a sponsor.](#)

**We are collecting for our Class-Themed Baskets,
please bring any items to the front office.**

Thank you!

Senior Class: *Dorm Essentials Basket*- Mini fridge, gift cards, office and desk supplies, shower caddy, flip flops, bath towels, alarm clock, laundry basket etc.

Junior Class: *Travel & Adventure Basket*- Gas cards, day trip experiences, backpack, water bottles, Gift Cards, portable phone charger, wireless headphones, outdoor gear, etc.

Sophomore Class: *That's Entertainment Basket*- Movie tickets, restaurant gift cards, tours & sightseeing, arts & culture, etc.

Freshman Class: *Lucky Duck Basket*-Scratch off lottery tickets

Please contact Erica DiMinno at ediminno@cmhs-sarasota.org or 941-379-9419 with any questions. Thank you for supporting Cardinal Mooney High School.



Sponsorship Opportunities

Commodore Sponsor \$5,000

- VIP table for ten guests with table wine
- Prominent recognition in all marketing materials and venue
 - Name/logo on the auction website and table centerpieces
 - Live sponsorship recognition at the event
- Full-page color advertisement on back cover of the event program

Fleet Captain \$2,000

- Faculty Table Sponsor allows four faculty to attend as your guests
- Table seating for additional four sponsor guests (total of eight guests)
 - Half-page advertisement in the event program
 - Name/logo on the auction website

Bosun Sponsor \$500

- Table seating for two guests at a table of eight
- Business card advertisement in the event program

Vice Commodore Sponsor \$3,000

- Table for eight guests with premium seating
- Half-page color advertisement in the event program
- Name/logo in marketing materials and on auction website

Flag Officer \$1,200

- Table seating for four guests at a table of eight
- Quarter-page advertisement in the event program
 - Name/logo on auction website

Deckhand Sponsor \$100

- Business or family name displayed at the venue

Athletics - GO COUGARS!

Girls Weightlifting

The girls finished 3rd as a team in Districts on Wednesday in Lake Placid. Ella Curran and Zoe Kirby finished as district champions in their weight class. Caroline Teto, Rue Borchert, Josephine Timmerman, and Sierra Vanpelt finished 2nd in their weight class. Congratulations!!!

Boys Soccer

Tonight the team will take on Gateway Charter in the District Quarterfinal game at 6 pm. Come out and support our Boys Cougar Soccer team!

Girls Soccer

The girls will host Bishop Verot in the District Semi-final game at 6 pm. Good luck Lady Cougar Soccer!

Girls Basketball

Our Lady Cougars will host Bradenton Christian in the District Championship game next Friday, Feb. 3rd. Let's go Cougars!

Boys Basketball

Join the boys on Monday as they take on Riverview and then on Thursday when they face Sarasota for Senior Night. JV is at 5:30 and Varsity is at 7:00.

Attention Spring Sport Seniors!

Picture day for your senior banner is Wednesday, February 15th in the main gym immediately after school. Be dressed in your full uniform.

NLI Signing Day is Wednesday, February 3rd.

Support
CMHS BOYS
LACROSSE
outside the gym
BEST GAME IN THE WORLD
February 15 8AM-9:15AM
CHICKEN BISCUIT \$4.25
BUTTER BISCUIT \$2.50
CASH/CREDIT & ASK FOR JELLY

Cougar Softball Fundraiser
Cardinal Mooney
SPRING CLEANING TIME! Bring us all those shoes you have out grown or just don't wear any more! Nike, Reebok, Adidas - it doesn't matter! Basketball, running, or even cleats. Help us not only to raise money but also to create less waste. Look for these bags around campus or just bring your shoes to E225. Don't have any shoes, we'll take \$ donations too!

Athletics - GO COUGARS!

Gatorade Player of the Year 2022-23



CONGRATULATIONS TO JORDYN BYRD WHO WAS SELECTED AS THE 2022-23 GATORADE VOLLEYBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR. JORDYN WON THIS AWARD IN 2021-22 AS A JUNIOR AS WELL. YOUR CARDINAL MOONEY FAMILY IS SO PROUD OF YOU AND THIS AMAZING ACCOMPLISHMENT AND LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOUR CONTINUED SUCCESS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS THIS COMING FALL.

ATHLETIC CLEARANCE / HOME CAMPUS- Parents and athletes, please make sure to have all forms uploaded properly on home campus. We want your children to be able to play as soon as possible and we can't do that without proper forms signed and documented. Paperwork will only be accepted online. Refresh your computer and/or phone if having issues with uploading. Thank you for your support! Please direct calls to Drew Mitchell at 941-371-4917 (ext. 117) if you need assistance with Home Campus.

FAMILY PASSES are now available for \$175. The pass includes 6 names to be emailed to the assistant AD, Drew Mitchell, dmitchell@cmhs-sarasasota.org. All children 10 and under are free when including your 6 names.

GATE COST: All athletic home contest are \$5 for adults and Cardinal Mooney students are free. Children under 10 are free as well... (Passes are good for all home games except FHSAA sanctioned events)

**Watch all Cougar home indoor and outdoor games on our
CMHS Athletics YouTube Channel**

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC17QeLXzyIIfj4esSUckz3A>



School Reminders and Everyday Information

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:55-8:47 Period 1 8:51-9:38 Period 2 9:42-10:29 Period 3 10:33-11:20 Period 4 11:24-11:54 Lunch A 11:24-12:11 Period 5B 12:15-12:46 Lunch B 11:59-12:46 Period 5A 12:50-1:37 Period 6 1:41-2:30 Period 7	7:55-8:47 Period 1 8:51-9:38 Period 2 9:42-10:29 Period 3 10:33-11:20 Period 4 11:24-11:54 Lunch A 11:24-12:11 Period 5B 12:15-12:46 Lunch B 11:59-12:46 Period 5A 12:50-1:37 Period 6 1:41-2:30 Period 7	Late Start Periods 1-3 7:30 - 9:22 Early Drop off Available in Selby Center. 9:27-10:55 Period 1 10:59-12:24 Period 2B 10:59-11:29 Lunch A 11:33-12:58 Period 2A 12:28-12:58 Lunch B 1:02-2:30 Period 3	7:55 Start time Periods 4-7 7:55-9:23 Period 4 9:27-10:55 Period 5 10:59-11:29 Lunch A 10:59-12:24 Period 6B 12:28-12:58 Lunch B 11:33-12:58 Period 6A 1:02-2:30 Period 7	7:55-8:47 Period 1 8:51-9:38 Period 2 9:42-10:29 Period 3 10:33-11:20 Period 4 11:24-11:54 Lunch A 11:24-12:11 Period 5B 12:15-12:46 Lunch B 11:59-12:46 Period 5A 12:50-1:37 Period 6 1:41-2:30 Period 7

****SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON EVENTS****

Attendance/Tardy/Early Dismissal Form

This form needs to be filled out by 9 am each and every time your student is absent, arriving late or leaving early from school. Classes missed will be unexcused until the note is received.

Please use the link to upload any applicable doctor notes.

[Click here for the link.](#)

Please remember!

Only the CMHS uniform polo shirt from
CHILDREN'S WORLD UNIFORM
SUPPLY is allowed.

Polo Shirts are required (even under
sweatshirts) and **MUST BE TUCKED IN**
DURING THE SCHOOL DAY.

