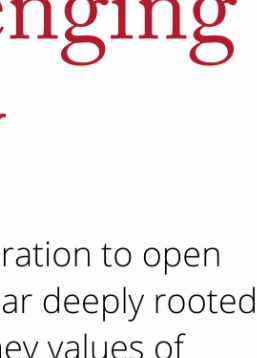


Cardinal Mooney High School CMHS



FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

WEEK OF AUGUST 9, 2020



Mooney's mission in challenging times: In-person, every day

By Thomas Maj

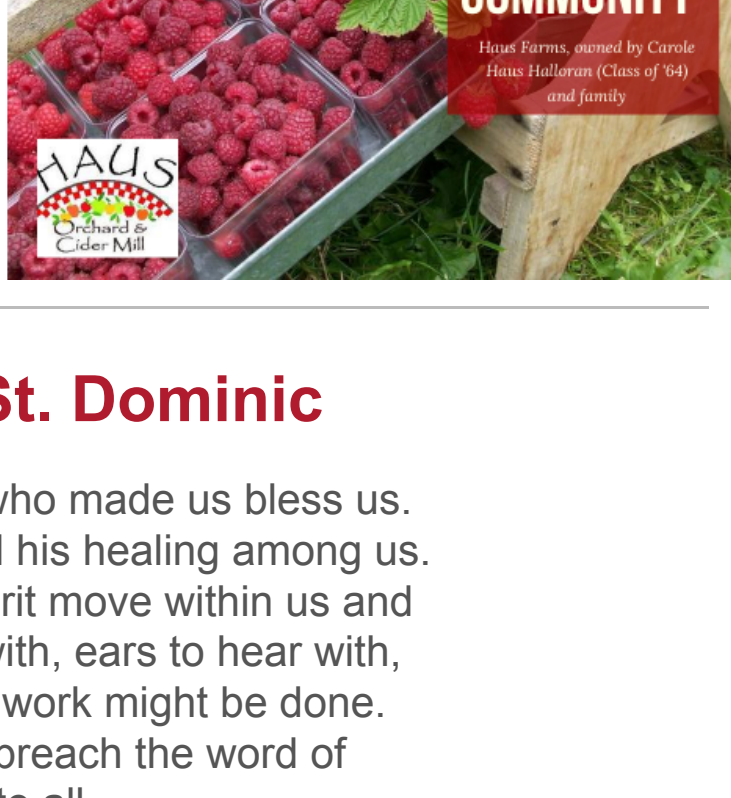
While some may see this challenging time as something to run away from, Mooney stands up, and takes it head-on. Every day, our families, students, faculty, staff, and alumni are on the front lines during this crisis, using their Mooney education in the service of others.

We meet weekly in preparation to open the 2020-21 academic year deeply rooted in our Catholic and Mooney values of Sanctity, Scholarship, and Discipline. We are also inspired by a tradition of providing an outstanding experience of college prep education for nearly 70 years

We have doctors PROTECTING OUR COMMUNITY, teachers like Jim Jablonski (class of '98) EDUCATING OUR FUTURE LEADERS, spiritual leaders like Father Martin Celuch MEETING THE FAITH NEEDS OF OUR STUDENTS, graduates like Carole Haus Halloran (class of '64) in agriculture MEETING THE CHALLENGE OF PROVIDING FOOD TO THE COMMUNITY, our new facilities director Rich Schwab and his staff MITIGATING THE SPREAD OF INFECTION.

Last spring, the Mooney community demonstrated extraordinary resilience and flexibility in providing education and care for each other. When we open our doors for all students on Aug. 31, we fully expect our school community to remain grounded in our values, true to our mission, and ready to overcome the challenges we face — in person, with care for every member of our community, and with a commitment to building a stronger Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley through the service of our graduates.

This is the Mooney difference: educating in faith, for service to others.



Prayer of St. Dominic

May God the Father who made us bless us.
May God the Son send his healing among us.
May God the Holy Spirit move within us and give us eyes to see with, ears to hear with, and hands that your work might be done.

May we walk and preach the word of God to all.

May the angel of peace watch over us and lead us at last by God's grace to the Kingdom.

Academic Update

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Students:

We hope that the information on our **reopening** that was in the **Bulletin last Sunday** was helpful to you. If you missed it, you can find it [here](#) on the Cardinal Mooney website.

We wanted to clarify that our **regular school day schedule** has not changed.

- Both entrances will open at 7:15 am for student wellness checks.
- Students may go to the cafeteria for breakfast that starts at 7:35 am or directly to their first period class.
- The "warning" bell will sound at 7:55 a.m. and all students are to be ready in their first period class at 8 a.m.
- Classes in our school day end at 3:00 p.m.
- Students may seek tutoring with a teacher or NHS tutor or wait for rides/practices in the cafeteria or courtyard until 4 p.m.

We appreciate your cooperation with this schedule. A consequence of changes due to COVID is that we cannot permit students to congregate in hallways or other places to visit with each other before or after school hours.

Please watch your **text messages and emails throughout this week** for more details related to starting school. There is a lot of information that goes with reopening, and we hope that sending items separately makes it easier to process so nothing gets lost in the shuffle.

Mr. Jablonski will continue to monitor news from the OHSA for us, and we will share with you any updates that come through this week.

Thanks to Mrs. Kalasky for all her work with **EdChoice Scholarships**. Please continue to work with her if she needs information to finalize things for your family. If you have any questions, please contact her at pkalasky@youngstowndiocese.org.

Remember that all students need to finish up **summer reading!** You can find information on the Cardinal Mooney website about the assignments.

As always, please contact me at mbeiting@youngstowndiocese.org if you have any questions. In the meantime, stay safe.

Sincerely,

Mary Anne Beiting, Ed. D.
Principal

2020 Fall Cleanup

Sunday Aug. 16 1 p.m.

- Lunch will be provided
- Bring any landscaping tools you have: wheelbarrows, trimmers, blowers ...
- Masks will be provided

School notes

Football Season Tickets: Due to circumstances beyond our control, the athletic department will not be selling season tickets for the upcoming football season. We plan to sell them again next season, and hope that you will continue to support our young men.

— Jim Jablonski, associate athletic director

Link Crew: Cardinal Mooney's Link Crew is a mentorship program that connects incoming freshmen with upperclassmen. Typically, our leaders are made up of both juniors and seniors. This year, due to the ever-changing circumstances with which we are faced, we will only be utilizing our senior Link Crew Leaders from last year. Our Student Council, however, is going to play a major role in our school this year, and will need many good members from all grades. More information on this, and other student engagement opportunities, will be available during our orientation days.

Tennis Team: If any girl is interested in playing tennis this fall, please contact Jennifer Policy at jpolicy@youngstowndiocese.org.

Seniors please see [this](#) link to the google form. In order to have your final official transcript sent to the college/university you are attending, you must fill out this form. All colleges / universities require a final official transcript. Mrs. O'Neill has also posted this on her google classroom.

Registration packet: If you have not yet returned your registration information, please email it to mbeiting@youngstowndiocese.org or mail it to the school. We want to be sure to include each of the students. If you have questions, please contact Dr. Beiting, or Mrs. O'Neill. If you need new forms or did not receive the original packet, please email Mrs. Kalasky at pkalasky@youngstowndiocese.org



Pray for guidance, strength, and the needs of all affected by COVID-19

Community resources

Food

- An interactive Mahoning Valley Food Pantry Map has been put online by the Raymond John Wean Foundation, the Community Foundation of the Mahoning Valley, and the Eastgate Regional Council of Governments. Also, follow [this link](#) for further information.

Legal Services

- Community Legal Aid — Ask a lawyer live on Facebook Wednesdays at 5 p.m. on their website, www.facebook.com/commlegalaid. You can attend any of their free events on the website.

Courses

- Eastern Gateway is offering free IT certification courses for displaced workers. Email [here](#) or call 740-266-9910 for information.

If you have any other concerns, please call the school at (330) 788-5007, and ask for Lori Radinsky.

Mooney partners with AVI



Cardinal Mooney is excited to partner with AVI Foodsystems. This will make sure we provide nutritional options for breakfast and lunch throughout the school year. Please watch for an email detailing how to set up an online lunch account, menu options for the first week of school, and an application for free or reduced pricing.

2020 Fall Sports Picture days

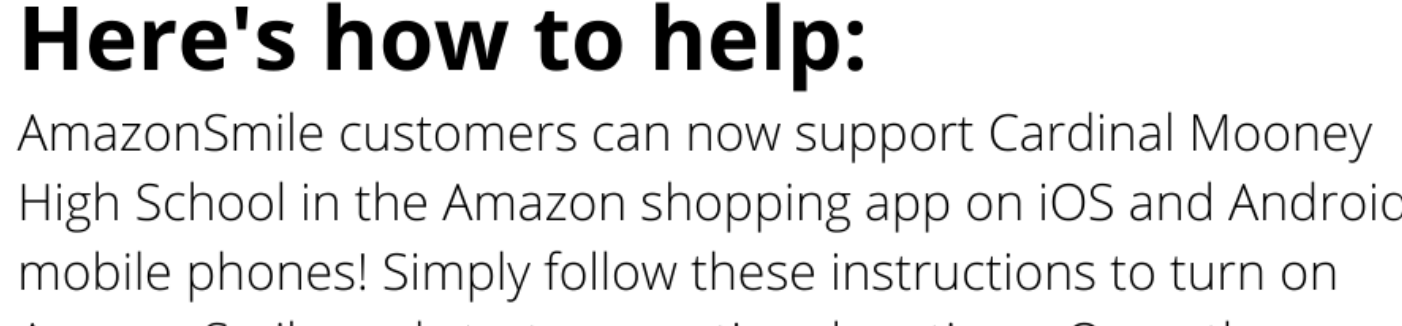
MONDAY, AUGUST 10

Boys Soccer (football/soccer field): 8 a.m.
Girl Soccer (football/soccer field): 9 a.m.
Cross country (grassy tree-line area): 10:30 a.m.
Boys golf (grassy tree-line area): 11:15 a.m.
Girls tennis (tennis courts): 12:30 p.m.

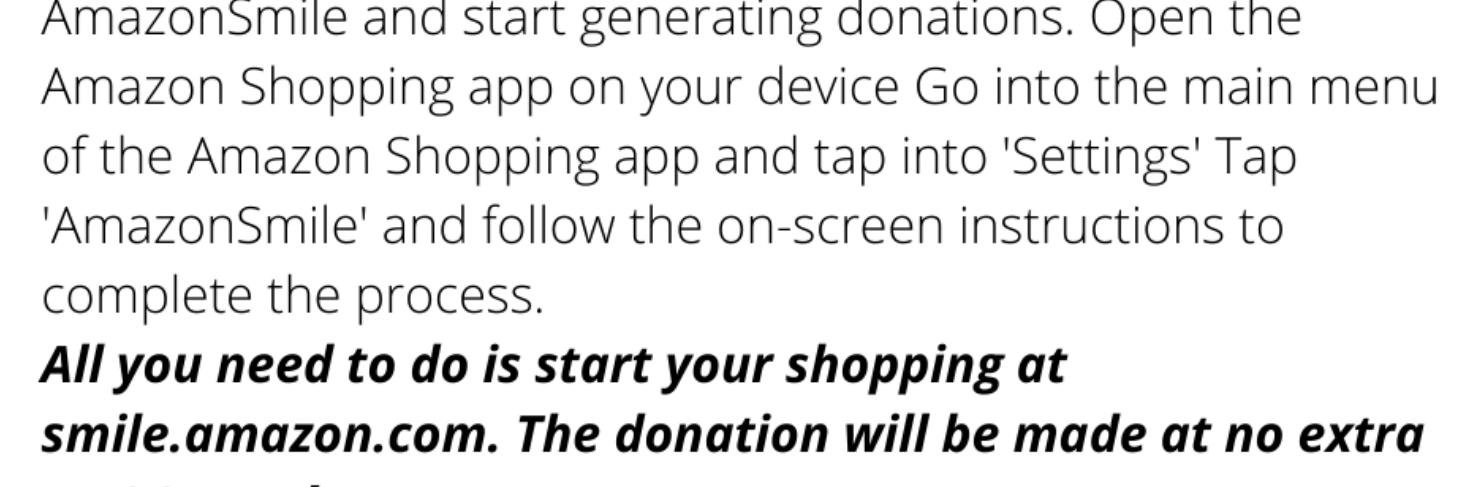
TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

Football (football/soccer field): 8 a.m.
Cheerleaders (football/soccer field or gym): 11 a.m.
Volleyball (gym): 12:30 p.m.

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