



Camp Road Middle School  
September 27, 2021

## Cougar News

### Parler's Ponderings:

Here are my random thoughts for the week:

1. This week we celebrate our super summer readers with a Chick-fil-a breakfast in the media center. Congratulations to these students and I hope to have pictures to share in next week's newsletter.
2. I am posting the SIC Self-Nomination Form one more week in this newsletter in hopes that we have a few more parents express an interest.
3. If your child is quarantining please make sure to check teachers' Canvas or Google Classrooms for the zoom link so your child can access classes while home.
4. Students need to bring a water bottle to school. We are no longer providing cups for those students who do not have water bottles because too many students do not know how to use a cup of water responsibly.
5. Basketball season is approaching and I am sure we will have lots of interest. Lots of interest means we need volunteer coaches. If you are interested in coaching please contact one of the following staff members: [brian\\_duffy@charleston.k12.sc.us](mailto:brian_duffy@charleston.k12.sc.us); [andreas\\_westergaard@charleston.k12.sc.us](mailto:andreas_westergaard@charleston.k12.sc.us); [brant\\_glover@charleston.k12.sc.us](mailto:brant_glover@charleston.k12.sc.us).

## NATIONAL SCHOOL CUSTODIAN APPRECIATION DAY

Friday, October 1, 2021, has been designated as National School Custodian Appreciation Day. We have four custodians that serve the school throughout the day. Mr. Rivers and Ms. Peggy are the ones that everyone sees as the duo walks around the school for eighth hours each day in their red shirts delivering items, sweeping hallway, cleaning restrooms, emptying recycling bins, and constantly picking up after the students. Ms. Patricia and Ms. Erica work four hours a day in the cafeteria during the grade level lunches. They work hard to clean between each lunch to get ready for the next group that follows. Parents, you would be astounded at the messes our students leave on tables and floors when they finish their lunches! Parents this week, I encourage you to remind your

child that Friday is a special day and that maybe they could just pass by one of these custodians and say, “thanks for what you do”.

## **RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS**

Thank you to the following students who were caught spreading random acts of kindness last week:

**Jakia Aiken**

**Paola Lopez Soto**

**Alex Gigis**

**Garland Lynn**

**Angel Fernandez**

**David Anthony**

**Tristian Linville**

Students who were caught performing random acts of kindness will be celebrated at the beginning of October. Let’s keep spreading that kindness at Camp Road!

## **CRMS School Improvement Council (SIC) Self-Nomination Form**

The Camp Road Middle School SIC has parent positions available for the two-year term **2021-2023**. The parents must have a child in either the **sixth** or **seventh** grade. The SIC is an elected and appointed group of adults who assist the principal in the governance of the school and serve as a voice in the education of all our students. The SIC revises the 5-year School Renewal Plan; reviews the school climate survey results; writes the narrative for the annual school report card; and studies other issues relevant to the school’s success and its future. The committee usually meets the fourth Wednesday of each month for approximately one hour. If you are interested, please nominate yourself by completing the link below by **Friday, October 1, 2021**.

Please email interim principal David Parler if you have any questions:

[david\\_parler@charleston.k12.sc.us](mailto:david_parler@charleston.k12.sc.us). Voting will be done electronically the second week of October.

**[SIC Self-Nomination Form](#)**

## **PTO UPDATES**

Parents, thanks to all who have already joined PTO. Forty four (44%) of our families have joined PTO! To those who have not, PLEASE help the PTO reach its goal of at least 50%! Complete the attached form and send in with your child or you can join via Revtrak.

The PTO spirit wear sale will be October 4-17. Look for more information in next week's newsletter and other CRMS social media sources.

## ATTENDANCE HOUSEKEEPING

Dear Parents,

I wanted to take this opportunity to give you a few attendance reminders.

Please remember that when your student is missing any classes during the day, a note must be written and submitted to the office. If the child is going to be absent for an entire day, a note must be sent with the student upon his/her return. The note must give the student's name, date of absence and reason for absence.

### **Medical notes and Parent notes:**

*\*Medical notes are excused absences.*

*\*Parent notes are verified absences.* There can only be 10 parent notes accepted for students in yearlong classes. After 10 days, medical notes are the only excuses that are acceptable. If the student is in a semester class, 5 absences are the maximum days out.

Tardy students-must be SIGNED in by a parent or guardian. Please sign in on the red clipboard in the vestibule.

Thank you and please contact me with any questions or concerns, Devon Gamble, Data Clerk:  
[devon\\_gamble@charleston.k12.sc.us](mailto:devon_gamble@charleston.k12.sc.us).

## Calendar

### **October**

October 1	National School Custodian Appreciation Day
October 4	PTO Spirit Wear sales begin
October 5	School Picture Day
October 12	6 <sup>th</sup> grade science benchmark tests
October 13	8 <sup>th</sup> grade PSAT
October 17	PTO Spirit Wear sales end
October 22	eLearning Day (all students learn at home); end of Quarter 1
October 25	Report Cards will be distributed this week, day TBD

### **November**

November 2	Election Day; no students; teacher workday; Family Data Conferences TBA
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November 9 Make up day for School Picture Day  
November 22-26 Fall Break  
November 30 Progress Reports will be distributed

**December**

December 14 6<sup>th</sup> grade science benchmarks  
December 17 Half day, students are dismissed at 11:45 AM



## 2020 LowCountry Middle School Volleyball League

### All Grades

Date	Day	Site	Court	Time	Div	Home	Away	Results
9/7	Tuesday		AWCC B	5:30 MR	8B	Buist	Camp Road Cougars	L
9/8	Wednesday		TH Low	5:30	6A	Cario Blue	Camp Road Cougars	W
9/8	Wednesday		JRC B	6:30 MR	6B	Northwood Academy	Camp Road Cougars	W
9/8	Wednesday		TH Low	7:30	7A	Camp Road Cougars	Cario Blue 1	Rescheduled
9/8	Wednesday		DIRC A	7:30 MR	7B	Camp Road Cougars	Moultrie	L
9/13	Monday		JRC B	6:30 MR	6B	Camp Road Cougars	Daniel Island Crushers Patel	L
9/13	Monday		JRC A	7:30 MR	7B	Christ our King White	Camp Road Cougars	L
9/13	Monday		TH Pal 2	6:30	8A	Laing	Camp Road Cougars	W
9/13	Monday		TH Pal 2	7:30	8A	Camp Road Cougars	Cario Blue	L
9/14	Tuesday		PW Mar	7:30	7A	Buist	Camp Road Cougars	L
9/15	Wednesday		JRC A	6:30 MR	6A	Camp Road Cougars	Laing	
9/15	Wednesday		JRC B	5:30 MR	8B	Mason Prep	Camp Road Cougars	
9/16	Thursday		PW Black	6:30	7A	Camp Road Cougars	Cario Blue 2	
9/16	Thursday		DIRC B	5:30 MR	8B	Daniel Island White Payer	Camp Road Cougars	
9/20	Monday		JRC A	6:30 MR	6A	Moultrie	Camp Road Cougars	
9/20	Monday		BLRC B	5:30 MR	6B	Camp Road Cougars	Orange Grove Charter	
9/20	Monday		JRC B	6:30 MR	7A	Camp Road Cougars	Moultrie	
9/20	Monday		JRC B	7:30 MR	7A	Cario Blue 2	Camp Road Cougars	
9/20	Monday		JRC A	7:30 MR	7B	Camp Road Cougars	Christ our King Blue	
9/21	Tuesday		PW Mar	5:30	6B	Moultrie	Camp Road Cougars	
9/22	Wednesday		JRC A	6:30 MR	8A	Christ our King	Camp Road Cougars	
9/22	Wednesday		JRC B	6:30 MR	8B	Moultrie	Camp Road Cougars	
9/22	Wednesday		JRC A	7:30 MR	8B	Camp Road Cougars	Porter Grand Grey	
9/23	Thursday		PW Mar	6:30	6A	Camp Road Cougars	Cario Blue	
9/23	Thursday		DIRC B	6:30 MR	7B	Daniel Island Bearcat	Camp Road Cougars	
9/27	Monday		JRC A	5:30	6A	Laing	Camp Road Cougars	
9/27	Monday		JRC A	6:30 MR	6A	Camp Road Cougars	Moultrie	
9/27	Monday		TH Pal 1	6:30	6B	Camp Road Cougars	Laing	
9/27	Monday		TH Low A	7:30	7A	Cario Blue 1	Camp Road Cougars	
9/27	Monday		JRC B	5:30 MR	8A	Moultrie	Camp Road Cougars	
9/27	Monday		JRC B	6:30 MR	8A	Camp Road Cougars	Laing	
9/28	Tuesday		DIRC B	6:30 MR	7B	Camp Road Cougars	Daniel Island Norton	
9/29	Wednesday		DIRC B	6:30 MR	7B	Phillip Simmons	Camp Road Cougars	
9/30	Thursday		DIRC B	5:30 MR	8B	Camp Road Cougars	Daniel Island White Payer	
10/4	Monday		TH Pal 1	5:30	6A	Cario Blue	Camp Road Cougars	
10/4	Monday		JRC B	5:30 MR	6B	Cario White	Camp Road Cougars	
10/4	Monday		JRC A	6:30 MR	7A	Camp Road Cougars	Buist	
10/4	Monday		JRC B	6:30 MR	8A	Cario Blue	Camp Road Cougars	
10/4	Monday		TH Pal 2	6:30	8B	Laing	Camp Road Cougars	
10/5	Tuesday		PW Mar	7:30	7A	Moultrie	Camp Road Cougars	
10/6	Wednesday		JRC B	7:30 MR	8B	Camp Road Cougars	Mason Prep	
10/6	Wednesday		JRC A	7:30 MR	7B	Camp Road Cougars	Charleston Day	
10/6	Wednesday		JRC B	6:30 MR	7B	Camp Road Cougars	Orange Grove Charter	
10/6	Wednesday		JRC B	5:30 MR	6B	Camp Road Cougars	Christ our King	
10/7	Thursday		PW Black	6:30	6A	Laing	Camp Road Cougars	
10/11	Monday		TH Low A	7:30	8A	Camp Road Cougars	Christ our King	
10/12	Tuesday		PW Black	7:30	8A	Camp Road Cougars	Moultrie	

Teams by color:

6A
6B
7A
7B
8A
8B

Would you like to recognize a student, teacher, or parent? [Click Here](#)