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## Principal's Message

Dear Clearwater High School Community:

We are already a quarter into the 2024.25 school year, and we are moving forward and marching toward our goals - Tornado strong! Our students, teachers, staff have adjusted well to so many changes by adapting, improvising, and overcoming. We are demonstrating that with determination, focus on the mission and maximum effort we can and will accomplish anything we set our mind on. For our students, our message and mission continue to be uncommon urgency. We are imploring our students to be unique, and be the best versions of themselves, comparing their progress not to anyone else except themselves. Ensuring and focusing on getting one day better and one day closer to their goals and aspirations.

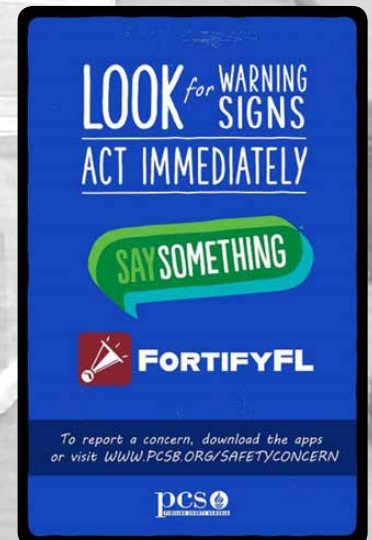
For our staff we are imploring them to plan engaging and inspiring lessons providing the opportunity and platform for our students to perform and demonstrate their unique abilities and talent. With your support and efforts at home and working in conjunction with our team at school we will provide the framework for each student to self-actualize and be the best version of who they can be. We have much work ahead, but with a laser like focus on the task at hand, pushing and pulling in the same direction, we will make 2024.25 the best year yet! I believe in that, and I believe in our Tornado family!

See you at the top!!!!

Robert C. Florio



Principal



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Mr. Mason Woodside (x2018)  
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Ms. Janeen Watkins (x2015)  
CAICC and D - G

Mr. Russell Denton (x2017)  
H - N

Ms. Jennifer Chenier (x2016)  
O - Z

### ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE CLERK

Ms. Merita Bogue (x2014)

### GUIDANCE COUNSELORS

Ms. Kelly Pawling (x2065)  
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Ms. Tashevia Glenn (x2071)  
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Ms. Kimberly Rubin (x2061)  
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Mr. Marwan Stanford (x2064)  
O - Z

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Mrs. Roberta Cauthen (x2060)

### BOOKKEEPER

Ms. Toni Howard (x2006)

### ATHLETIC COORDINATOR

Mr. Kris Foote (x2309)



## Special Announcement

October 14th is now a hurricane make-up day.  
School is in session and students should be present.

## 2024-2025 Student Calendar

Date	School Info
Oct. 11, 2024	End of first quarter
Oct. 14, 2024	Hurricane make-up day
Nov. 25 - Nov. 29, 2024	Thanksgiving holiday week – No school for students. (a) *November 25-26, 2024 - Possible hurricane make-up days
Dec. 20, 2024	End of second quarter
Dec. 23 - Jan. 3, 2025	Winter holidays – No school for students
Jan. 6, 2025	No school for students. (a) *Possible hurricane make-up day
Jan. 7, 2025	Second semester begins
Jan. 20, 2025	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No school for students
Feb. 17, 2025	No school for students.
Mar. 14, 2025	End of third quarter
Mar. 17 - Mar. 21, 2025	Spring holidays – No school for students.
Apr. 18, 2025	No school for students.
Apr. 21, 2025	No school for students.
May 26, 2025	Memorial Day holiday – No school for students.
May 29, 2025	End of fourth quarter. Last day for all students. Students will be released two hours early.

(a) Hurricane make-up days --

If hurricane days are needed, those days will be: 11/25, 11/26 and 1/6

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## Rho Kappa National Social Studies Honor Society Graduation is Not Goodbye

By Christina Alves, Rho Kappa President

Clearwater Historical Society gave the Clearwater High Rho Kappa Social Studies Honor Society students the opportunity to create a special project - the chance to curate, design, and build an exhibit of their choice! Rho Kappa will take on this exhibit with the guidance of Mrs. Maryanne Hipple and Mrs. Allison Dolan. The theme of the exhibit, decided by the students, is "Graduation is not Goodbye" – a special tribute to the Alumni of Clearwater High School that have come back to work at the school.



Clearwater High School can trace its lineage back to 1906. Many students have walked the halls of the school, filling it with memories and life-long friendships. Many former students have even returned to the school and joined the faculty. What makes Clearwater High so special is the number of Alumni that have returned. Fourteen former students work at Clearwater High currently! Reinforcing that the Clearwater High motto of tradition, honor, and pride runs deep in students and faculty.

The exhibit will be a wonderful opportunity to show how special the school is to the community of Clearwater. The exhibit "Graduation is not Goodbye" will be showcased in May of 2025 at Clearwater Historical Society.

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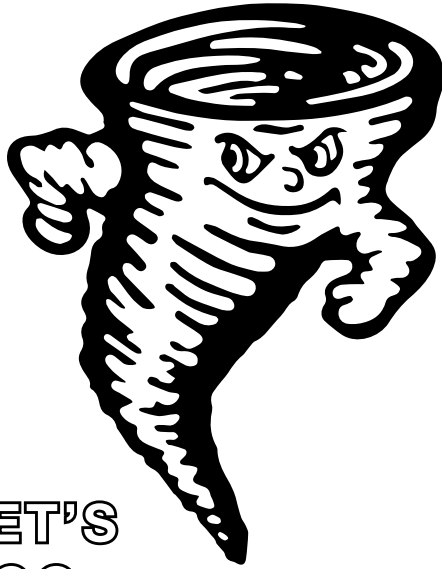
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## VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

### OCTOBER

Friday . . . . . 4th . . . . Tampa Catholic (HC) . . . Home . . 7:30pm  
Friday . . . . . 11th . . . River Ridge (D) . . . . . Home . . 7:30pm\*\*\*  
Friday . . . . . 18th . . . East Lake . . . . . Away . . 7:30pm  
Friday . . . . . 25th . . . Countryside (D) . . . . . Away . . 7:30pm

### NOVEMBER

Friday . . . . . 31st . . . 1st Round Playoffs . . . TBA . . TBA  
\*Pre-Season Classic District (D) (HC) Homecoming \*\*\*Senior Night

## VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

### OCTOBER

Tuesday . . . . . 1st . . . . Pinellas Park . . . . . Home . . 7:00pm\*  
Monday . . . . . 7th . . . . Countryside . . . . . Away . . 7:00pm\*  
Tuesday . . . . . 8th . . . . Boca Ciega\*\* . . . . . Home . . 7:00pm\*  
Thursday . . . . . 10th . . . Tarpon Springs . . . . . Away . . 6:30pm

\*Varsity Only \*\*Senior Night



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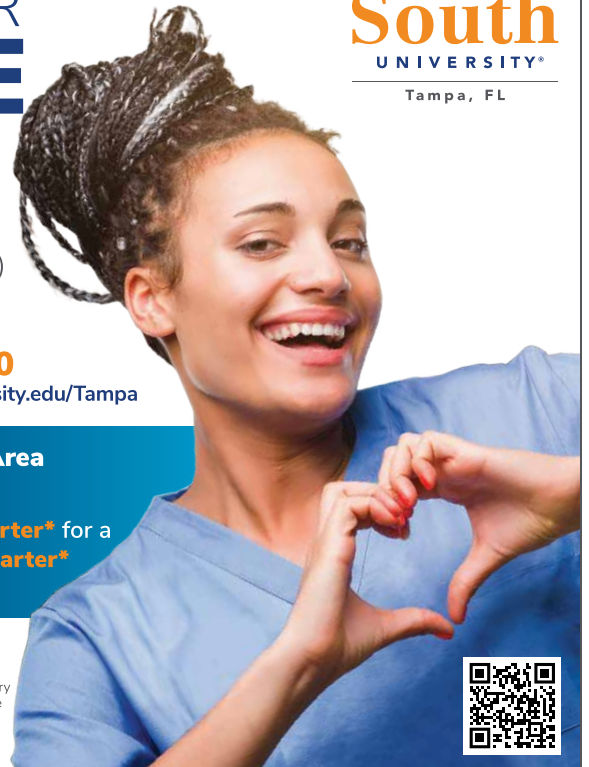
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## CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

### OCTOBER

22nd . . . . . Tuesday . . . . PCAC At Dunedin . . TBA

28th . . . . . Monday . . . . 3A District 5 Meet . . TBA

### NOVEMBER

6th – 9th . . . . . Regionals at TBA . . . . . TBA

TBA . . . . . State Meet – TBA . . . . . TBA

## SWIM AND DIVE

10/9 . . . . . Countryside . . Long Center . . 5:00 Warm up 6:00 start

10/28-11/2 . . . . . FHSAA Districts @ TBA . . . . . 9 am Start

11/4-11/8 . . . . . FHSAA Regionals @ TBA . . . . . 9 am Start

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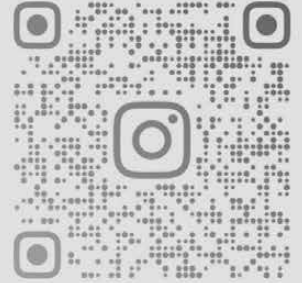
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A.P.: Chenier (2016)  
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## CHS 2024-25 Bell Schedule

### WARNING BELL 7:15

Period:	Time:
1st	7:25 - 8:13
2nd	8:18 - 9:05
3rd	9:10 - 9:57
4th	10:02 - 10:49
LUNCH	10:49 - 11:19
5th	11:24 - 12:11
6th	12:16 - 1:03
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