

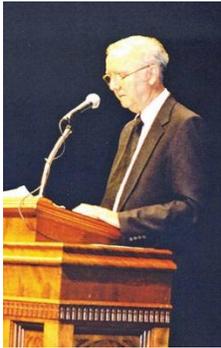
# Central Catholic High School

"Giving Young Men the Advantage Since 1852"



Bro. Harry Cornell, S.M., Honored for Fifty Years of Service

November 10, 2012



In 2002, an alum established a CCHS scholarship in honor of Bro. Harry for his work and inspiration. If you would like to support Bro. Harry's scholarship and assist young men so they may experience the advantage of a Central Catholic education, please contact the CCHS Advancement Office ([mkmartinez@cchs-satx.org](mailto:mkmartinez@cchs-satx.org)).



On November 10, at halftime of the 2012 Homecoming Game, the school honored Bro. Harry Cornell, SM, for 50 years of service.

**Central Alum ('58) Marianist Educator**

**Master Instructor of Mathematics**

**Coach      Teacher      Mentor**

**"Voice of the Buttons" for 50 Years and Counting**

Bro. Harry is all of these things.

Whatever else he might be, in his heart and life, Bro. Harry is a Religious of the Society of Mary. He is a *Brother of Mary!* He is devoted to his Brothers, the

Mission they share, and, most of all, their common faith in Jesus.



After graduating from Central Catholic in 1958, Harry Cornell entered the Society of Mary (the Marianists), professing vows in 1959. He returned to Central Catholic in 1962 as a teacher after completing his bachelors degree at St. Mary's University.

Thus far in his career, Bro. Harry has chaired the Math Department, introduced classes in Computer Science when most schools thought electric typewriters and calculators were advanced technologies, moderated Photography and Debate Clubs, coached, and has taught every Math course possible.

Bro. Harry agreed in 1968 to announce Button sports events until a permanent replacement could be found. His dulcet tones are still heard at Central Catholic events.



For the last fifty years, the voice of Bro. Harry Cornell has summoned young men to the classroom, the chapel, the court, the diamond, the field. His voice has resounded with the clarion call to faithfulness in living the Mission entrusted to the Brothers by Blessed Chaminade.

Bro. Harry is the voice of the Buttons on and off the field, echoing in the heads of thousands of alumni--challenging them to use what God has given them, the advantage of working together to advance their lives and to transform the world into what God intends. If Math is the language of God, Bro. Harry's is His most fluent and faithful follower.

Bro. Harry Cornell, S.M., the voice of the Buttons...**fifty years and counting.**

**Thanks!**

