



# Cougar Daily's "The Potty Mouth" 4/9-4/15

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### Bathroom Etiquette Again...

Let's talk about the bathrooms AGAIN, cougars... Walking into a high school bathroom should not feel like you're stepping into an elementary school bathroom. Yet as of late, students have been greeted with paper towels stuck to the walls, completely soaked and dripping, and our beloved Potty Mouths taken out of their respective slots and completely destroyed. Let me remind you these messes are NOT accidents, They're immature choices.

On a weekly basis, the boys' room in the Main Building gets vandalised. Potties' mouths stuck to the wall with water, paper towels all over the floor, and rarely, but I see hand soap spread all over the sinks, leaving us with zero hand soap and dirty hands.

It's easy to laugh it off or assume someone else will clean it. The cold, hard truth is, someone does clean it for our poor custodial staff, who already work hard to keep this building clean and welcoming. Every soggy paper towel & Potty Mouth stuck to the wall adds more time, frustration, and disrespect to their day.

Truly ask yourself: what kind of person would do that? A REAL LOSER 🍌 (or maybe not you, depending on who is peeing right now). Not because it's funny to your peers. Not because it's SO rebellious. But because it shows a lack of respect for others who share this space and a lack of self-control. (Truly be better, if not for us, than for yourself.)

These bathrooms are used by hundreds of students every single day. Your classmates, teammates, and friends. When you decide to selfishly trash them, you're not just "getting away with something." You're actively making school worse for everyone, including yourself. To make matters worse, you're also damaging the reputation of our school and proving the next generation of WORKERS can't be trusted with basic responsibility.



High School is supposed to be about growing up.

Meaning you need to take accountability, even when no one is watching. If you've taken part in this embarrassing behavior, as a Senior writing this, I promise it's not too late to stop. Do better, respect the space, respect the people who clean it so we can learn. And lastly, respect yourself.

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### People Remember Your Conclusion

By Mr. Philipsen

In many English classes, it is common to study the rhetorical appeals: ethos, logos, and pathos. In classical argument, that is the order students were taught to create their arguments, building their credibility before offering a logical argument, and finishing with an appeal to the emotions of the audience.

That last part is important because that last part stays with the audience. Can you make them feel something that ties emotion to your message? That is what makes it memorable.

This is not only true in writing, though; it is also true in life. At the 2025 State Cross Country Championships, our team made an historical impact on Coronado sports history with their...you guessed it, strong finish. They also started the race strong, but if they couldn't sustain it, they wouldn't have ended up hoisting the trophy when all was said and done.

It's not just about winning. I have watched and experienced being on many teams that didn't pull it off, and yet, my heart still swelled watching people give their all until the end, sometimes even more when everyone knew there wasn't a chance to win; it was just honor and pride on the line.

The end of the year is a hard time for all of us in a school for a variety of reasons: it's busy, we're tired, and apathy seems contagious. For all us, but especially seniors who won't be returning to Coronado next year, this is your conclusion. This is what your teachers will remember.

We've spent the last year (or four) getting to know you and building relationships that are, for the most part, coming to an end. This is how we will remember each other. Seniors, if you don't show up and try, blaming senioritis as a lousy excuse for apathy, poor attendance, or poor work, that feeling created (pathos) in our hearts of disappointment or frustration will be tied to you. It won't be the only things we remember you for, though. I think (and hope) that most of us will also remember the good things you did, and the nice moments we had together.

But in the moments you are struggling to get out of bed or to sit down and work on your assignment, just remember that at the end of the day, and sometimes even years later, people remember your conclusion.

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