

# WEEKLY UPDATE

MONSIGNOR SLADE CATHOLIC SCHOOL 120 Dorsey Road · Glen Burnie, Maryland 21061 · 410-766-7130

#### Next week's calendar:

- Monday, January 23, 2023
- Class Picture Day; Band Group Picture Day
- SpongeBob rehearsal, 2:45-4:00 p.m., Auditorium

Tuesday, January 24, 2023

- Activity Picture Day
- SpongeBob rehearsal, 2:45-4:00 p.m., Auditorium

Wednesday, January 25, 2023

• 8th Grade Midterms, 8:00-11:30 a.m., Cafeteria

Thursday, January 26, 2023

• 8th Grade Midterms, 8:00-11:30 a.m., Cafeteria

Friday, January 27, 2023

- Tuition Assistance Out-of-Uniform day, \$2 per student
- 8th Grade Midterms, 8:00-11:30 a.m., Cafeteria

Saturday, January 28, 2023

• Parent Cleaning Day, 7:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., Cafeteria & Auditorium

Sunday, January 29, 2023

 Catholic Schools Week begins
Open House for Prospective Families, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Auditorium



Super Slades Week of 1/17/23-1/20/23

**Top Row:** Alex Anuszewski, Elijah Niemeyer, Sean Foote, Charlie Reno, Michael Razuri

**Bottom Row:** Hayden Wardell, Evan Behum, Hunter Smith, Lila Burke

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#### Important News & Notes:

Catholic Schools Week Information: The Schedule of Activities for Catholic Schools Week is attached, indicating our service projects for this year, as well as a listing of the many special activities scheduled throughout the week. Please note: On Wednesday, February 1st, we will be honoring the dedication and hard work of our faculty and staff. (See flyer attached.) In addition, Thursday, February 2nd, is Parent Appreciation Day. Parents are invited to visit their child(ren)'s classroom from 8:30-10:00 a.m. Please see the Advancement portion of this update for details on registering to attend Open House. We hope to see you then!



**Congratulations to Levi Brack!** Fox45, which sponsors The Champions of Courage Essay Contest, selected Levi as a finalist. This annual contest asks students to write about how their champion of courage demonstrates the teachings of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Levi will receive a \$100 award for his efforts, and his essay will be aired during the month of February on Fox45.

**Baltimore Blast Archdiocese Family Night -** Mark your calendars! On Saturday, February 11, 2023, the Baltimore Blast will be hosting a family night for the Archdiocese of Baltimore Catholic Schools. The school bands from Immaculate Conception School and St. Louis School will perform the National Anthem and the school choirs from Monsignor Slade and Mother Mary Lange will sing before the game. Dr. Hargens will also start the game with the ceremonial "first kick." All Catholic school students (8th grade and under) will receive a FREE ticket to the game, with a paying adult. See flyer attached for more information.

**Class photos and activity pictures:** Class photos will be taken this Monday, January 23rd, and activity photos will be taken on Tuesday, January 24th; the only exception is that the Beginner Band and Advanced Band will have their group photo taken on Monday afternoon. All clubs, performing arts and other activity photos will be taken on Tuesday morning. Students will wear their regular school uniforms on both days.

Attached you will find an order form for class photos. **Please make sure to send in the order form with payment with your child on Monday!** You can also pay online and enter your Payment Confirmation Code on the form. If you have any questions regarding ordering, please feel free to contact Galeone directly by phone or by email. Contact information is available on the order form.

**School Lunch Survey:** We are conducting a survey of our current lunch program and would like your feedback as we begin to plan for next year. If you have not responded already, **please use the following link by Monday, January 23, 2023:** <u>https://forms.gle/ZB4gGgj9JyrzX8Yc6</u>

#### January 20, 2023

## Important News & Notes (continued):

**Parent Cleaning Day:** Are you looking for ways to earn service hours? The maintenance department could use your help on Saturday, January 28th, from 7:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. to prepare the school for our open house on Sunday, January 29th. Please see the flyer attached for further details.

## Grade Level Reminders:

**8th Grade Exams -** 8th grade student exams will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 25th-Friday, Jan. 27th, beginning at 8:00 a.m. The exam schedule is as follows: Wednesday -Religion & Spanish; Thursday - Science & ELA; Friday - Math & Social Studies.

**6th-8th Grades Ice Cream Social -** Parents, please follow this link <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4AA4AD2AA0FCCF8-catholic</u> to donate items for the middle school ice cream social during Catholic Schools Week. Thank you for your support!



### Advancement Announcements:

#### **Enrollment**

**Re-registration:** Parents/guardians of students who have not yet re-registered should complete the Intent to Enroll Form and pay the re-registration fee of \$150.00 per student between now and January 27, 2023. Students who are not re-registered by January 28, 2023, will be removed from classroom rosters for next year. If late re-registration is completed, an additional \$100.00 processing fee will be charged and that student(s) will be placed on a waiting list. For questions about the process or regarding 2023-2024 enrollment, please contact Mrs. Joanna Buchanan, registrar at 410-766-7130, ext. 108 or j.buchanan@msladeschool.com.

**Catholic Schools Week is coming!** Stay tuned for some fun activities for students and families! We hope you will share the news about our Open House, January 29, 2023, which will take place from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Prospective families should register prior to the event at msladeschool.com. You can help make this a successful event by:

- 1. Emailing event details to your friends. Sharing with your social media followers or in a social group. Posting on your community NextDoor page.
- 2. Writing a positive review on our Facebook page, Google, GreatSchools, Niche, Private School Review, etc.

Help us recognize a notable alumnus! Please nominate! Monsignor Slade Catholic School will be accepting nominations for our Distinguished Graduate Award to be presented prior to the school year's end. Please nominate a deserving alumnus today using this link: https://bit.ly/SladeDistinguishedGrad

**Spirit of Slade Referral Program:** Current families can earn \$500.00 toward future tuition payments for each family referred to Monsignor Slade Catholic School. Tuition credits will be applied after the referred student(s) has/have been enrolled for a year. Instruct applicants to put your current student's name or family name on any application submitted.

A Message from the Advancement Committee: We are almost halfway to our goal for the annual fund! This year we hope to purchase a new PA System for the school. We have raised approximately \$14,288 so far and there are approximately five months left to raise the remaining funds to reach our goal by June 30, 2023. Thank you to all who have supported our 2023 Annual Fund thus far! Each gift\* and every donor

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## Advancement Announcements (continued):

matters. Contribute online; your donation is tax-deductible. We prayerfully ask that families give as generously as they are able and that every family participates.

\*Gifts can also be restricted to a particular cause.

## **HASA Happenings:**

**HASA Executive Committee officers needed!** Please take some time to consider running for office in the Home and School Association Executive Committee. Applicants should be an existing family with experience within the Home and School Association, either in chairing or co-chairing an event, working on various committees, etc. We are currently seeking parents to serve as president and treasurer of the Home and School Executive Committee. If elected, this would be a two-year commitment, which requires attendance at monthly meetings in the evening, in addition to involvement in the activities we sponsor. To receive a nomination application, please reach out to Mrs. Stacey Kripas, Nominations Chairperson, at HASA@msladeschool.com.

Family Paint Night: Would your child(ren) enjoy a fun night creating a painting project together? The MSCS Home & School Association (HASA) is offering a Family Paint Night in celebration of Catholic Schools Week on Thursday, February 2, 2023, at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$25.00 per canvas. The deadline for purchasing tickets is Friday, January 27th, in order to have an accurate count for the artists.

The cost covers the admission fee and all materials for a single canvas. There is a maximum number of three participants per canvas. We will have a bake sale table and will also sell bottled water; but, please feel free to bring your own family snacks and beverages. An Artsy Partsy instructor will guide and give instructions on creating the canvas, "A Frog in Bubbles." We are looking forward to seeing you there!

Are you in need of service hours? The Paint Night committee can use your help with check in and serving refreshments. If interested, please use the following link to sign up: <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c094fafa928a6f5c52-paint#/</u>

### **Sports Section:**

**Lacrosse Registration** has been extended to January 28th for boys and girls teams. Please see the flyer attached to this update for further details.



Spring Soccer registration is open until March 1st!!

Registration for Spring Sports: https://sladesports.sportngin.com

The Athletic Council needs to fill positions on our board!!! We need the following positions filled: Competitive Basketball Commissioner Field Hockey Commissioner Treasurer Program Coordinator

You will receive all of your service hours in each position. Please join our team!!! Without volunteers, we cannot provide our sports programs. Please email SladeACpresident@gmail.com for more information.

## **Terrapin Times:**

Today is the first time that we have given Chessie a live Rosy Red Minnow. While in the bucket with the fish, she ignored the fish. After putting her in the tank, she immediately began to chase it. The link will take you to a short video of her catching her first live food. We apologize in advance that the video is sideways: <u>IMG\_7140.MOV</u> Here is a second video showing Chessie chasing the remaining two minnows: <u>IMG\_7143.MOV</u> Enjoy!!





Mission Statement Rooted in Catholic faith and committed to academic excellence, Monsignor Slade Catholic School is dedicated to forming the whole child to know, love, and be a disciple of Christ.



# **Monsignor Slade Catholic School - Schedule of Activities**

## Sunday, January 29, 2023 - Open House for Prospective Parents and Students

• Open House: 11am - 1pm

#### Monday, January 30, 2023 - Bless Our Catholic Schools Day

- 10:00 a.m. Mass Fr. Jim Bors
- Service project kick-off: Senior Dog Sanctuary (Pre-K4-2); St. Vincent de Paul (3-5); Our Daily Bread (6-8)

#### Tuesday, February 1st, 2023 - Celebrate Slade Day

- Out-of-Uniform Day\*: Wear green and white or Slade spirit wear
- Pre-K: Games & Puzzles
- Grade K-3: Board Games
- Grades 4 & 5: Craft Activity
- Grades 6-8: Zumba (wear PE uniforms)

#### Wednesday, February 1, 2023 - Faculty and Staff Appreciation Day

- Pre-K: Dance Party
- Grades K & 1: Bingo
- Grades 2 & 3: Movie Day
- Grades 4 & 5: Game Day
- Grades 6-8: Decorate and pack bags for Our Daily Bread

#### Thursday, February 2, 2023 - Parent Appreciation Day

- Parent Visitation Day 8:30 a.m.-10 a.m.
- Pre-K & K: Ice Cream Party
- Grades 1, 4 & 5: Movie Day
- Grades 2 & 3: Bingo
- Grades 4 & 5: Zumba (wear PE uniforms)
- Grade 6-8: Q&A Vocations Panel
- HASA Family Paint Night

#### Friday, February 3, 2023 - Student Appreciation Day - 1/2 Day Dismissal at 12:15 p.m.

- Out-of-Uniform Day\*: Please follow out-of-uniform guidelines.
- Pre-K4 & K: Movie Day
- Grade 1: Snack Share
- Grades 2 & 3: Paper Airplane Contest
- Grades 4 & 5: STREAM Day
- Grades 6-8: Ice Cream Sundae Celebration

# Help us celebrate our faculty and staff!



# Make a donation to the Catholic Schools Week Faculty & Staff Appreciation Luncheon!

On Wednesday, February 1, 2023, we will be honoring the dedication and hard work of our faculty and staff.

As a special treat, we would like to provide our faculty with a special luncheon provided by the Home and School Association and you, our wonderful parents!

If you would like to make a monetary donation for this event, please complete the clip-off below and return it by January 28<sup>th</sup>, "Attention: Faculty Luncheon."

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school

Thank you!

Please return monetary donation – Attention: Faculty Luncheon

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Catholic Schools' Week Service Project Senior Dog Sanctuary of Maryland 8336 W B&A Road Severn, Maryland 21144 443-742-0270 "A safe place for senior dogs."

Dear Parents,

We will be celebrating Catholic Schools' Week on January 30th through February 3rd. Our service project for Pre-K4-2nd grades will be the Senior Dog Sanctuary. The Sanctuary provides a safe haven for senior dogs who are unable to be cared for by their owners, who are abandoned or abused, or face euthanasia. Items of greatest need:

- Pill Pockets: Chicken or Cheese flavor
- Bully Sticks and dog treats (sourced & made in the USA, please)
- Paper Towels
- Potty Training Pads
- Windex, Clorox Wipes, and cleaning supplies.

We will be collecting items starting this **Monday**, **January 23rd** through the end of Catholic Schools Week Friday, **February 3rd**.

Thank you for your generosity and for providing your children an opportunity to help serve their community and furry friends in need!

# Catholic Schools Week Service Project:

This year the Middle School Catholic Schools Week Service Project will benefit Our Daily Bread. Students will be creating blessing bags of toiletries for the guests of Our Daily Bread. We will be packing the bags on Wednesday, February 1, 2023.

Please have your student bring in at least one of each item assigned to his/her grade. However, please feel welcome to send in several of each item so that we can bless as many people as possible!

These items may be brought into school as early as Monday, January 30 but <u>are due</u> <u>by Wednesday, February 1, 2023.</u>

## 6th Grade-

Toothbrush (individually sealed) Travel size toothpaste Bottles of water

# 7th Grade-

Travel size body soap or individual bar of soap Travel size shampoo (or shampoo and conditioner combo) Travel size lotion

# 8th Grade-

Feminine hygiene products or disposable razors Travel size hand sanitizer Small bag of chips

Thank you so much for your support! If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Dan and Ms. Mannion.

Catholic Schools Faith. Excellence. Service. JOIN US! OPEN HOUSE JANUARY 29, 2023 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM RSVP REQUIRED.

Serving Pre-K2-8th Grades, our school guides students to academic excellence while encouraging them to know, love, and be disciples of Christ.

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\*Waitlists have already formed for 2023-2024 Pre-K2-Pre-K4 classes.

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# ARCHDIOCESE OF BALTIMORE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

# FAMILY NIGHT

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2023 | 6:05 PM SECU ARENA (TOWSON UNIVERSITY)

# BALTIMORE BLAST VS. MILWAUKEE WAVE

# Join Catholic school families from around the archdiocese for a night of fun!



First Kick by Archdiocese of Baltimore Catholic Schools Superintendent, **Dr. Hargens** Choir Performance: Monsignor Slade Catholic School and Mother Mary Lange Catholic School Band Performance: Immaculate Conception School and St. Louis School

# Catholic School students **FREE** (8th grade and under) | Adult tickets \$22

Please contact Baltimore Blast General Manager, Gianni Tumminello to order tickets Office: 443-559-0710 | cell: 410-776-1266 | email: gtumminello@baltimoreblast.com

# **Ticket Order Deadline: February 8, 2023**

All ticket orders will be delivered to each Catholic school for distribution prior to the game or left at Will Call for pick-up on game day. Please indicate your preference when ordering.

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# Monsignor Slade School

# Class/Individual Pictures IN UNIFORM: Monday, January 23, 2023

Your child must bring this envelope to the camera or their individual picture will not be taken.

Use this envelope to purchase a CLASS Picture and/or an INDIVIDUAL PACKAGE.

- 1. Everyone should come to school prepared to be photographed in their class picture.
- 2. Each child needs a separate order envelope with payment or their individual photo will not be taken.
- 3. Check the Packages and or A La Carte items you are purchasing.
- 4. Clearly Print ALL General Information. Pictures will be returned to the teacher's name on this form.
- 5. Pay online, complete charge information or enclose **EXACT** amount of cash, or check PAYABLE TO F. PAUL GALEONE. Include child's name, school and daytime phone number on your check.

# Information must be completely filled out. (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Student's First & Last Name\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number

Homeroom Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_Grade \_\_\_\_

Order cannot be completed if Teacher's Name & Grade are not given above.



Memory Mate shown above included With 1 M, 2 M, 3 M, & 5 M

(office use only)

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# PARENT CLEANING DAY SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023 7:30–12 Noon



Please enter the school through the side entrance of the cafeteria (down the outside stairs). Bring your cleaning gloves and a bucket or two. Slade provides the cleansers, scrub brushes, and dirt! Feel free to bring your travel mug, bottled water or anything else that will jump start your morning (a snack, ear pods, a work buddy).

# Because parents do not need to be VIRTUS compliant, CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18 ARE <u>NOT</u> ALLOWED!

Come help us make Slade shine! THANK YOU!



# **Join us for Family Paint Night!**



# Thursday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 5:30 pm

# **Monsignor Slade Cafeteria**

# \$25 per ticket – includes all materials

Art Direction By:



Use this link for registration and payment <u>https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/msladeschool/paintnight</u>

For questions, please contact Jennifer Jordan (jennjordan74@gmail.com) and/or Lori Powell (lori\_lee\_powell@yahoo.com)





# **ATTENTION** SLADE STUDENTS

Are you looking for a spring sport to play but not sure which one to pick?





Do you want to be a part of a great team sports program with your buddies?

If you answered **YES** to any of these questions then **SLADE LACROSSE NEEDS YOU**! **Got questions?** Ask your parents to send an email to <u>SLADELAX@GMAIL.COM</u>

*Want to play?* Ask your parents to register at <u>https://sladesports.sportngin.com/register/form/723021995</u>

Already playing Slade Lacrosse? Tell your friends - no experience required!



