

WEEKLY UPDATE

Dec./Jan. calendar:

Wednesday, 1/01/20—New Year’s Day; Last day of Christmas vacation; School closed & Edu-Care/Extended Care closed

Thursday, 1/02/20—Classes resume, Out-of-uniform Day, students may wear something new from Christmas

Friday, 1/03/20—Brown bag lunches donated from Grades Pre-K4 & Kindergarten to Happy Helpers for the Homeless; Student Bake Sale

Monday, 1/06/20—Spring musical read-thru, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Auditorium

Wednesday, 1/08/20—Class Picture Day; Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Auditorium; Slade Night at Italia’s Corner Café, 4-9 p.m.; HASA Executive Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Room 110

Thursday, 1/09/20—Activity Picture Day

Friday, 1/10/20—National Geo Bee competition, Grades 4-8

Please note: This is the last issue of the weekly update for 2019. Then next parent update will be sent home on January 10, 2020.



Super Slades
Week of 12/20/19-1/10/20

Kota Sachs - Responsibility
Kendall Parks - Hard Work
Liam Johnson - Respect
Danielle Daramola - Concern for Others
Christina Pierce - Hard Work
Jack McNally - Concern for Others



Merry Christmas from the MSCS Faculty & Staff

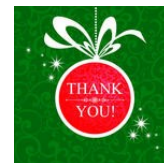
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Important News and Notes:



HASA Giving Tree: Many thanks to all the families who fulfilled the wish lists of their favorite teachers and staff members by participating in this popular Slade tradition. The teachers and staff appreciate your generosity and wish you all a very merry Christmas!



A Charlie Brown Christmas—We’d like to congratulate Mrs. Karin Abbott, along with the singing of the kindergarten and second grade students, the acting of the third through fifth grade students, and the stage crew duties performed by the sixth through eighth students, for the fabulous presentation of *A Charlie Brown Christmas—The Musical*. It was standing room only for the two shows held on December 13th and 14th. We’d also like to thank all of the parents, teachers, and staff who volunteered in so many ways to make these performances such a tremendous success!



Showchoir and Band Christmas Concert—Congratulations to Mr. Wes Osmont, our band director, for the wonderful array of Christmas music presented by our Beginner, Concert and Symphonic Bands. The bands sounded amazing! In addition, congratulations to Mrs. Karin Abbott and our Showchoir for their tremendous performance. What beautiful voices! We truly enjoyed the concert presented by both our bands and the chorus. A good time was had by all and the concert put us all in the Christmas spirit!



Thank you to all who shop on Amazon using **AmazonSmile!** To date, **Monsignor Slade has earned: \$866.04!** Don’t forget to do last-minute Christmas shopping or spend those Christmas gift cards! Shop at smile.amazon.com, and choose Monsignor Slade as your charity. Watch your monthly donation total grow!



**SAVE THE DATE!
65th Anniversary
Celebration!**

Mark your calendars for the weekend of April 25, 2019. Several events will be held in recognition and celebration of Monsignor Slade Catholic School's 65th anniversary.

*Thank
You*

Thanks to all the families that visited the Book Fair. A special thank you to the parents that volunteered to help this week. The Book Fair is a favorite event for our students and with your support it was a great success!
~Ms. Abrams

Advancement Announcements:

A Message from the Advancement Committee:

In October, we kicked off Monsignor Slade Catholic School's Annual Fund. Since we are celebrating the 65th Anniversary, this year's fund is also known as the *Drive for 65*. Our goal is to raise \$35,000. We hope each family can support the annual fund with a gift of \$65, but know that each gift and every donor matters. Gifts can also be restricted to a particular cause. [Contribute online](#) before the end of the year; your donation is tax-deductible. We prayerfully ask that families give as generously as they are able and that every family participates. As always, thank you for all you do to #SupportSlade!

Catholic Schools Week Open House: January 26, 2020

Volunteers needed! All volunteers for the day of the event must be VIRTUS-compliant. Please contact Mrs. Hilmer, c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com, if you are interested in serving as a tour guide, staffing a welcome table, or staffing a craft and activity table. Volunteers are also needed for set-up on January 25th. Children are not permitted to attend Saturday set-up.

Service Hours Opportunity: Coordinator Needed for Slade Hospitality at St. Lawrence Martyr Church, January 18-19

The Advancement Committee is seeking a volunteer to manage this outreach opportunity. Refreshments will be offered after each Mass (Saturday: 5pm and Sunday: 8pm, 10pm, Noon and 5:30pm) as a way to promote Monsignor Slade Catholic School and the January 26th Open House. Responsibilities include:

- Coordinating the supply of snacks/beverages
- Managing the volunteer roster
- Ensuring set-up and breakdown of Slade's display table.

The Coordinator will receive service hours equal to the time spent preparing for and working throughout hospitality weekend. **Must be VIRTUS-compliant.** Anyone interested in this position should contact Rosa Cruz-Penafiel by email at cruz_ra@yahoo.com

Alumni:

Seeking alumni stories and memorabilia! Do you have old photos, uniforms, year-books, etc. to lend? In honor of our 65th Anniversary, we wish to collect memorabilia capturing the history of Monsignor Slade Catholic School. Please share your mementos and memories from days at Holy Trinity/Slade. Whether sharing thoughts of gratitude for a favorite teacher or a recollection about a favorite event or experience; we hope to hear from you. [Submit](#), call 410-766-7130, or e-mail c.hilmer@mssladeschool.com.



Blessings at Christmas

*May the blessing of joy abide within you;
May the blessing of peace rest upon you;
May the blessing of love flow out through you;
May all the blessings of the Lord be yours at
Christmas and in the new year.*

~ Author Unknown



Mission Statement

The mission of Monsignor Slade Catholic School is to promote Catholic faith and intellectual development in our students. We do this by teaching about and modeling the precepts of the Catholic faith, as well as challenging our students with a rigorous course of study. We do this so that they will use their faith, knowledge, and skills to shape their futures positively and work for the benefit of the whole society.

MSCS Winter Coat & Blanket Drive!!!

Re-purpose your old coats and blankets
now through March!!



Please consider those less fortunate this winter season and donate any type of gently-used coats, jackets and/or blankets. Your child can bring them into school to add to our collection, or you can drop it off yourself at the carport. All donations will be given to Paul's Place in Baltimore City.



Monsignor Slade Chess Club



Chess Club is taught by experienced Silver Knights instructors using a curriculum developed by National Masters. Each weekly session is a mix of learning and play. Playing chess is a great way to develop a child's critical thinking skills, sportsmanship, and patience — all while having fun!

REGISTRATION

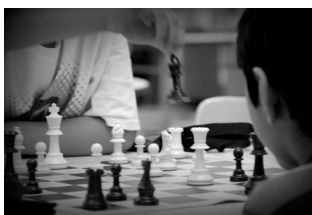
To register or for more information, go to:

www.skenrichment.com

To request financial aid, please visit our website.

Chess Club Details:

- ◆ Grades: 1st—8th
- ◆ All equipment provided.
- ◆ Dates: Club meets every Thursday that school is in session starting on 1/9 and ending on 2/27.
- ◆ Club will not meet on: N/A
- ◆ Time: 3:00-4:00 PM
- ◆ A make-up day, if necessary, will be on 3/5.
- ◆ Tuition: \$116 for 8 weeks.



TO REGISTER, VISIT: www.skenrichment.com

To request scholarships or financial aid, please visit our website.

Questions? Email: Info@skenrichment.com or call: 703.574.2070

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MONSIGNOR SLADE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

65th Anniversary Celebration



SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2020

SAVE THE DATE

The Abundance Café at Monsignor Slade Catholic School



Lunch Menu

Week of December 30, 2019

A la Carte Daily Offerings

Hot Entrées - Prices Below

Daily Special - Entrée Only \$3.75
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Chicken Breast Nuggets

5 for \$2.50 ♦ 8 for \$3.25

Chicken Tenders (2) \$2.75

Sandwiches & Wraps*

Half \$3.00 ♦ Whole \$3.75

Turkey & Provolone Wrap

Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Chicken Caesar Wrap

Chicken Salad Sub

Italian Cold Cut & Provolone Sub

Entrée Salads* \$4.50

Chicken Caesar Salad

BBQ Ranch Chicken Salad

Sides* - Prices Below

Soft Pretzel w/Cheese Dip \$2.75

Fries/Tots/Wedges \$2.25 (1 cup)

Daily Special - Side Only \$.95

(Unless otherwise noted.)

Garden or Fruit Salad \$1.75

Fresh or Prepared Fruit \$0.95

String Cheese Stick \$0.75

Strawberry or Straw/Banana Yogurt \$1.00

Cookie \$0.85 ♦ Choc Chip Brownie \$1.50

Ice Cream Bars/Cups \$1.00 ♦ Sandwiches \$1.75

Drinks \$0.95

2% White Milk - 8 oz carton

1% Chocolate Milk - 8 oz carton

Water - 8 oz bottle

Lemonade - 8 oz carton

\$5.50 Meal Specials

Monday

SCHOOL CLOSED

Tuesday

SCHOOL CLOSED

Wednesday

SCHOOL CLOSED

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Pizza Thursday

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza (1 slice)

A La Carte Cheese Pizza: 1 for \$2.00 ♦ 2 for \$3.50

A La Carte Pepperoni Pizza: 1 for \$2.25 ♦ 2 for \$4.00

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Pineapple Chunks

Choice of Drink



Friday

Corn Dog on a Stick

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Apple Slices

Choice of Drink

* Variety offered will vary daily. It's recommended you order online if a particular wrap, sandwich, entrée salad, or side dish is desired.

The Abundance Café at Monsignor Slade Catholic School



Lunch Menu

Week of January 6, 2020

A la Carte Daily Offerings

Hot Entrées - Prices Below

Daily Special - Entrée Only \$3.75
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Chicken Breast Nuggets

5 for \$2.50 ♦ 8 for \$3.25

Chicken Tenders (2) \$2.75

Sandwiches & Wraps*

Half \$3.00 ♦ Whole \$3.75

Turkey & Provolone Wrap

Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Chicken Caesar Wrap

Chicken Salad Sub

Italian Cold Cut & Provolone Sub

Entrée Salads* \$4.50

Chicken Caesar Salad

BBQ Ranch Chicken Salad

Sides* - Prices Below

Soft Pretzel w/Cheese Dip \$2.75

Fries/Tots/Wedges \$2.25 (1 cup)

Daily Special - Side Only \$.95

(Unless otherwise noted.)

Garden or Fruit Salad \$1.75

Fresh or Prepared Fruit \$.95

String Cheese Stick \$0.75

Strawberry or Straw/Banana Yogurt \$1.00

Cookie \$.85 ♦ Choc Chip Brownie \$1.50

Ice Cream Bars/Cups \$1.00 ♦ Sandwiches \$1.75

Drinks \$0.95

2% White Milk - 8 oz carton

1% Chocolate Milk - 8 oz carton

Water - 8 oz bottle

Lemonade - 8 oz carton

\$5.50 Meal Specials

Monday - Breakfast for Lunch

Pancakes (2)

A La Carte \$2.75

Sausage Link

Hash Brown Patty

Choice of Drink

Tuesday

Meatballs in Gravy (8)

A La Carte: 5 for \$2.75 ♦ 8 for \$3.75

Parmesan Noodles

A La Carte: 1/2 cup \$1.75 ♦ 1 cup \$2.50

Steamed Green Beans

Choice of Drink

Wednesday

Chicken Sliders (2)

A La Carte: 1 for \$2.75 ♦ 2 for \$3.75

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Orange Wedges

Choice of Drink

Pizza Thursday

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza (1 slice)

A La Carte Cheese Pizza: 1 for \$2.00 ♦ 2 for \$3.50

A La Carte Pepperoni Pizza: 1 for \$2.25 ♦ 2 for \$4.00

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Pineapple Chunks

Choice of Drink

Friday

Walking Taco

A La Carte \$4.00

Toppings Bar

Sliced Peaches

Choice of Drink

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The Abundance Café at Monsignor Slade Catholic School



Lunch Menu

Week of January 13, 2020

A la Carte Daily Offerings

Hot Entrées - Prices Below

Daily Special - Entrée Only \$3.75
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Chicken Breast Nuggets

5 for \$2.50 ♦ 8 for \$3.25

Chicken Tenders (2) \$2.75

Sandwiches & Wraps*

Half \$3.00 ♦ Whole \$3.75

Turkey & Provolone Wrap

Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Chicken Caesar Wrap

Chicken Salad Sub

Italian Cold Cut & Provolone Sub

Entrée Salads* \$4.50

Chicken Caesar Salad

BBQ Ranch Chicken Salad

Sides* - Prices Below

Soft Pretzel w/Cheese Dip \$2.75

Fries/Tots/Wedges \$2.25 (1 cup)

Daily Special - Side Only \$.95
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Garden or Fruit Salad \$1.75

Fresh or Prepared Fruit \$0.95

String Cheese Stick \$0.75

Strawberry or Straw/Banana Yogurt \$1.00

Cookie \$0.85 ♦ Choc Chip Brownie \$1.50

Ice Cream Bars/Cups \$1.00 ♦ Sandwiches \$1.75

Drinks \$0.95

2% White Milk - 8 oz carton

1% Chocolate Milk - 8 oz carton

Water - 8 oz bottle

Lemonade - 8 oz carton

\$5.50 Meal Specials

Monday

Hamburger, Cheeseburger, or
Black Bean Burger on Bun[‡]

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Apple Slices

Choice of Drink

Tuesday

Toasted Cheese Sandwich

Chicken Noodle Soup

A La Carte \$2.00

Sliced Peaches

Choice of Drink

Wednesday

Chicken Penne[‡] Alfredo

Garlic Toast

A La Carte \$1.00

Steamed Broccoli

Choice of Drink

Pizza Thursday

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza (1 slice)

A La Carte Cheese Pizza: 1 for \$2.00 ♦ 2 for \$3.50

A La Carte Pepperoni Pizza: 1 for \$2.25 ♦ 2 for \$4.00

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Pineapple Chunks

Choice of Drink

Friday

Chicken & Cheese Soft Tacos (2)

A La Carte: 1 for \$2.75 ♦ 2 for \$3.75

Salsa Rice

A La Carte \$1.75

Orange Wedges

Choice of Drink

* Variety offered will vary daily. It's recommended you order online if a particular wrap, sandwich, entrée salad, or side dish is desired.

[‡] Gluten-free bun & Penne available with online order.

The Abundance Café at Monsignor Slade Catholic School



Lunch Menu

Week of January 20, 2020

A la Carte Daily Offerings

Hot Entrées - Prices Below

Daily Special - Entrée Only \$3.75
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Chicken Breast Nuggets

5 for \$2.50 ♦ 8 for \$3.25

Chicken Tenders (2) \$2.75

Sandwiches & Wraps*

Half \$3.00 ♦ Whole \$3.75

Turkey & Provolone Wrap

Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Chicken Caesar Wrap

Chicken Salad Sub

Italian Cold Cut & Provolone Sub

Entrée Salads* \$4.50

Chicken Caesar Salad

BBQ Ranch Chicken Salad

Sides* - Prices Below

Soft Pretzel w/Cheese Dip \$2.75

Fries/Tots/Wedges \$2.25 (1 cup)

Daily Special - Side Only \$.95

(Unless otherwise noted.)

Garden or Fruit Salad \$1.75

Fresh or Prepared Fruit \$0.95

String Cheese Stick \$0.75

Strawberry or Straw/Banana Yogurt \$1.00

Cookie \$0.85 ♦ Choc Chip Brownie \$1.50

Ice Cream Bars/Cups \$1.00 ♦ Sandwiches \$1.75

Drinks \$0.95

2% White Milk - 8 oz carton

1% Chocolate Milk - 8 oz carton

Water - 8 oz bottle

Lemonade - 8 oz carton

\$5.50 Meal Specials

Monday

SCHOOL CLOSED

Tuesday

Penne[‡] & Meatballs in Marinara Sauce

Garlic Toast

A La Carte \$1.00

Steamed Broccoli

Choice of Drink

Wednesday

EARLY DISMISSAL

NO LUNCH

Pizza Thursday

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza (1 slice)

A La Carte Cheese Pizza: 1 for \$2.00 ♦ 2 for \$3.50

A La Carte Pepperoni Pizza: 1 for \$2.25 ♦ 2 for \$4.00

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Pineapple Chunks

Choice of Drink

Friday

Buffalo or BBQ Chicken Bites

A La Carte: 5 for \$2.75 ♦ 8 for \$3.75

Baby Carrots w/Ranch Dip

Watermelon

Choice of Drink

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‡ Gluten-free Penne available with online order.

The Abundance Café at Monsignor Slade Catholic School



Lunch Menu

Week of January 27, 2020

A la Carte Daily Offerings

Hot Entrées - Prices Below

Daily Special - Entrée Only \$3.75
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Chicken Breast Nuggets

5 for \$2.50 ♦ 8 for \$3.25

Chicken Tenders (2) \$2.75

Sandwiches & Wraps*

Half \$3.00 ♦ Whole \$3.75

Turkey & Provolone Wrap

Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Chicken Caesar Wrap

Chicken Salad Sub

Italian Cold Cut & Provolone Sub

Entrée Salads* \$4.50

Chicken Caesar Salad

BBQ Ranch Chicken Salad

Sides* - Prices Below

Soft Pretzel w/Cheese Dip \$2.75

Fries/Tots/Wedges \$2.25 (1 cup)

Daily Special - Side Only \$.95
(Unless otherwise noted.)

Garden or Fruit Salad \$1.75

Fresh or Prepared Fruit \$0.95

String Cheese Stick \$0.75

Strawberry or Straw/Banana Yogurt \$1.00

Cookie \$0.85 ♦ Choc Chip Brownie \$1.50

Ice Cream Bars/Cups \$1.00 ♦ Sandwiches \$1.75

Drinks \$0.95

2% White Milk - 8 oz carton

1% Chocolate Milk - 8 oz carton

Water - 8 oz bottle

Lemonade - 8 oz carton

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\$5.50 Meal Specials

Monday

Hamburger, Cheeseburger, or
Black Bean Burger on Bun[‡]

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Apple Slices

Choice of Drink

Tuesday

Fajita-Seasoned Grilled Chicken Strips

Salsa Rice

A La Carte \$1.75

Clementine

Choice of Drink

Wednesday

All Beef Hot Dog

A La Carte \$2.75

Macaroni & Cheese

A La Carte: 1/2 cup \$1.75 ♦ 1 cup \$2.50

Orange Wedges

Choice of Drink

Thursday

Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza (1 slice)

A La Carte Cheese Pizza: 1 for \$2.00 ♦ 2 for \$3.50

A La Carte Pepperoni Pizza: 1 for \$2.25 ♦ 2 for \$4.00

French Fries (1/2 cup)

Pineapple Chunks

Choice of Drink

Friday

EARLY DISMISSAL

NO LUNCH

[‡] Gluten-free bun available with online order.

January 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 New Year's Day Last day of Christmas vacation SCHOOL CLOSED	2 Classes resume Out-of-uniform Day Students may wear something new from Christmas	3 Brown Bag Lunches - Gr. Pre-K4 & Kdg. Student Bake Sale	4
5	6 Spring musical read-thru, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Auditorium	7 Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Audit.	8 Class Pictures Slade Night at Italia's Corner Café 4-9 p.m. HASA Exec. Board Meeting 5:30 p.m.	9 Activity Pictures	10 National Geo Bee competition, Gr. 4-8 12:45-1:45 p.m., Auditorium	11 Middle School Dance Grades 7 & 8 6:30—9:30 p.m.
12	13 Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Audit.	14 Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Audit. Advancement Committee Meeting, 6:30 p.m.	15 Athletic Council 6:00 p.m.	16	17 Interims distributed for Pre-K3—Gr. 2	18 HASA Sports Cards & Collectibles Show 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Middle School Dance (snow-date)
19	20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day SCHOOL CLOSED	21 HASA Spirit Night Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Audit. 65th Anniversary Committee Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Room 110	22 HALF-DAY Dismissal 12:15 p.m. P.M. Parent-Teacher Conferences Extended Care open until 6 p.m.	23	24 Tuition Assistance Out-of-uniform Day \$2 per student Skate Night at Wheels in Odenton 5:45-7:45 p.m.	25 Parent Cleaning Day
26 Open House for Prospective Families 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.	27 In-school Mass 10:00 a.m. Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Audit.	28 Spring musical rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m., Audit. Band plays at Marley Station Mall 7 p.m.	29	30 Family Movie Night movie starts at 6:15 p.m., Doors open at 6 p.m.	31 HALF-DAY Dismissal 12:15 p.m. Candy sale kick-off Extended Care open until 6 p.m.	

Mid-Terms—8th Grade

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS' WEEK